



**St Mary's Bungendore  
St Joseph's Gundaroo  
St Peter & Paul's Hoskinstown  
St Joseph's Tarago**  
<http://cg.org.au/bungendore/>  
**Fr. Mick Burke 0448 414 541**



**13th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**26th June, 2022**

**BUNGENDORE PARISH TEAM**

Fr Mick Burke is the Administrator of Bungendore and Braidwood. Fr Mick is residing in the Bungendore presbytery.

**Baptisms:** Baptisms will be on Saturdays at 10:30 am. Please email or ring the parish office to arrange a baptism.

**Weddings:** Please contact Parish office; at least six months notice required.

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**Secretary-** Julie-Ann

**Office Open:** - Wednesday - 10:30am - 5:00pm  
Thursday—9:00am—3:30pm

**Finance** - Maureen

**BUNGENDORE, BRAIDWOOD and REGION MASS TIMES**

**Bungendore :** Sunday 8.30am; **Weekday Mass:** Wednesday 9am

**Braidwood:** Saturday 6.00pm **Weekday Mass:** Tuesday 10.00am

**Hoskinstown:** 1st Sunday 10:30am

**Gundaroo:** 2nd & 4th Sunday 10:30am

**Tarago:** TBA

**Krawarree:** 5th Sunday 11.00am

Third Sundays will be shared between extra Masses at either Braidwood or Bungendore for First Communion / Confirmation or Mass at either Araluen or Nerriga.

**Archdiocesan Celebrations in Manuka for the World Meeting of Families - 26 June 2022**

Every three years since 1994, the Church has celebrated the World Meeting of Families in a different city of the world. In 2022 the event will be hosted by the Diocese of Rome with Pope Francis leading special celebrations. However, the Holy Father has also asked that the World Meeting of Families be celebrated concurrently in every diocese of the world in 2022. The idea is for families to gather locally around their bishop to explore and celebrate the theme of "Family love: A vocation and a path to holiness."

- **11.00am** Mass at St Christophers Cathedral with Archbishop Christopher
- **12.00pm** Free Brunch & Mini Expo with Archbishop in St Christopher's Pastoral Centre
- **1.00pm** Faith & Fun Sessions (children, teenagers, adults, seniors) based on the theme of 'Family life a pathway to holiness'
- **1:45pm** Closing Prayer & Song in Parish Centre
- **2.00pm** Finish

**Register** at <https://bit.ly/WMF26June>

**Enquiries email** [lara.kirk@cg.org.au](mailto:lara.kirk@cg.org.au) or text 0429 192 869



The Parish of St Mary's, Bungendore acknowledges the Ngunnawal and Ngambri people, the Traditional Custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for many thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of Reconciliation.

### Entrance Antiphon

All peoples, clap your hands.  
Cry to God with shouts of joy!

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### First reading

1 Kgs 19:16. 19-21

The Lord said to Elijah: 'Go, you are to anoint Elisha son of Shaphat, of Abel Meholah, as prophet to succeed you.'

Leaving there, Elijah came on Elisha son of Shaphat as he was ploughing behind twelve yoke of oxen, he himself being with the twelfth. Elijah passed near to him and threw his cloak over him. Elisha left his oxen and ran after Elijah. 'Let me kiss my father and mother, then I will follow you' he said. Elijah answered, 'Go, go back; for have I done anything to you?' Elisha turned away, took the pair of oxen and slaughtered them. He used the plough for cooking the oxen, then gave to his men, who ate. He then rose, and followed Elijah and became his servant.

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### Responsorial Psalm

**(R.)** *You are my inheritance, O Lord.*

Preserve me, God, I take refuge in you.  
I say to the Lord: 'You are my God.'  
O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;  
it is you yourself who are my prize. **(R.)**

I will bless the Lord who gives me counsel,  
who even at night directs my heart.  
I keep the Lord ever in my sight:  
since he is at my right hand, I shall stand firm. **(R.)**

And so my heart rejoices, my soul is glad;  
even my body shall rest in safety.  
For you will not leave my soul among the dead,  
nor let your beloved know decay. **(R.)**

You will show me the path of life,  
the fullness of joy in your presence,  
at your right hand happiness for ever. **(R.)**

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### Second reading

Gal 5:1. 13-18

When Christ freed us, he meant us to remain free.  
Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to the  
yoke of slavery.

