



# Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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## Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord Year A – 2 April 2023

**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, Talbingo, Adjunbilly, Gobarralong  Fr Joseph Neonbasu Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: <a href="mailto:yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au">yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au</a>  Tumut Mission Secretary – Susan Hall Tumut Office Hours – Tue and Thu 9-2pm Email: <a href="mailto:tumut@cg.org.au">tumut@cg.org.au</a> Ph. 6947 4599 Parish web page: <a href="http://cg.org.au/Tumut">cg.org.au/Tumut</a> Facebook: Immaculate Conception Tumut Parish	<b>Tumut - Mass Times</b>		<b>Country Mass Times</b>	
	<b>Sunday</b>	10am	Gundagai	Friday 12noon
	Confession 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday 8-9.45am		Batlow	Saturday 6pm
	<b>Tuesday</b> (Chapel)			8am Confession
	Eucharistic Adoration	5pm	Adelong	8.30am 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday
	Mass	6pm		5pm 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday
<b>Wednesday</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> April No Mass		Talbingo	8am Confession	
<b>Thursday</b> (Chapel)	8am		8.30am 1 <sup>st</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	
<b>Saturday</b> Eucharistic Adoration		Blakeney Lodge	8.00am 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	
8am			11am Mass	
Rosary	8.30am	Uniting Care	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday	
Mass	9am		11am Mass	
Confession	9.30am		4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday	
<b>No Mases</b> There will be no masses on 11 April through to 14 <sup>th</sup> April				

<u>Roster</u>	<b>2 April</b>	<b>9 April</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Tony Butler	Mark Hogan
<b>Reader</b>	Shannon McCabe / Sue Bulger	Ivana Michelini / Trish Matthews
<b>Music</b>	Marty P	Francis / Prince
<b>Linen</b>	Tiffany Casey	Maria Cobden
<b>Church Care</b>	Onions Family	Onions Family
<b>Morning Tea</b>	Felicity & Patrick McCabe	-

### Prayer Requests

<b>Recently Deceased</b> <i>We pray for the souls of the recently deceased</i>  Evelyn Evans Patrick Goode      Paul John Sargent Greg Adams        Renata Davis	 <b>The Sick</b> Pauline Murphy Pope Francis      Jim McCaig Claire Gordon      Evelyn Heffernan Evelyn Bare        Geoff Williamson Stephen Dean       Christine Tuncks
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<b>Parish Pastoral Council</b> Tony Butler (Chair), Eamonn Moore, Anita Mason, Francis Moreno, Trish Matthews, Patrick McCabe, Gae Onions, Fr Joseph Neonbasu	<b>Parish Finance Council</b> Mark Hogan, Eamonn Moore and Sue Bulger, Fr Joseph Neonbasu
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<b>Banking / Planned Giving</b> Immaculate Conception Tumut    BSB 062 786    A/C 000015049	<b>Collection - \$523.15</b>
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<b>Sacraments</b> Confession      9.30am Saturday (Tumut) 4th Sunday at 8-9.45 (Tumut) Marriage        By appointment Baptism         During Sunday Mass Wedding and Baptism forms on Parish Website, for an appointment call or email the office.	<b>Baptism</b> 23 April – Hallee Ballard	<b>Reconciliation</b> Meeting 1 – 16 August 5pm Meeting 2 – 23 August 5pm Retreat – 30 Aug. 9am-1pm Reconciliation – 6 September 6pm	<b>Confirmation</b> Meeting 1 – 24 May 5pm Meeting 2 – 31 May 5pm Retreat – 7 June 9am-1pm Confirmation – 14 June 6pm
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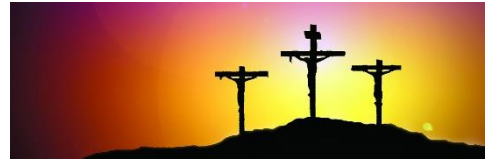
A copy of the Church Bulletin is available on our website each week – [www.cg.org.au/tumut](http://www.cg.org.au/tumut)  
 Please send any notices to [tumut@cg.org.au](mailto:tumut@cg.org.au) by **midday on Wednesday** each week for inclusion in the bulletin.

### 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.  
Amen*

### Easter Mass Times

<b>Holy Thursday</b>	6 April 2023	7pm
<b>Good Friday</b>	7 April 2023	
Stations of the Cross		10am
Good Friday Service		3pm
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	8 April	6pm
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	9 April	10am
8.30am Mass on Easter Sunday in Talbingo		



### Thank you Rob Hall

We would like to thank Rob Hall for the wonderful voluntary work he is doing around our Church grounds and the Presbytery grounds. A lot of the plants that he has planted in these areas have been donated by him. We appreciate everything you are doing for our Church community. **Thank you Rob**



### Chrism Mass

Join the Archbishop and the Clergy of the Archdiocese on Monday 3 April at 5.00pm in St Christopher's Cathedral, Forrest for this most important Holy Week ceremony. It is this Mass that the **Holy Oils** used in the various Sacramental Rites of the Church are blessed and consecrated. Everyone is most welcome.

### Choir Members needed for Easter

Anyone interested in joining a singing group for Holy Week, are invited to stay behind after Mass this morning. We will have another run through on Wednesday at 4pm in the Church.

### Voluntary Positions - available in our Parish

**Voluntary Positions - available in our Parish:** If you would like to share your skills and assist in the management of our Parish there are several positions that may be of interest to you:

- A. Fundraising Committee:** The Parish intends to establish a fund raising committee for our Parish. Parishioners who would like to be part of this fundraising committee are asked to speak to Fr Joe.
- B. WHS Officer:** The Parish is seeking a parishioner who would like to be the voluntary WHS member for our Parish. Guidelines and support for this important position will be provided. Please see Fr Joe if interested.
- C. Parish Pastoral Council:** The Parish Pastoral Council requires two new members. If you are interested in applying for this important Parish role, please complete the card located at the back of the Church and place it in the box provided by Sunday 23rd April. **Thank you.**



### Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday recalls an event in the Christian Scripture (The New Testament) of Jesus entering into Jerusalem and being greeted by the people waving palm branches. **For Christians, it is a reminder of the welcoming of Jesus into our hearts and of our willingness to follow him.**

*"You who are faithful to the Lord, sing praises to him; give thanks to his holy name! His anger lasts for only a second, but his favour lasts a lifetime. Weeping may stay all night, but by morning, Joy!" Psalm 30:4-5*

### Good Friday Collection for the Holy Land

The annual collection for the support of the church in the Holy Land will take place on **Good Friday, April 7th**. This collection promotes the missionary work of the Church in the Holy Land by providing welfare assistance to local Christians in areas such as health, education, employment, housing, Parishes and orphanages. It is used to maintain over 70 churches and shrines associated with the life of Jesus. Please remember the Christians of the Holy Land on Good Friday. Envelopes are available in the foyer. These envelopes can be placed in the collection.

