

**Entrance Antiphon** I have risen, and I am with you still, alleluia.  
 You have laid your hand upon me, alleluia.  
 Too wonderful for me this knowledge, alleluia, alleluia.

**Responsorial Psalm** This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad.

**Gospel Acclamation** Alleluia, alleluia!  
 Christ has become our paschal sacrifice;  
 Let us feast with joy in the Lord. Alleluia

**Communion Antiphon** Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, alleluia;  
 therefore let us keep the feast with the unleavened bread  
 of purity and truth, alleluia, alleluia



**Easter - Year C** **10th April 2022**

# St. Patrick's Parish

*St. Patrick's, Bega - St. Columba's, Bemboka - St. Joseph's Candelo  
 Star of the Sea, Tathra.*

Fr. Luke Verrell. Parish Priest.  
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 Hrs 9-3 Tuesday & Thursday *Bulletin Deadline: Thurs 10:30am*  
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**ROSTERS - 23rd/24th 2022**  
 Please arrange a swap if you are not available

**Bemboka Sat 6pm**  
*Commentator* G Green  
*Readers* R&H Allen  
*Gifts*  
*Cleaners*

**Candelo Sun 9:30am**  
*Commentator* R Heffernan  
*Readers* K Dodds  
*Gifts*  
*Cleaners - April* Sharon & Michael Heffernan

**Tathra Sun 7:45am**  
*Commentator* Marie Oakley  
*Readers* Michael Hergenhan  
*Gifts*  
*Cleaners* E Reckord, J Battista  
*Audio-Visual* Paul Gardiner  
*Eucharistic Ministers* Mark Oakley, Trish Sly

**Bega Sun 9:30am**  
*Commentator* R Heffernan  
*Readers* Maureen Scott  
*Gifts*  
*Music* Matt Heffernan  
*Acolyte* Frank Farrell  
*Eucharistic Ministers* A Tarlinton, C Tarlinton  
 B Burton, E Caragher

**Wise Words:**  
 Our Lord has written the promise of resurrection, not in books alone but in every leaf of springtime.  
 - Martin Luther



**Sacrament of Penance/Reconciliation**  
*Bega* Saturday, 9.40 - 10am  
*Bemboka* before vigil Mass  
*Candelo* before vigil Mass  
*Tathra* before Sunday Mass

**St. Pat's Choir** practices Thurs 5.15—6pm  
 Contacts Mary 64921850 or Matt 0429 338 348.

**Meditation & Contemplative Prayer**  
 Meeting is held on Monday at 7.30pm in the annex of Star of the Sea Church at Tathra.

**Sunday Readings Reflection Group**  
 Tuesday at 7pm Star of the Sea Tathra.  
 All Welcome.

**ROSARY**

*Tathra* - 7:20am before Sunday Mass  
*Bega* - 9am before Sunday Mass  
**all are welcome.**



**MENS' GROUP:** 2nd & 4th Thursdays  
 St Patrick's Church.  
 Contact David Grainger: 0409 430 997

**St Patrick's Sacramental programme 2022**

*Baptisms*—During Mass, 1 month notice  
*Reconciliation*—TBA  
*First Communion* - 14th September-TBC  
*Weddings*—by appoint, 6 months notice req.

**For Sale:** Bibles - \$16; Sunday Missal - \$32; Children's Mass Book - \$10. Contact the office or place your order in a marked envelope in the 2nd collection. **Bulletin & Forms** can be found on the website

ALLELUIA

**HUMANITY**  
**Archbishop's Easter Message**





It recent years it seems that our annual celebration of Easter accompanies some societal calamity.

There has been bushfires, then the covid pandemic, and now the Russian-Ukraine conflict.

This current war is particularly disturbing because it arises not from nature or health issues but from a violence within the heart of our shared humanity.

War is the very opposite to the peace and joy of Easter. It is a defeat for humanity. It seems that the new humanity made present in the Easter Jesus has been cast aside. Offered light eternal, war opts for living in darkness.

At Easter a totally different humanity is announced. Embracing Easter humanity in the Risen Jesus is clearly an unending task for every age, especially our present time.

Ukrainian refugees are beginning to arrive in the Archdiocese. Many more will follow. I have assured Fr Kalinecki, Ukrainian Catholic priest of Canberra, that our Archdiocese stands ready to provide whatever practical assistance deemed appropriate for these traumatised families.

Easter humanity in Christ Crucified and Risen is not a sentimental religious pious thought. It is the very essence of our Christian humanity – mind, heart and deeds.

