

# ST PATRICK'S PARISH FAMILY THREE PARISHES TOGETHER

Daylight Saving changes\*

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**St Patrick's Cooma Mass Times**

Mass Sunday's at 10am & 5pm

**Cooma Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Sunday 4:00 – 4:30pm

**Weekday Mass**

\*Tue 5pm Mass Adoration 4.30pm

Wed Mass 10am

Thu 10am & Friday 10am

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Mass 3rd Sunday= \*6pm Vigil Sat

Mass 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 8am

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday 9am

**Nimmitabel**

Mass 1<sup>st</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 10am

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday- \*6pm Sat Vigil

2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sun- LITURGY Sat 6pm

**Numeralla**

Mass 2<sup>nd</sup> 5.30pm

LITURGY 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 5.30pm

**Berridale**

Mass 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday \*6pm Sat Vigil

Mass 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday 10am

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday

**Jindabyne**

1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sat Vigil \*6pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 10am Mass

## Rosters- Ministry

### **Usher**

Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10am	Mary Tozer
	5pm	Terri Rick
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Kathleen Bashford
	5pm	Mary Bennett

### **Reader/ Commentator**

Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10am	Mike Introna Tony Goodwin
	5pm	Mary Bennett Elaine Mooney
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Marco Revelant Mike Introna
	5pm	Anne Newman Pam Ferguson

### **Mass Servers -any volunteers welcome**

Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Natalia & Amelia Zieja
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### **Children's Liturgy 10am**

23 <sup>rd</sup> May	Carol Byrne
30 <sup>th</sup> May	Joan Simpson

### **Altar Linen**

May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Jolanta Zieja
May 30 <sup>th</sup>	Meredith Coe

**Flowers:** Meredith /Claire / Maria, thank you

### **Next Week's Readings**

#### **The Most Holy Trinity / B**

1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	Deuteronomy 4: 32-34, 39-40
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading	Romans 8: 14-17
Gospel-	Matthew 28: 16-20

### **Acolyte**

Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10am	Andrea Bosco
	5pm	Darren Steinke
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Eva Tangye
	5pm	Darren Steinke

### **Special Ministers-suspended Chalice- 1 minister**

Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	10am	Susan Tighe
	5pm	Jan Payne
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	10am	Sue McPhie
	5pm	Mary Bennett

### **Cleaning NEW VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED PLEASE**

May 29 <sup>th</sup>	volunteer required please
Jun 5 <sup>th</sup>	Carol Byrne & Julie Upton

### **Hospital**

Sun 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Jo-Anne Brown
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	Joan Simpson

**Please assist Corona virus protocols as you sign in to our Church, welcome and thank you.**



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Thank you to everyone who have considered this new cashless giving & reducing the cash handling exposure for volunteer counters.

## ***Please Pray For:***

### ***Our Recently Deceased:***

Jill Rolfe (in Sydney) sister of Robyn Fletcher,  
Bro. Paul Gallagher FMS, brother of Josephine  
Mondolo, Ray Bottom, Lino Tonizzo.

### ***Anniversaries & Special Intentions:***

***“We have loved them in life, let us not forget them  
in death”***

Robert Ferguson

### ***Prayers for our Sick: “May they be comforted through the Spirit of healing”***

Ken Jones, Mark Williams, Margaret Hassall,  
June Kennedy Alice Johnson, George Dykes,  
Mary Hanna, Robyn Ward, Keith Lynch,  
Angela Blyton, Marie McCulloch, Jara Gregor,  
Pavla Munclinger, Maree Dunne, Laurina,  
Clare Nowland, Pauline Taffa.

## **Cooma Parish Lunch Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May**

Next Sunday our Parish Shared Lunch will resume  
after the 10:00am Mass. Bring along something to  
share and enjoy good food and good friendship.

## **Cooma Morning Tea after 10:00am Mass**

We now have three groups of people who have  
volunteered to set up. We need **one more**  
person/group to finalise the roster.  
Please see Fr Mick if you can assist. Thank you.

## **Pope Francis – May, Month of Prayer for an end to the pandemic**

### ***Daily Prayer***

*Loving God, we intercede with you for our  
world, so badly affected by the Coronavirus.  
We beg you to end this pandemic. We pray for  
good leadership in all the nations of the world  
that the best possible means of ending the  
pandemic will be taken, we pray for doctors,  
nurses and other medical staffs, that they will  
have the support necessary to treat the victims  
of the pandemic and we pray that all people  
throughout the world will have access to a  
vaccine. We ask this prayer through Jesus the  
healer of humanity. Amen.*

## **Archdiocesan Good Shepherd Appeal**

Thank you for your generosity for tuition and living  
expenses of men for the priesthood.  
Parish donations have given a total of \$777.00 for  
this annual appeal, thank you.

## **Pope Francis on Prayer – Distractions and dryness**

Dear Brothers and Sisters: In our continuing  
catechesis on Christian prayer, we now consider  
some common difficulties we encounter in our  
practice of prayer. The first is *distraction*. Prayer,  
like study and work, demands concentration and  
mental discipline. This calls for our cultivation of  
the virtue of vigilance, by which we focus our lives  
on doing the Lord’s will daily in expectation of his  
return. A second difficulty is the experience  
of *spiritual aridity*, moments of dryness when our  
hearts – as the Catechism teaches – have “no taste  
for thoughts, memories, and feelings, even spiritual  
ones” (No. 2731). The spiritual masters  
acknowledge that the life of faith involves times of  
consolation but also of desolation, when we share in  
the Lord’s sufferings. A third difficulty is *acedia* or  
sloth, a form of spiritual fatigue that leads to the  
deadly temptation to abandon prayer altogether.  
The saints faced these same difficulties in their  
prayer and they teach us that true progress in the  
spiritual life comes about through daily  
perseverance, like that of Job who remained  
constant even amid his many afflictions.  
Distractions are not guilty, but they must be fought.  
In the heritage of our faith there is a virtue that is  
often forgotten, but which is so present in the  
Gospel. It is called “*vigilance*”. And Jesus said,  
“Keep vigil. Pray”. Jesus often calls the disciples to  
the duty of a sober life, guided by the thought that  
sooner or later He will return, like a bridegroom  
from a wedding or a master from a journey. Blessed  
will be those servants whom He will find  
industrious, still focused on what really matters.  
They did not stray in pursuit of every attraction that  
came before their minds, but tried to walk the right  
path, doing good and performing their own task.  
. As we strive to grow in our own life of prayer let  
us ask for the grace of perseverance, confident that  
our loving Father will grant us, through the Son and  
in the Spirit, all that we need to draw us ever closer  
to him.

### **Assistants for Scripture : ( ½ hour)**

We are still in need of assistants (non-teaching) for  
the Scripture in Gov’t Schools. Lessons are 2pm-  
2:30pm Tuesdays and Thursdays of school terms.  
Please see Fr Mick if you would like to be involved.

### **Bible Study**

It’s not too late to join the group, either 2-3pm or  
7:15pm-8:30pm Mondays. We are studying John’s  
Gospel and all materials are provided.