My brothers, you were called, as you know, to liberty;  
but be careful, or this liberty will provide an opening  
for self-indulgence. Serve one another, rather, in  
works of love, since the whole of the Law is

summarised in a single command: Love your neighbour  
as yourself. If you go snapping at each other and  
tearing each other to pieces, you had better watch or  
you will destroy the whole community.

Let me put it like this: if you are guided by the Spirit  
you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence,  
since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the  
Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely  
because the two are so opposed that you do not  
always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by  
the Spirit, no law can touch you.

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### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening;  
you have the words of everlasting life.  
Alleluia!

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### Gospel

Lk 9:51-62

As the time drew near for him to be taken up to  
heaven, Jesus resolutely took the road for Jerusalem  
and sent messengers ahead of him. These set out, and  
they went into a Samaritan village to make  
preparations for him, but the people would not receive  
him because he was making for Jerusalem. Seeing this,  
the disciples James and John said, 'Lord, do you want  
us to call down fire from heaven to burn them up?' But  
he turned and rebuked them, and they went off to  
another village.

As they travelled along they met a man on the road  
who said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.'  
Jesus answered, 'Foxes have holes and the birds of the  
air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay  
his head.'

Another to whom he said, 'Follow me,' replied, 'Let me  
go and bury my father first.' But he answered, 'Leave  
the dead to bury their dead; your duty is to go and  
spread the news of the kingdom of God.'

Another said, 'I will follow you, sir, but first let me go  
and say good-bye to my people at home.' Jesus said to  
him, 'Once the hand is laid on the plough, no one who  
looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'

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### Communion Antiphon

Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and all within me, his holy name.

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## Reflection

Today we consider some of the personal difficulties we might have to face as disciples. First, there is no part-time discipleship. Our commitment must be wholehearted and complete. We must have a willing attitude that frees us interiorly from all other concerns so that we might be able to follow Christ regardless of our state in life or our occupation. This attitude of commitment comes not merely from our own generosity of heart but from our having been transformed into Christ through faith and baptism.

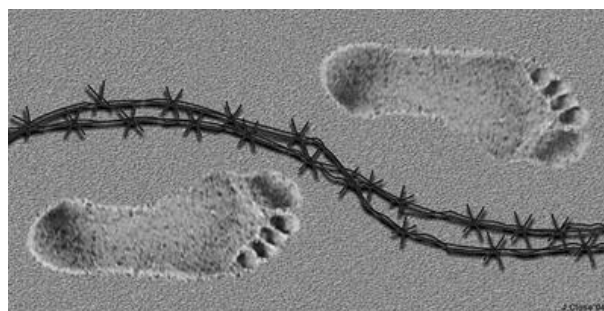
We may face conflicts when our various allegiances seem to clash. We may have family responsibilities. There are children to raise, elderly parents or infirm relatives to care for. What does discipleship require of us? We all must earn a living. Are we expected to leave our employment to follow Jesus? And if so, what then will we do? All disciples must face the interior struggle caused by the conflict of legitimate responsibilities.

The freedom of which Paul speaks comes with genuine love. If, out of love, we can negotiate successfully these conflicts caused by competing responsibilities, without compromising our total commitment to Christ, we will find a new kind freedom. This is the freedom that enables us to be faithful to both sets of responsibilities according to the proper priority. We

will see that commitment to Christ is primary and the circumstances of our lives with the accompanying responsibilities set the parameters within which we live out our commitment. It is not in opposition with these responsibilities or despite them, but by means of or through them that we live out our discipleship.