Happy Easter!

*Archbishop Christopher Prowse - Easter 2022*

**STAY COVID-19 SAFE - LATEST PROTOCOLS FOR MASS**

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| ✎ Masks are no longer Compulsory                             | ✎ Check-in terminated.         |
| ✎ Social Distancing no longer required                       | ✎ Sanitise hands recommended   |
| ✎ Choirs & Singing allowed                                   | ✎ Holy water fonts can be used |
| ✎ Holy Communion: Sacred Host only; in hand or on the tongue |                                |

**Your Invited:** Easter Sunday, Morning Tea after mass in Bemboka - Everyone Welcome. Please bring a plate.

**Changes to Giving.** ☩ The Sunday collections from the congregation during mass has resumed. The collection box will still be available in Bega. PG envelopes are available at the entrance.

☩ *TapNGo* device will still be available at all masses. It is set to \$10 - \$3 to the 1st collection & \$7 to the 2nd. You can tap more than once with a pause between taps.

☩ *Electronic Giving.* If you prefer an automatic withdrawal from your account or credit card, please see the forms at the Church entrance. Direct Debit available weekly, fortnightly, monthly, quarterly or annually to both collections, a separate form is required for each. Credit card available monthly, quarterly or annually to both collections, one form required. Forms can be returned in the second collection in an envelope marked - Attn: secretary. Please call the office for more information.

**Maintenance Issues:** With the current weather situation, some maintenance issues have arisen. Until Fr Adrian joins us all maintenance issues need to come through the parish office. Supply priests are not able to approve parish spending. Please put the issue in writing and email to [bega@cg.org.au](mailto:bega@cg.org.au) Smaller issues are able to be dealt directly with the maintenance representative in each community, larger issues need to go through the Parish Priest and finance committee. Thanks

**School Holiday Office Hours:** The parish office will be open normal hours during Holy Week. The office will be closed 19th and 21st. Reopen 26th.

**Recovering the 'True Church':** Challenges for Australian Catholicism beyond the Plenary Council. This book by Paul Collins is to be launched at the Parish Centre, Holy Trinity Church, 5 Strangways St, Curtin on Thursday 21 April at 7.30pm. Refreshments will be provided.

**The ACU Centre for Liturgy** is offering a new online training program for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, supported by the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference. Classes start April 27. For further information see our website <http://www.acu.edu.au/centreforliturgy/pastoral-training> or contact the Centre on (02)9701 4751 or [CentreforLiturgy@acu.edu.au](mailto:CentreforLiturgy@acu.edu.au).

#### Sunday Mass Times

- Bemboka - Saturdays - 6pm Vigil
- Candelo - Saturdays - 6pm Vigil 1st, 3rd, 5th  
- Sundays - 9:30am liturgy 2nd, 4th
- Tathra - Sundays - 7.45am Mass
- Bega - Sundays - 9.30am Mass

#### Weekdays

- Tuesday 5.30pm Bega Church
- Wednesday 9.00am Tathra.
- Thursday 9.15am Bega Church
- *Hillgrove House 3rd Thursday 11am*
- Friday 9.15am Bega Church  
4:30-5:30pm Bega 'Holy Hour of Mercy'
- Saturday 9.15am Bega Church

**RECENTLY DECEASED** Gwen Ryan, Matthew Thompson, Kim Aldridge, Gordon Buddle, Shirley Fletcher, Jeff Harris, Lorna Ringland

**ANNIVERSARIES** Irene Adams, John Finucane, Denise Mary Mulligan, Denis Kelly

**PRAYERS** Anne Smith & her children Henry & Malory (Sue Gardiner's Daughter).  
Jenny Ryan and June O'Farrell - Ill health.  
Stephen Goward - Cancer  
Hugo D'Arcy(3mth) - in hospital in Sydney

#### Feasts

**21<sup>st</sup> - St Anselm**, Bishop & Doctor of the Church, 1033-1109. Remembered for his theological learning and writings and for organising Church life in England.

**23<sup>rd</sup> - St George**, Martyr, 3rd century. During the crusades, George was seen to personify the ideals of Christian chivalry, and he was adopted as patron of several city-states and countries.

**23<sup>rd</sup> - St Adalbert**, Bishop & Martyr, 956-997. Remembered for his prayerfulness, his concern for the poor, and his courage in the face of opposition.

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**"How blessed is this day, when earth and heaven are joined and humankind is reconciled to God!"**

