



# Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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## BAPTISM OF THE LORD YEAR C – 9TH JANUARY 2022

COVID PROTOCOLS AVAILABLE FROM PARISH WEBSITE

Facemasks and Check-in required

### MASS TIMETABLE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY

TUMUT		COUNTRY MASS		SACRAMENTS	
Sunday 9th	10AM MASS	BATLOW	8:30AM 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Confession	By appointment
Monday 10th	No Mass	TALBINGO	8AM MASS 5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Marriage	By appointment
Tuesday 11th	5:30 Exposition 6PM Mass	ADELONG	10AM 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	Baptism	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday or at any Mass
Wednesday 12th	10AM Mass			<i>Wedding &amp; Baptism forms on parish website, call/email to book.</i>	
Thursday 13th	No Mass	BLAKENEY LODGE	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday 10:30AM Mass		
Friday 14th	No Mass	BUPA	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday 11:00AM Mass	To arrange a Pastoral visit please contact: Fr George or Fr Namora	
Saturday 15th	6PM				

### ROSTERS

MINISTRY	8 JAN	9 JAN	15 JAN	16 JAN
ACOLYTE	Tony Butler	Trish Matthews	Dave Shedden	Mark Hogan
READER	Anne Huebner	Liz Boxall	Anita Mason	Mary Kelly
MUSIC	Monica Webb / Pat Mangelsdorf	Marty Pannell	Francis / Prince	Howard Young
LINEN	Bev Piper	-	Marie Ambrose	-
CHURCH CARE	-	-	-	Dobbie Family
MORNING TEA	-	-	-	-

### PRAYER REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES	MASS OFFERING	SICK
We pray for the repose of the souls of all the recently deceased		Andrew Sturt, Fr Peter Quirk, Gus & Kath Clout, Ian & Ina Clout, Ab & Mildred Shanahan	Baby Levi, Stephen Dean, Melissa Curll and Libby McGruer, Christine Tunks, and Yvonne Guy

### PARISH DETAILS

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL	PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL
Fr George, Fr Namora, Tony Butler (Chair), Eamonn Moore, Anita Mason, Tiffany Casey, Francis Moreno, Trish Matthews, Patrick McCabe, Gae Onions	Fr. George, Fr. Namora, Mark Hogan, Eamonn Moore and Sue Bulger.
PARISH CONTACTS	BANKING / PLANNED GIVING
Fr George – 0484 604 273 Parish House 69474599 Fr Namora – 0450 438 444 Secretary 0478 000 526	BSB 062 786 A/C 000015049 IMMACULATE CONCEPTION TUMUT

## ROSARY

A group of parishioners are praying the Rosary, in our own homes, at **11am every day**.

*"Commend your children to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. When parents pray the Rosary, at the end of each decade they should hold the Rosary aloft and say to her, "With these beads bind my children to your Immaculate Heart", she will attend to their souls."*  
– St. Louise de Marillac

## ADORATION

**Adoration First Saturdays – 5 FEB – 8:30am**  
Adoration, 8:45am Rosary, 9:00am Mass in the Church.

*"O Mary! Teach us the life of adoration! Teach us to see, as thou didst, all the mysteries and all the graces in the Eucharist; to live over again the Gospel story and to read it in the light of the Eucharistic Life of Jesus."* ~ Peter Julian Eymard

## BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Today the Church celebrates the Feast of the Baptism of Our Lord. This brings to an end the season of Christmas. The Church recalls Our Lord's second manifestation or epiphany which occurred on the occasion of His baptism in the Jordan. Jesus descended into the River to sanctify its waters and to give them the power to beget sons of God. The event takes on the importance of a second creation in which the entire Trinity intervenes.



Source: Catholic Culture

## JANUARY DEVOTION – HOLY NAME OF JESUS

There is power in the name of Jesus.

Jesus powerfully taught that where two or three are gathered in His name, He would be in their midst (see Mt 18:20). People also called upon Jesus by name when asking for a miracle. The blind man cried out, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me!" (Lk 18:38), and with that invocation and further conversation his sight was restored. Demons were cast out of the possessed by Jesus' name (Acts 16:18; 19:16).

Source: Simply Catholic

## PRAYER FOR WHEN YOU'RE SEEKING GUIDANCE



Lord of light, shine your presence deep into my life. Enlighten my heart, and show me the way you want me to go. As I weigh my options, I try to figure out where each path will lead, but it's hard for me to see clearly. Give me your wisdom. Help me understand what's most important to you. Let me see through the guises of deceivers, and let me enjoy the beautiful visage of truth. I want your Spirit to radiate through me and outward to others. Let me shine for you.

## NO MASS IN TALBINGO THIS MONTH

Due to the unavailability of assisting priests, there will be no Mass in Talbingo at the end of the month, Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> January.

## DAILY MASS CHANGES

Throughout January, there will be Daily Mass ONLY on Tuesday (5:30pm Exposition, 6PM Mass) and Wednesday (10AM). Both will be celebrated in the Chapel.

## CATHOLIC WEBSITES

Interested in learning more about your faith this year? Or want to keep in touch with what is happening in Catholic news? Here are a list of helpful websites that can help keep you in the know, understand teachings of the Catholic faith, how to defend them and how to apply them in your life:

[www.catholic.com](http://www.catholic.com)

[www.catholicweekly.com.au](http://www.catholicweekly.com.au)

[www.mycatholic.life](http://www.mycatholic.life)

[www.simplycatholic.com](http://www.simplycatholic.com)

[www.catholicnewsagency.com](http://www.catholicnewsagency.com)

[www.media.ascensionpress.com](http://www.media.ascensionpress.com)

## VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Vinnies Christmas Appeal Envelopes are available at the entrance of the Church. Your support is deeply appreciated and goes towards helping needy individuals and families with clothing, food, bill payments, rent and more. Thank you.

## POSITION AVAILABLE – PASTORAL PRACTITIONER TUMUT

Pastoral Practitioner role at Uniting Tumut. The role is permanent part time, 22.8 hours per week.

The closing date for applications is Sunday, 9th January, and interviews in Tumut expected to be conducted on Thursday, 13th or Friday, 14th of January. Visit <https://careers.uniting.org/> for the full position description.

## HOLIDAY READING

Visit St Pauls Publications ( [www.stpauls.com.au](http://www.stpauls.com.au) ) for a variety of books available to order. Whether biblical, spiritual, academic, or devotional – there is a wide range of books, gifts and other products to choose from.

New Arrival: *In It Is Right and Just*, bestselling author Scott Hahn and Brandon McGinley challenge our idea of religion and its role in society. Hahn and McGinley argue that to answer questions over religious liberty, justice, and peace, we must first reject the insidious lie perpetuated by secular-liberal culture: that religion is a private matter.