



Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A – 5 February 2023

<p style="text-align: center;">Tumut Mission</p> <p>Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, Talbingo, Adjungbilly, Gobarralong</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fr Joseph Neonbasu Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au</p> <p>Tumut Mission Secretary – Susan Hall Tumut Office Hours - Tue, Thu & Fri 9-2pm Email: tumut@cg.org.au Ph. 6947 4599 Parish web page: cg.org.au/Tumut Facebook: Immaculate Conception Tumut Parish</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tumut Mass Times</p> <p>Sunday 10am Monday - Tuesday (Chapel) 6pm Wednesday (Church) 10.20am Thursday (Chapel) 8am Friday - Saturday 9am Confession 9.30am or by appointment during the week</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Country Mass Times</p> <p>Gundagai Friday 12noon Saturday 6pm Batlow 8am Confession 8.30am 2nd Sunday 5pm 4th Sunday Adelong 8am Confession 8.30am 1st/3rd Sunday Talbingo 8.30am 5th Sunday Blakeney Lodge 1.30pm Mass 4th Wednesday Uniting Care 11am Mass 2nd Thursday</p>
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<p><u>Roster</u></p> <p>Acolyte</p> <p>Reader</p> <p>Music</p> <p>Linen</p> <p>Church Care</p> <p>Morning Tea</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">5 February</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Tony Butler Patrick McCabe / Evie Meli Marty P Tiffany Casey Pannell Family Trish Matthews</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">12 February</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mark Hogan Mary Kelly / Sarah McDonald Francis & Prince Maria Cobden - -</p>
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Prayer Requests

<p>Recently Deceased</p> <p><i>We pray for the souls of the recently deceased</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Renata Davis Fr Neville Drinkwater</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Mass Offerings</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Paul Kelly John deLuca</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">The Sick</p>  <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td>Pauline Murphy</td> <td>Maree Stuart</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clare Gordon</td> <td>Evelyn Heffernan</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Evelyn Bare</td> <td>Geoff Williamson</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Stephen Dean</td> <td>Christine Tuncks</td> </tr> </table>	Pauline Murphy	Maree Stuart	Clare Gordon	Evelyn Heffernan	Evelyn Bare	Geoff Williamson	Stephen Dean	Christine Tuncks
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<p>Parish Pastoral Council</p> <p>Tony Butler (Chair), Eamonn Moore, Anita Mason, Francis Moreno, Trish Matthews, Patrick McCabe, Gae Onions, Fr Joseph Neonbasu</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Sacraments</p> <p>Confession 10am Saturday (Tumut) or by appointment during the week</p> <p>Marriage By appointment</p> <p>Baptism During Sunday Mass</p> <p>Wedding and Baptism forms on Parish Website, call or email to book</p> <p>To arrange a Pastoral visit please contact Fr Joseph Neonbasu</p>
<p>Parish Finance Council</p> <p>Mark Hogan, Eamonn Moore and Sue Bulger, Fr Joseph Neonbasu</p>	
<p>Banking / Planned Giving</p> <p>BSB 062 786 A/C 000015049 Immaculate Conception Tumut</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Collection - \$1051.10</p>	

Low Gluten Communion

Do you suffer from Coeliac disease or suffer with gluten intolerance. We have had a few people ask us about how they can share in Holy Communion with us. We have a supply of Low Gluten Communion breads. If you come to Church weekly or have visitors or anyone attending our Church, please let us know and we will make sure you are catered for. We are family – we care!

Prayer for the Parish Mission

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.

“...He has given us
the *Holy Spirit*
to fill our hearts
with His love.”

—Romans 5:5

Tumut Parish Care

If you are aware of someone who would like to receive a pastoral visit from Fr Joseph or a visit from a representative of the Tumut Parish Care Group to receive Holy Communion, please complete the card on the back table or contact Anne Huebner on 0406 490 415 or Anita Mason on 0429 473 648



Fr Neville Drinkwater Funeral Arrangements

The Funeral Mass for the late Fr Neville Drinkwater OAM will be celebrated 11am on Tuesday 7 February 2023 at St Thomas Aquinas Church, Lhotsky Street, Charnwood ACT. Following the Mass, Fr Neville will be buried at Woden cemetery.

Fr Neville Drinkwater received a Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) in the Queen's Birthday honour's for his service to the Catholic Church in Australia (2016). He is the longest-serving priest in the Archdiocese, ordained in 1954. He was appointed to his first parish in Queanbeyan, and then moved to **Gundagai/Bega (1955-58)**, Gunning, and Boorowa then sent to Charnwood to establish St Thomas Aquinas parish in 1974.

Archdiocese Events Proposed for 2023

These are events that all parishioners and school communities are invited to attend

- Sunday 26 February – Rite of the Elect, St Christopher's Cathedral
- Sunday 16 April – Multicultural Mass, 11am, St Christopher's Cathedral
- Saturday 19 August – Mary MacKillop Pilgrimage, Coastal Deanery, Eden (Solemnity of St Mary of the Cross)
- Sunday 22 October – Marian Procession, Galong
- Saturday 4 November – Catholic Charismatic Teaching Day with Archbishop, Haydon Hall, St Christopher's Pastoral Centre, Forrest

Special Thanks

Thank you to all of our parishioners who fulfil ministries in our parish - *Thanks*

We appreciate everything you do, your time and dedication. If you are interested, we always need new people, at present we especially need help in Church Care.

Please consider getting involved and helping alleviate some of the pressures others in our parish may be under. Let us share the love ❤️

If you can help us on any of the Rosters, please let Sue know in the office. Thank you



Evenings for the Engaged

There are some brochures for the "Evenings for the Engaged Marriage Preparation course" at the back of the Church. The course dates for 2023 are being set currently and will shortly be available on the Marriage and Family section of the Archdiocese website – <https://cgcatholic.org.au/marriagefamily/engaged> For any enquiries please contact Pru Gordon or Peter Grist who are the co-ordinators of the course on 0451 670 041

Catechists

Our Parish is in need of Catechists to work with Catholic students from Tumut Public School. The role of a catechist is to nurture a living, conscious and active faith in those they teach. **"Being a catechist is not a title, it is an attitude: abiding with him, and it lasts for a lifetime! It means abiding in the Lord's presence and letting ourselves be led by him". Pope Francis.** Please contact Fr Joe for more information if you would like to part of the very valuable Ministry.

A copy of the Church Bulletin is available on our website each week – www.cg.org.au/tumut
Please send any notices to tumut@cg.org.au by midday on Wednesday each week for inclusion in the bulletin.