



St Patrick's Parish Gundagai

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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A – 23 July 2023

<p>Tumut Mission Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, Talbingo, Adjungbilly, Gobarralong</p> <p>Fr Joseph Neonbasu Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au</p> <p>Tumut Mission Secretary – Sue Hall Tumut Office Hours – Tue and Thu 9-2pm Email: gundagai@cg.org.au Ph. 6947 4599 Parish web page: cg.org.au/Gundagai Facebook: St Patrick's Parish Gundagai</p>	<p>Gundagai Mass Times</p> <p>Tuesday Rosary 10.30am Liturgy 11am</p> <p>Wednesday Liturgy 12noon</p> <p>Thursday Liturgy 12noon</p> <p>Friday Exposition 11am Liturgy 12noon</p> <p>Last Friday of the Month Uralba - Mass</p> <p>Saturday Confession 4.00pm Mass 5pm</p>	<p>Country Mass Times</p> <p>Batlow 8am Confession 8.30am 2nd Sunday 5pm 4th Sunday</p> <p>Adelong 8am Confession 8.30am 1st/3rd Sunday</p> <p>Talbingo 8.30am 5th Sunday</p> <p>Tumut 10am Sunday</p>
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Roster	22 July	29 July
Acolyte	Peter Reardon	Bill Barton
Reader	Anne Saunderson	Peter O Reardon
Offertory	Carmel Reardon & Monica Reardon	Anne & Jim Saunderson
Sanctuary	Helen Turner, Betty Sommerville, Kathy Reardon	Colleen Jones & Monica Reardon
Home Comm	Kathy Reardon, Peter Gain, Mary McCormick	Marie Nelson & Monica Reardon
Altar Servers	Tessa Crowe & Oliver Crowe	Taite Johnson & Riley Smith
Counting	Peter & Cal Reardon	Bill Barton & Max Horton
St. Vinnies	Tickner	Lindley

Prayer Requests

<p>Recently Deceased David Wood</p> 	<p>Mass Offering Sam Jones Peter JP Reardon</p> 	<p>The Sick Don Smith, Sam Jones Sister Anne Maree Margaret Carberry Emma McDonnell Maria Crowe, Anne Masters Ailsa Patterson</p> 	<p>Anniversaries Desmond and Moira Meagher, Jane Power, Mark Jones, Alison Roche, Brian Booby, Vincent, Veronica Carberry, Joseph Carberry, Cecil Coulton, Millie Moses, Peter Reardon, Bert Cassidy</p>
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<p>Parish Pastoral Council Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight, Kate Howe, Sarah Graham, Chris Baron, Verity Whittaker, Pete Reardon (Ex Officio), Fr Joseph Neonbasu</p>	<p>Banking / Planned Giving St Patricks Parish Gundagai BSB 062 786 AC 14943</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Plate Collection \$686.25</p>
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<p>Sacraments Confession - 4.00pm Saturday (Gundagai) Marriage - By appointment Baptism - During Friday or Saturday Mass Wedding and Baptism forms on Parish Website, call or email to book To arrange a Pastoral care visit please contact the office</p>	<p>Confirmation Lesson 1 – 29 July 4.45pm Lesson 2 – 1 Aug 3.30pm Lesson 3 – 8 Aug 3.30pm Lesson 4 – 12 Aug 4.45pm Lesson 5 – 15 Aug 3.30pm Lesson 6 – 16 Aug 9.15am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Confirmation 19th August 5pm</p>	<p>First Holy Communion Lesson 1 – 24 Oct 3.30pm Lesson 2 – 28 Oct 4.45pm Lesson 3 – 31 Oct 3.30pm Lesson 4 – 4 Nov 4.45pm Lesson 5 – 7 Nov 3.30pm Lesson 6 – 8 Nov 9.15am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">First Holy Communion 11th November 6pm</p>
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Prayer for the Parish Mission

*O Most Holy Virgin, immaculate in body and spirit,
look kindly on us as we implore your powerful
intercession. O Most Holy Mother,
receive our prayers as we present them to God.
O Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother,
you intercede for us with your Son.
O Mary conceived without sin,
pray for us who have recourse to thee.*

Visiting Priest

We would like to welcome Fr Renoir Oliver, who will be here each weekend for the next 4 weeks. Please make him feel welcome.



Let us Pray for Sam Jones and his family

If you would like to join in the Saint Mother Teresa Novena for Sam Jones, there is more information at the back of the Church. A Novena is made up of nine days of prayer and meditation usually to ask God for special prayer requests.



Baptism



Last Saturday, 15 July, we welcomed to the community of the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism Caitlin and Bradley Smith's beautiful daughter Chelsea Sarah Smith. Lord, we thank you for the gift of the life of this child who has been baptised. May your blessing of Peace and Joy be with her and protect her all of her days. We make this prayer in your name. Amen

From Year of Walking Together to YEAR OF THE HOLY SPIRIT



We are coming towards the end of "The Year of Walking Together" – we can still carry the principles of walking together and working together for the good of our Church community and the community as a whole. On the 8th August we will start "The Year of the Holy Spirit". The aim of this is to focus on the work of the Holy Spirit in us.



Acts 15:28a "It seemed good to us and the Holy Spirit"

Year of the Holy Spirit
AUGUST 2023 - AUGUST 2024

God's Word 2024 - Last week – Orders will be placed on Tuesday



We are putting an order in for copies of God's Word Daily Reflections 2024. The RRP is \$21.95 and we can purchase them in July only for \$14.00. If you would like a copy, please add your name to the sheet in the Church foyer area. Thank you.

A Message from Pope Francis for the Third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

Dear brothers and sisters! *"His mercy is from age to age"* Luke 1:50. This is the theme of the Third World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, and it takes us back to the joyful meeting between the young Mary and her elderly relative Elizabeth in Luke 1:39-56. Filled with the Holy Spirit, Elizabeth addressed the Mother of God with words that, millennia later, continue to echo in our daily prayer: *"Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb"* verse 42. The Holy Spirit, who had earlier descended upon Mary, prompted her to respond with the *Magnificat*, in which she proclaimed that the Lord's mercy is from generation to generation. That same Spirit blesses and accompanies every fruitful encounter between different generations: between grandparents and grandchildren, between young and old. God wants young people to **bring joy to the hearts of the elderly**, as Mary did to Elizabeth, **and gain wisdom from their experiences**. Yet, above all, the Lord wants us not to abandon the elderly or to push them to the margins of life, as tragically happens all too often in our time.

Planned Giving Planned Giving Envelopes

When you need more envelopes please contact Sue in the office on: 6947 4599.

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