

St Patrick's Parish Gundagai
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11th August 2018 – 19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B

MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday 6:00pm
 Sunday **NO MASS**
 Monday **NO MASS**
 Tuesday 5:45pm
 Wednesday 12noon Mass
 Thursday 12noon Liturgy
 Friday 12:30pm School Liturgy

Mass at Uralba last Saturday of the month at 11.00am

Weekend Vigil Mass Saturday 6pm
 Tumut Sat. Vigil Mass 6:00pm
 Tumut Sun. 10:00am
 Adelong Sunday 10:00am
 Jugiong 12 Aug. 9am

CONFESSION – Sat. 5pm or anytime by request

BAPTISMS – Saturday 6pm during Vigil Mass or 11am 3rd Saturday of each month
 Contact
 Meg Lloyd 0439454251
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	11 AUG 2018	12 AUG 2018	18 AUG 2018	19 AUG 2018
Acolytes Readers	Peter Gain Virginia Mara Bob & Bernie	NO MASS	Chris McDonnell Peter O Reardon Gai Lewin & Mary McCormick	NO MASS
Offertory	Clarke Tom Scott		Abbey Flanagan Molly McDonnell	
Altar Servers	Sarah Scott			
Sanctuary St. Vinnies	Anne Saunderson & Kathy Reardon Peter & Denise Reardon		Bev Mellis & Liz Maher Helen & Gordon Lindley	
Home Communion 12 AUGUST	Marie Nelson	Anne Saunderson	Michael Marffy	
Home Communion 19 AUGUST	Anne Metcalfe	Peter Gain	Monica Reardon	

Prayers for the eternal repose of the souls of: Recently deceased: Lorna Bartinetti Sister Anne Cuzner, Anne Brennan (nee Hunt) Sister Mary Rose (Joan Smyth), Connie Heydon, Mac Young, Tim Joyce, Pat Hannan,.
Anniversaries - We remember all who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time. Veronica & Vincent Carberry, Rose Molloy, Michael Carney, Mark Jones.
Mass offering & prayers have also been requested for the following - Deceased members of the Bartinetti, Carberry, Molloy, Carney, Heydon, & Jones families.

Prayers for the sick – Margaret Robinson, Fr. Warrick Tonkin, Barry Sumpton, Marlene Elliott, Beryl Henery, Gwen Harpley, Marie Mahoney (Qld), Margaret Heydon, Gail Graham, Don Phillips, Jenny Lindley, Ben Lott, Louise Cook, Peter Carberry, Louise Kilby.

PARISH WEB SITE cg.org.au/gundagai	BANKING DETAILS ST. PATRICK'S PARISH BSB 062 786 A/C No. 14943
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MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL – Fr. Sijo, Elizabeth Knight (Chair), Anne Saunderson, Natasha Flanagan, Craig Ferguson, Vincent Powell, Michael Marffy, Monica Reardon.

MEN'S CURSILLO HARTZER PARK 13-16th SEPTEMBER

A Men's Cursillo weekend is to be held at Hartzler Park Conference and Retreat Centre, Burradoo NSW 13 – 16 September 2018. Cursillo offers a unique opportunity to experience Christian living over 3 days. Cursillo is a worldwide movement and Cursillo weekends have been held in our Archdiocese for over 50 years. Many find a Cursillo weekend provides a new direction and an opportunity to explore their relationship with God, their selves and with others. For further information please contact Joe Jambor at irmandjoe@gmail.com or Mob: 0401 159 852

WESTERN WOMEN'S CURSILLO

The Western Women's Cursillo is to be held at St. Clement's, Galong from 16th-19th August, 2018. For further information and an application form please contact Robyn Gain 0407 669 072 or robyngain@gundagai.net If you wish to attend, why not invite a friend to join you.

CHRISTENING

We welcome into God's family Estelle Olivia Lindley who will be baptised on Saturday 18th August. May God's blessing always be with you.

RECONCILIATION FRIDAY 24th AUGUST AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SATURDAY 25th AUGUST

Please keep in your prayers the candidates and their families as they prepare for the sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION WEDNESDAY 15th AUGUST

Mass will be celebrated on **Wednesday 15th August at 12noon.**

PART TIME POSITIONS AT THE AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC BISHOP CONFERENCE

One part time position available as a Research Assistant 22.5 hours a week located in Canberra for details go to www.employmentrelations.catholic.org.au or phone Trudy Dantis 02 6201 9812
 A second position available as a Research Assistant 22.5 hours a week located in Canberra For details go to www.employmentrelations.catholic.org.au or phone Trudy Dantis on 02 6201 90812

SCHOOL LITURGY

School liturgy will be celebrated on **Friday 10th August at 12:30pm** All most welcome to attend.

ROSARY

The Rosary will be said in the Church on **Tuesday 14th August at 10:30am** to pray for world peace and vocations. Divine Mercy Chaplet of St. Faustina will be said in the Church on Thursdays after the 12noon liturgy, bring your rosary beads.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration will be held on **Tuesday 14th August at 5:45pm** following Mass or Liturgy. (Adoration will be for approximately 30minutes).

What did the Saints say about Eucharistic Adoration?

St. Therese of Lisieux – Doctor of the Church and Carmelite Nun:

“Do you realise that Jesus is there in the Blessed Sacrament especially for you, for you alone? He burns with the desire to come into your heart”.

“Frequently, only silence can express my prayer.

However, this Divine Guest of the tabernacle understands all, even the silence of a child's soul filled with gratitude.

When I am before the tabernacle, I can only say one thing to Our Lord: My God, you know that I love you' and I feel my prayer does not tire Jesus.”

ST VINCENT de PAUL WINTER APPEAL

Thank you to all the generous parishioners for their support of the St. Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal. Your donation helps many people in need.

An amount of \$1,250.50 was raised.

A wonderful effort! Thank you!

NEW CATHOLIC VOICE WEBSITE

Take a look at the new Catholic Voice website. Delivering useful, relevant, valuable local, national and international content from a Catholic perspective– all day, every day. **Go to www.catholicvoice.org.au**

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 – LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING

Pope Francis has approved the Australian Bishops' decision to hold a Plenary Council in Australia in 2020 and 2021. It is a significant moment for the Church in Australia to make decisions about the future.

To prepare the agenda for the Plenary Council, all of God's people are invited to reflect on the question: "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"

Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now on line: www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

ANNUAL MASS COUNT

Message from Fr. Tony Percy.
 We have received the numbers from the annual Mass count in May and are delighted to report that numbers have increased by 1,300 **across the Canberra/Goulburn Archdiocese from last year.**

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