



# Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut

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## EPIPHANY YEAR B – 3<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2021

### MASS TIMETABLE FOR WEEK COMMENCING 3 JANUARY

TUMUT		COUNTRY MASS		SACRAMENTS	
Sunday 3rd	10AM MASS	BATLOW	8:30AM 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Confession	By appointment
Monday 4th	NO MASS	TALBINGO	8AM MASS 31 <sup>st</sup> January	Marriage	By appointment
Tuesday 5th	6PM Chapel	ADELONG	10AM 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	Baptism	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday or at any Mass
Wednesday 6th	9:00 AM Church			<i>Wedding &amp; Baptism forms on parish website, call/email to book.</i>	
Thursday 7th	10AM Chapel	BLAKENEY LODGE	2 <sup>ND</sup> Wednesday 10:30AM	To arrange a Pastoral visit please contact: Fr George or Fr Namora	
Friday 8th	8AM Chapel	BUPA	Suspended		
Saturday 9th	6PM VIGIL MASS				

### ROSTERS

MINISTRY	SAT 2 JAN	SUN 3 JAN	SAT 9 DEC	SUN 10 JAN
ACOLYTE	Peter Malone	Trish Matthews	Tony Butler	Sue Bulger
READER	Monica Webb	Felicity McCabe	Barry Madigan	Liz Boxall
MUSIC	Howard Young	Guest Choir	Monica Webb / Pat Mangelsdorf	Patrick McCabe
LINEN	Bev Piper	-	Maria Cobden	-
CHURCH CARE	-	McCabe Family	-	-
MORNING TEA	-	N/A	-	-

### PRAYER REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES	MASS OFFERING	SICK
We pray for the repose of the souls of all the recently deceased esp John McNeill	Frank Stanfield		We pray for all the sick of our parish community, especially Stephen Dean

### PARISH DETAILS

PARISH COUNCIL	PRIESTS / PARISH	BANKING / PLANNED GIVING
Fr George, Fr Namora, Peter Malone, Tony Butler, Anita Mason, Trish Matthews, Anne Huebner, Eamon Moore, Barry Madigan	Fr George – 0484 604 273 Fr Namora – 0450 438 444 Secretary – 0478 000 526	BSB 062 786 A/C 000015049 IMMACULATE CONCEPTION TUMUT

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 Parish updates and Catholic articles are published on our Facebook page - @tumutcatholics  
 Please send any notices to [tumut@cg.org.au](mailto:tumut@cg.org.au) by midday Wednesday each week for inclusion in the bulletin.

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## NOTICES

### ROSARY

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

*"To recite the rosary is nothing other than to contemplate the face of Jesus with Mary" ~ St Pope John Paul II*

### ADORATION

**Adoration First Saturdays – 6 FEB** - Adoration at **8:30am** followed by Mass at **9am** in the Chapel.

*"There is nothing littler, meeker or more silent than Christ present in the host" ~ Cardinal Robert Sarah*

### THANK YOU

A sincere thanks to all ministry volunteers who assisted with our Christmas Masses. Your contribution is deeply appreciated, may God bless you all.

### DAILY MASS SCHEDULE

Some changes to the Daily Mass schedule this week due to a funeral in Batlow, Wednesday Mass will be at 9am. The normal schedule will resume next week. Thank you for your understanding.

### NO MORNING TEA

The monthly morning tea is in recess, there will be no morning tea after Sunday Mass on 3<sup>rd</sup> January, but will resume in February. Thank you to all the volunteers involved in this ministry.

### FR JOHN HODGSON

We welcome to Immaculate Conception, Fr John Hodgson CSsR (from Galong) who will be supplying Masses throughout the mission (Tumut, Adelong, Batlow, Talbingo, Jugiong, Gundagai, Adjungbilly & Gobaralong) in the month of January. Fr John will celebrate Mass with us in Tumut on **3 Jan, 23-24 Jan and 30-31 Jan**.

### NEW YEARS RESOLUTIONS FOR CATHOLICS

There are countless spiritual resolutions to make for the new year, but picking just one or two is ideal - keep it simple at first, and as your resolutions turn into habits, you can add more.

**Go to confession** – try bimonthly, once a month, every other month – whatever schedule will best ensure that you go to confession on a regular basis.

**Set a time each day to pray** - Start small. Set aside just five minutes during your favorite part of the day. At 3 o'clock you can try the Divine Mercy Chaplet. Pray the rosary daily and/or start a novena.

**Celebrate feast days** - Take a look at a Catholic calendar and find some feast days to celebrate with your children/grandchildren. You can watch a video, draw a picture, or read stories of the saints.

**Participate in First Saturdays** - the Five First Saturdays involves going to confession, receiving Holy Communion, saying five decades of the rosary, and meditating for 15 minutes on the mysteries of the rosary each first Saturday for five consecutive months.

**Attend daily Mass** - Daily Mass can be tricky when you work or have small children, but if you search you may be able to find a daily Mass that can work for you. First Fridays is a good way to start as there is Mass at 8am.

**Bring a friend to Mass** - Whether the person is a former Catholic, a Catholic who has strayed, or someone who has never been to Catholic Mass at all, it is an important part of being Catholic to evangelise.

**Renew your baptismal vows** - Kick off the new year by renewing your baptismal promises with your family. It's easy, you can do it within your own home, and it will remind you of what it is to be a Catholic.

One small step toward improving your spiritual life is all you need to become a stronger Catholic in the new year. Have a happy new year and may God bless you in 2021!

### NEW YEARS PRAYER

Lord, You make all things new  
You bring hope alive in our hearts  
And cause our Spirits to be born again  
Thank you for this new year  
For all the potential it holds.

Come and kindle in us

A mighty flame

So that in our time, many will see the wonders of God  
And live forever to praise Your glorious name.

- Author Unknown

### VINNIES MEETING DATES

January dates for Vinnies meeting, 9:30am at Blessed Rosalie Rendu House – Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> January.

New members welcome, please see Patricia Mangelsdorf

### PARISH RAFFLE

Congratulations to Lisa Pannell from Goobarragandra who was the winner of our parish Christmas Hamper raffle – and thanks to everyone for your support, the raffle raised \$368.00 for the parish.