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# ST PATRICK'S PARISH FAMILY

### THREE PARISHES TOGETHER



Daylight Saving changes\*

St Patrick's Cooma Mass Times

Mass Sunday's at 10am & 5pm

**Cooma Sacrament of Reconciliation** Sunday 4:00 – 4:30pm

Weekday

\*Tue 5pm Mass Adoration 4.30pm

Wed Mass 10am

Thu 10am & Friday 10am

Adaminaby

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

Mass1<sup>st & 5th</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 4th 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

 $1^{st}$   $3^{rd}$   $4^{th}$  &  $5^{th}$  Sat Vigil \*6pm  $2^{nd}$  Sunday 10am Mass

# Rosters- Ministry

Usher

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Pauline Radosavljevic

5pm Mary Bennett

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Kathleen Bashford

5pm Ron JaaJaa

Reader/ Commentator

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Yvonne Smith Mike Introna

5pm Fran Robertson Anne Newman

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Kevin Dunne Suja Bosco 5pm Anne Newman Mary Bennett

Mass Servers -any volunteers welcome

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Natalia & Amelia Zieja

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Bosco family

Children's Liturgy 10am

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Suja Bosco Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Joan Simpson

Altar Linen

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Jolanta Zieja Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Meredith Coe

**Morning Tea** 

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Teenage Youth Group Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Mary-Anne Fraser **Flowers:** Meredith Coe

Next Week's Readings

Third Sunday of Advent /C

1st Reading Zephaniah 3: 14-18 2nd Reading Philippians 4:4-7 Gospel - Luke 3: 10-18 Acolyte

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Andrea Bosco 5pm Richard Cmunt

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Eva Tangye 5pm Richard Cmunt

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

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> 10am Don Bosco Freddy 5pm Kate Grimstad Sun 12<sup>th</sup> 10am Joan Simpson 5pm Darren Steinke

Cleaning NEW VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED PLEASE

Dec 11<sup>th</sup> Carol Byrne Julie Upton Dec 18<sup>th</sup> Jo-Anne Brown Jan Kelly

Gaie Mooney

Hospital

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Jan McLean Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Kathleen Bashford

## Covid Pandemic.

- Masks -Social Distance 2sq meter rule

- Sign-in -Wipe down seats after each Mass

Please take Bulletin home.

Please Consider Parish Giving Tap n Go Eftpos - \$10 / tap

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

# Please Pray For Our Recently Deceased:

Robyn Ward, mother of Joanne, Michael, Robert, Carolyn, Daniel, Beth (dec), Peter, David, Patricia, Timothy;

Carl Power; Josie O'Bryan, mother of Janine and Michele; Patricia Bradford;

Tom Tadtman (USA) cousin to Marg Hassall,

Anniversaries & Special Intentions: "We have loved them in life, let us not forget them in death"

Danny Nassar, Sally Reed, Kay Dennis.

Prayers for our Sick: "May they be comforted through the Spirit of healing"

Mary Clark, Jocelyn Santos N.Z. Belinda Mercer, Terri Edwards, Margie Hassall.

## St Vincent de Paul – Christmas Appeal

Please take an envelope home and over the next two weeks consider what you may be able to give for the Appeal on 4<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> December.

**Synod on Synodality** – responses needed It is time to complete the first consultation paper and hand in your observations and comments. Please place them in the box provided. Volunteers are needed to collate the responses.

#### **ADVENT Reflection**

Using MORE, we go into the second week and look deeply at the ministry of Jesus. "Jesus Christ is "God on one knee." We see in him the lengths that God is prepared to go to, to bring us to himself." As we progress towards Christmas, let us take a few moments each day to ponder the great mystery of Jesus becoming one with us. We have the image of the babe in our cribs to look at and wonder on the great plan of God to give the human family an example of how we too can call God 'Father' and follow in Jesus' footsteps to make our lives a gift of God's love to others.

#### **End of Year Thank You**

This week we thank all those who care for our churches, all across the Snowy Monaro. Cleaning the churches is generally not seen by parishioners, flowers just appear, cloths get washed and are always 'just so'. It takes a generous and committed group of people to do these tasks, so it is fitting that all of us acknowledge those who care for our churches in these ways. You are appreciated and our churches are always ready to welcome us and visitors as we come to worship God.

Thank you and may God bless you always.

#### **Cooma Parish Finance Committee**

The Committee met last Tuesday. Items discussed were

- Earthworks behind church to divert water away from presbytery to minimise termite infestation.
- Tap N' Go contribution raised to \$15 The



tap machine will see a new tap donation set to \$15/ tap from 12<sup>th</sup> December.

This will see the amount of \$10.50 to the 2<sup>nd</sup> collection and \$4.50 to the 1<sup>st</sup> collection (30%).

The Committee felt that the contribution to the Priests' was a fairer amount than previously, the Parish would also be receiving increase recognising the needs of the Parish.

The Committee expressed its thanks to all our contributors – envelopes, Tap N' Go and loose monies.

- Financial Reports were tabled and discussed. New Budget to be prepared 2022.
   A Report to Parishioners is being prepared.
- Priest's require a New oven for Presbytery
- Repairs and painting of timber work at front of Presbytery. Quotes being sought.
- It was discussed to pursue the development of land below presbytery for building of residential units. The Committee are seeking interest from parishioners for anyone interested in joining a sub-committee to assist with development feasibility. Everyone will be welcomed.

Please advise your interest please with Fr Mick Bernie Sullivan or Sharon at the Parish Office.

# **Snowy Monaro Christmas Masses**

Adaminaby 5pm Christmas Eve Delegate 5pm Christmas Eve Thredbo 5pm Christmas Eve Cooma 6:30pm Christmas Eve Bombala 6:30pm Christmas Eve Jindabyne 7pm Christmas

Numeralla 9am Christmas Day Cooma 9am Christmas Day Berridale 9am Christmas Day

Fr Bernie Patterson is joining us for Christmas Masses. He will celebrate the Cooma and Adaminaby Masses.

