

**St Patrick's Parish Gundagai**  
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**18<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2017 – 33<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A**

**MASS TIMETABLE**

Saturday 6:00pm Mass  
 Sunday **NO MASS**  
 Monday **NO MASS**  
 Tuesday 5:45pm  
 Wednesday 8:00am Liturgy  
 Thursday 5:45pm Liturgy  
 Friday 5:45pm Liturgy

**Mass at Uralba last  
 Saturday of the month 11am  
 Weekend Mass  
 Saturday 6pm Vigil**  
 Tumut Sat. Vigil Mass 6pm  
 Tumut Sun. Mass 10am  
 Jugiong Sun. 26 Nov. 9am

**CONFESSION**  
 Sat. 5.00pm - 5.30pm. Or any  
 time by request  
**BAPTISMS**  
 Saturday 6.00pm during Vigil  
 Mass **or 11am 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday  
 of each month.** Contact  
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 Meg Lloyd 0439454251

	18 NOV 2017	19 NOV 2017	25 NOV 2017	26 NOV 2017
<b>Acolytes Readers</b>	Peter Reardon Ann Metcalfe	<b>NO MASS</b>	Bill Barton Peter O Reardon	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Offertory</b>	Monica & Carmel Reardon		Bernadette & Bob Clarke	
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Harriett Kingwill Jack Kingwill		Flynn Garraway Sebastian Garraway	
<b>Sanctuary St V de Paul</b>	Colleen Jones & Monica Reardon Helen & Gordon Lindley		Maureen Barrington & Marie Nelson Craig Ferguson & Peter F Reardon	
Home Communion 19 NOVEMBER	Jill Jones	Helen Turner	Liz Maher	
Home Communion 26 NOVEMBER	Kathy Reardon	Betty Somerville	Mary McCormick	

**Prayers for the eternal repose of the souls of: Recently deceased** – Ann Sullivan (nee Henery), John Swinney, Sr. Elizabeth Couch, Sr. Annette Joan Johnston, Fr. John Airey (CSsR), Bill Carberry, June Hindmarsh, Jeffrey Coggan, Cederic Walsh, Johnny Lee Foster, Mona Jonas, Greg Paton, Robert King, Beryl Lewin, Luke Dowell, Fr. Mayne, Stan Smart, Lisa Anderson, Pat Worsnop, Kevin Heydon, Sam Hardwick, Kevin Deep, Fran Piper.  
**Anniversaries** - We remember all who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time. Rod Lott, Ann Booby.  
**Mass offering & prayers have also been requested for the following** – Deceased members of the Lott, Hogan & Booby families, Mary Lott.  
**Prayers for the sick** – Jenny Lindley, Shirley Brooke, Carmel Carberry, Sandy Mellis, Mary Fitzpatrick, Mary Scholtens, Paula Maloney (Reardon), Bruce Graham, Ben Lott, Jack Turner, Marie Shooks, Louise Cook, Peter Carberry, Keith Tozer, Louise Kilby.

**TUESDAY MASS AND ADORATION**  
 Mass on **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November at 5:45pm**  
 followed by adoration of the Blessed  
 Sacrament.

**JUGIONG ART EXHIBITION**  
 Cocktail Party **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November**  
 7:00pm-10:00pm \$40.00pp (bookings  
 essential)  
 Art Exhibition **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November** and  
**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November** 10:00am--4:00pm.  
 Entry \$5.00, children free  
 Feature Artist – Catherine Stewart  
 Artist workshops include – Soapstone, Wire,  
 Charcoal drawings. Bookings via website.  
 Tea, coffee and light refreshments available  
 Proceeds go towards the maintenance of  
 the historic St. John the Evangelist Church,  
 Jugiong.  
[www.jugiongartechibition.com](http://www.jugiongartechibition.com)  
 Contact Paula Butt 0413137601.

**CATECHIST NEEDED**  
 Due to the retirement of our wonderful  
 volunteer, Margaret Rafferty, we have a  
 position available to teach Scripture at one of  
 our state primary schools.  
 This involves 30 minutes per week, you are  
 trained, supported and join a great team of  
 220 across our Archdiocese.  
 If you are interested contact Fr. Sijo or  
[matt.ransom@cg.org.au](mailto:matt.ransom@cg.org.au)  
 We thank Margaret for her many years of  
 dedicated service to teaching children at our  
 state primary schools.  
 A wonderful job!  
 May God's blessing always be with you.

**THE THINGS WE DO**  
 Why the different colours?  
 You may notice over the Church year  
 changes in the colours of the vestments of  
 the priest and the altar. This is nothing to do  
 with the whims of fashion! Different colours  
 are used to symbolise the truths and  
 sentiments expressed by the various liturgical  
 celebrations. Purple (symbolising penance) is  
 used for Advent and Lent: red (warmth and  
 blood) for Pentecost and for feasts  
 commemorating the sufferings of Christ and  
 the martyrs: white ( joy, purity, innocence,  
 glory) for celebrations such as Christmas and  
 Easter, weddings, baptisms and funerals:  
 green (life) for Sunday in Ordinary Time.

**NOVEMBER MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**  
 Your special intentions for all the faithful departed  
 will be offered during all Masses in November.  
 Names will be placed in the book of remembrance  
 and brought forward at the offertory procession.

**ROSARY**  
 Rosary will be said in the Church on **Tuesday  
 21<sup>st</sup> November at 10:30am** to pray for vocations  
 and world peace.  
 Divine Mercy Chaplet of Saint Faustina will be  
 said in the Church on Fridays at 6:00pm, bring  
 your rosary beads.

**PRAYER FOR RAIN**  
 Almighty and Eternal Father bestow the blessing  
 of rain upon our parched land.  
 Let your heavenly dew come down upon our  
 farms and stock and our native life.  
 Give courage, strength and hope to all farmers,  
 graziers their families and our country  
 townspeople.  
 We make this prayer through Christ our Lord.  
 Amen.

**INTERNATIONAL NATIVITIES EXPO  
 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**  
 This exhibition of 350 Nativities is an entrée to  
 family discussion on the true meaning of  
 Christmas they present the diverse cultures that  
 embrace the Christian story, from the Palestinian  
 Territories to Vietnam and China. Hands-on craft  
 activities for children, as well as nativity jigsaws,  
 puppets and books.  
 Venue: Catholic Pastoral Centre, 55 Franklin St.  
 Manuka (behind St. Christopher's Cathedral).  
 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2:00pm-7:00pm  
 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 10:00am-5:00pm  
 Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December 9:00am-7:00pm.  
 Contact Keith Linard on 0412 376 317 or  
[linard.keith@gmail.com](mailto:linard.keith@gmail.com)

**BANKING DETAILS ST. PATRICK'S PARISH**  
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**PARISH WEB SITES**  
[st.patricksgundagai.com.au](http://st.patricksgundagai.com.au) and  
[cg.org.au/gundagai](http://cg.org.au/gundagai)

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