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As Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem (and the cross that awaited him there), he warned his followers about the hardships of walking in his footsteps. A commitment to accompany Jesus on his journey meant rejection, insecurity and danger.



**Please pray for:-** Lauren Horton, Frank Shugg, Margaret Mikkelsen, Erwin Feeken, Maureen Boss, Sheather family, Doris and Roger Cutbill, Diana Robertson, Luke Alam, Bob Angel, Patrick Elwood, Peter Gagliardi, Annie Nikolaou, Jack Sealey, Magdalen Sillis, Stewart Briggs, Ed Cory, Cassandra Mallia, Russell Taylor, David & Mary-Anne Webster, Bob Yates, Ann Reardon, Mary Coombe, Ian Buckley's daughter Marie, Loyola Smith & Karen & Glen Toscan.

**Recently Deceased:** Maurice Lindsay

**Anniversaries:-** Colin Daniel, Jane Edmundson, Lesley Bayley, Ernest Pritchard, Mary Campbell, Fergus Delany, John Sheehan & John Finlay.

### Church Cleaning Thanks!

June — Penny Ford &

Julie-Ann Snudden

Mary-Anne & John Curran for every Wednesday!



### Plaques for Memorial Wall

We are now taking orders for plaques for the memorial wall.

Please contact the office for more details.

The above format will be the one used.



### Liturgical Roster

**Sunday : 26th June 2022 8:30 am**

**Minister of the Altar: David Bishop**

**R1; R2: Julie-Ann Snudden & Brigitta van Deas**

**Offertory: Rene Mallia & Tess Montesin**

**Welcomer: Julie-Ann Snudden**

**Sunday : 3rd July 2022 8:30 am**

**Minister of the Altar: Chris Murdock**

**R1; R2: Mary-Anne Curran & Pauline Segeri**

**Offertory: Helen Jewell & Jenny Amey**

**Welcomer:**

## News from the Archdiocese and beyond

### New St Christopher Statue

A 3.2 metre bronze statue of St Christopher has been installed in the courtyard of St Christopher's Cathedral in Manuka. Placed between St Christopher's Catholic Cathedral and Canberra Avenue, the long-awaited sculpture was commissioned by the Archdiocese in 2018, making it one of the few public religious art pieces in Canberra.

St. Christopher is one of the most popular saints, and his intercession is petitioned by travellers, soldiers, sailors, those caught in storms, and transportation workers. He no longer has a universally celebrated feast day in the Roman Calendar but is remembered by many local churches.

## *Dates for your Diary*

**Wednesday Mass & Cuppa** - 9am Mass then join us as we share afterward at local café.

*A warm welcome to  
Sunny Winston Johansen and his  
parents  
Penny & Christopher.*

*Sunny was baptised  
here on Saturday.*



### For direct credit payments to the Parish:

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### Bank Account for Fr. Mick's Timor L'Este project

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*The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make His face shine upon you, and be gracious to you;  
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace. Numbers 6:24-26*

**Fridays @ St Mary's**—Rosary & Reflection 9am

**Tuesday 28th June, 5.30PM**—Registration session for the Sacraments in the Hall.

### Joan Chittister in Conversation with John Warhurst

Join via ZOOM for an evening with Joan Chittister & John Warhurst as they explore issues crucial to Church renewal ahead of the second assembly of the Plenary Council.

Joan & John will focus discussions on those individual responsibilities we each have in renewing the Church; uncovering the spirituality required to make 'synodality' a success; and the role of women in the Church.

This is an ideal opportunity for those who were unable to attend Joan's in-person events around Australia in recent weeks. It's also another opportunity for those who experienced Joan's prophetic vision for our Church to again be inspired before she leaves Australian shores.

Sr Joan Chittister osb, an American Benedictine, and a Practical Theologian that embodies the voice of wisdom and experience.

Emeritus Professor John Warhurst, Chair of Concerned Catholics Canberra Goulburn. John is a Plenary Council Member.

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