




# Immaculate Conception Parish

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter 4 May 2025

Immaculate Conception Parish acknowledges the Wiradjuri people of Tumut, being the traditional owners of the land on which we gather and worship

 <b>Tumut Mission</b> Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, and Talbingo. Fr Joseph Neonbasu Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au Fr Xavier Francis IVDei Email: xavier.francis@cg.org.au Safeguarding Officer Leanne Dunn - dunnland@yahoo.com Tumut Mission Secretary – Sue Hall <b>Tumut Office Hours</b> – Tue & Thu 9-2pm <b>Email:</b> tumut@cg.org.au <b>Ph.</b> 69474599 <b>Parish web page:</b> cg.org.au/Tumut <b>Facebook:</b> Immaculate Conception’s Parish Tumut	Tumut - Mass Times		Country Mass Times	
	<b>Tuesday 6 May</b> - Chapel Eucharistic Adoration 5pm Mass <b>6pm</b>		Gundagai	4pm Confession 5pm Saturday
	<b>Wednesday 7 May</b> - Church Mass <b>10.15am</b>		Batlow	8am Confession 8.30am 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday 5pm 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
	<b>Thursday 8 May</b> - Chapel Mass <b>8am</b>		Adelong	8am Confession 8.30am 1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday
	<b>Saturday 10 May</b> - Chapel Eucharistic Adoration 8am Rosary 8.30am Mass <b>9am</b> Confession 9.30am		Talbingo	9.00am 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
	<b>Sunday 11 May</b> - Church Confession 9 - 9.45am Rosary 9.30am Sunday Mass <b>10am</b>		Blakeney Lodge	Mass 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday at 11am
			Uniting Care	Mass 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday at 11am

Roster	4 May	11 May
Acolyte	Trish Matthews	Dave Shedden
Reader	Mark Harmer & Anita Mason	Mary Kelly & Anne Huebner
Music	Monica & Pat	Monica & Pat
Linen	Maria Cobden	Maria Cobden
Church Care	The Girls (Angela & Colleen)	The Girls (Angela & Colleen)

### PRAYER REQUEST: the Mass Offerings are offered during Weekday Masses

Recently Deceased	Mass Offering	The Sick
 Alison Frowd Leone Wilson Evelyn Heffernan Maureen Clout Debra Connolly Edna Cruise Peter Murphy Fr Kevin Flynn	Evelyn Heffernan, Rita & Frank Stanfield, Con Casey, Ab & Mildred Shanahan, Kath & Gus Clout, Ian & Ina Clout, Theresia Beli, Merle Sturt, Alan Egan, John Mills, Coral Kell, Terry Smith, Ette Casnave, Doreen Egan, Gwen Attwood, Teresa Bond, Maureen & Joseph Hetherington, Tony Hetherington, Lorraine Cullen, Palmira Merlo, Angela & Alan Guthrie, Frederick & Mabel McInerney, Ken Elliott, Lenny McInerney	Thomas Korn, Wayne Vafiopulous, Stephen Dean, Sylvia Flynn Catherine Parker Bruce Wallace Cathy McKelvie Evelyn Bare, Jim McCaig Claire Gordon

Parish Pastoral Council	Parish Finance Committee
Rebecca Fardell (chair), Patricia Mangelsdorf (secretary), Trish Matthews, Eamonn Moore, Anita Mason, Fr Joseph Neonbasu & Fr. Xavier Francis IVDei.	Sue Bulger (Chair), Maria Sommerville(Secretary), Angela Crane, Rebecca Fardell, Cameron Ellison, Fr Joseph Neonbasu & Fr Xavier Francis IVDei.

Banking / Planned Giving (for envelopes, contact Parish Secretary)	Collection Plate
Immaculate Conception Tumut <b>BSB</b> 062 786 <b>AC</b> 00015049	\$525.55

Sacraments	Sacraments 2025
Confession Before Sunday Mass 9am - 9.45am	<b>Reconciliation – 18 June 2025 - 6pm</b>
Marriage By appointment	Meeting 1 – Wed 28 <sup>th</sup> May at 5pm
Baptism Saturday 10.30am	Meeting 2 – Wed 4 <sup>th</sup> June at 5pm
These forms are on Parish Website, call or email to book an appointment. <a href="#">For a Pastoral care visit contact the office.</a>	Retreat – Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> June 9-1pm in St Mary's Hall
	<b>Confirmation – 24 August 2025</b>



### Parish Prayer

O Most Holy Virgin, immaculate in body and spirit look kindly on us as we implore your powerful intercession.

O Most Holy Mother, receive our prayers as we present them to God.

O Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, you intercede for us with your Son.

O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, pray for us

St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, pray for us

Blessed Carlo Acutis, pray for us.



### Thank You

Easter is a special time to thank you all for your faith, commitment and devotion to the Lord.

We thank all those who have been volunteering in the life of our Parish. We cannot mention you one by one and the ministries that you are involved in. It has been a blessing for the Church for your involvement to make the Church and all the celebrations so beautiful and rich of God's love and mercy. God bless.

### Mourning of the death of a Pope

The nine days of mourning for the loss of Pope Francis. With the death of Pope Francis on Monday, the Catholic Church has entered a mourning period, which will include nine days of Masses offered for the repose of his soul known as the "Novendiales."

Rooted in ancient Christian and Roman customs, the Novendiales is a period of nine consecutive days dedicated to mourning the death of a pope. The practice dates back centuries, mirroring the ancient Roman tradition of a nine-day funeral rite.

According to Church law, while the mourning period begins immediately upon the pope's death, marking the official start of the "sede vacante," or papal interregnum, the Novendiales will begin on the day of the pope's funeral, scheduled for April 26, and will be followed by consecutive days of Masses until May 4.



**POPE FRANCIS**

Jorge Mario Bergoglio

17 December 1936

21 April 2025

*May he  
Rest in Peace*

### The Canonisation of Bl. Carlo Acutis

As we all are aware that, on April 27, the Church would have celebrated the canonisation of Blessed Carlo Acutis, marking the first millennial saint—a beacon for young people in the digital age. With Pope Francis' passing, this joyful event is postponed until the next pontificate. We remain inspired by his faith and devotion, trusting that his sainthood will soon be officially recognised by the Church.

Carlo Acutis' journey to sainthood has unfolded alongside the lives of the last three popes, each of whom has marked a different chapter in the teenager's short life and legacy. Carlo went on pilgrimage to see John Paul II, offered up his suffering from cancer for Benedict XVI, and was later beatified during the pontificate of Pope Francis. Now, it will be up to the next pope to canonize the Church's first millennial saint.

May his life continue to guide and encourage all, especially the youth, to live with love and courage in Christ. Blessed Carlo Acutis, pray for us.



### Conclave to elect new Pope to begin on May 7th

The conclave to elect the 267th Pope will begin on May 7th, following the conclusion of the nine consecutive days of mourning Masses to pray for the eternal repose of the late Pope Francis.

Let us continue to pray for Cardinals in this time of prayer and discernment, may the Holy Spirit be upon them. Let us pray also for the Church at this time of transition.

### Thank you and Congratulations

We would like to thank Sue Bulger for organising and running our Easter Raffle. You did a wonderful job Sue. We would also like to congratulate the winners of the raffle: Jude Moreno, Bernie Quilty, Dave Shedden and Rob Hall (donated to a family)