

**St Patrick's Parish Gundagai**  
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**27<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2018 – 30<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B**

**MASS TIMETABLE**

Saturday 6:00pm  
 Sunday **NO MASS**  
 Monday **NO MASS**  
 Tuesday 5:45pm  
 Wednesday 12noon Liturgy  
 Thursday 9:30am Mass  
 Friday 9:30am School Mass

**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  
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 Jugiong 28 Oct. 9am

**CONFESSION – Sat. 5pm or anytime by request**

**BAPTISMS – Saturday 6pm during Vigil Mass or 11am 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month**  
 Contact  
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	27 OCT 2018	21 OCT 2018	3 NOV 2018	4 NOV 2018
<b>Acolytes Readers</b>	Chris McDonnell Denise Reardon	<b>NO MASS</b>	Peter Reardon Jim Graham	<b>NO MASS</b>
<b>Offertory</b>	Anne & Jim Saunderson		Kate & Mick Howe	
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Hugh Graham Max Graham		Tom Scott Sarah Scott	
<b>Sanctuary St. Vinnies</b>	Maureen Barrington & Marie Nelson Helen & Gordon Lindley		Maria Crowe & Denise Reardon Vince and Kerry Anne Powell	
Home Communion 28 OCTOBER	Kathy Reardon	Betty Somerville	Mary McCormick	
Home Communion 4 NOVEMBER	Marie Nelson	Anne Saunderson	Monica Reardon	

**Prayers for the eternal repose of the souls of: Recently deceased:** Joseph Rose, Patricia Mara, Gwendoline (Topsy) Morris, Richard Wielinga, Julieanne Maher, Terry Maquire, Henry (Bill) Smith, Mark Hawker, Michael Smart, Margaret Elphick, Thomas Coleman, William Hazelwood, Robert Maynard, Dulcie Elaine Barker (QLD), Debbie Hutchins, Barry Sumpton.

**Anniversaries -** We remember all who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time.  
 Keiran Wrice.

**Mass offering & prayers have also been requested for the following -** Pat Smith, deceased members of the Maher, Maquire, Mara, Wrice, Wielinga, Smith, Hawker, Smart, Elphick, Coleman, & Hazelwood families.

**Prayers for the sick –** Judy Bell, Emma McDonnell, Margaret Robinson, Fr. Warrick Tonkin, Marlene Elliott, Beryl Henery, Gwen Harpley, Margaret Heydon, Gail Graham, Jenny Lindley, Ben Lott, Peter Carberrv, Louise Cook, Louise Kilbv.

**PARISH WEB SITE**  
 cg.org.au/gundagai

**BANKING DETAILS ST. PATRICK'S PARISH**  
 BSB 062 786 A/C No. 14943

**MEMBERS OF THE PARISH COUNCIL –** Elizabeth Knight (Chair), Anne Saunderson, Natasha Flanagan, Craig Ferguson, Vincent Powell, Michael Marffy, Monica Reardon.

**THURSDAY 1<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER ALL SAINTS DAY**  
**FRIDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER ALL SOULS DAY**  
 Parish Mass **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November All Saints Day at 9:30am**  
 School Mass on **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November All Souls Day at 9:30am**

**PRAYER FOR RAIN**

Let us ask St. Mary MacKillop to intercede for us to send much needed rain.  
 It rained at the time of her beatification and also at the time of her canonisation.  
 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.

**PRAYER FOR EXAM SUCCESS**

I pray that you would help me pass this exam. Thank you for your guidance in leading me to this study and for sustaining me as I have worked for this qualification. I ask now that your spirit would lead me. Come sharpen my thinking and help me to excel in this test of my learning and understanding. May I be able to recall everything I need from my studies and answer each question well. Amen.

**PLENARY COUNCIL 2020 – LISTEN TO WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING**

Pope Francis has spoken of the need to engage in the world and respond in faith. He said:  
 "The defining aspect of this change of epoch is that things are no longer in their place. Our previous ways of explaining the world and relationships, good and bad, no longer appear to work. The way in which we locate ourselves in history has changed. Things we thought would never happen, or that we never thought we would see, we are experiencing now, and we dare not even imagine the future. That which appeared normal to us – family, the Church, society and the world – will probably no longer seem that way. We cannot simply wait for what we are experiencing to pass, under the illusion that things will return to being how they were before."  
 Gundagai Catholic community are invited to participate in conversations with friends and family, large groups and small, to consider the Plenary Council's central questions: "What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?"  
 "What questions do you have about the future of the Church for the Plenary Council to consider in 2020?"  
 Plenary Council Prayer  
 Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.  
 Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.  
 O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.  
 Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus our companion on the road.  
 Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.  
 Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.  
 Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel.  
 Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Adoration will be held on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> October at 5:45pm** following Liturgy.  
 (Adoration will be for approximately 30minutes)  
 This prayer of **St. Padre Pio after Communion** is a stirring tribute both to our Lord and to this great saint who bore the stigmata, the wounds of Christ from His Passion  
 "Stay with me, Lord, for it is necessary to have You present so that I do not forget You. You know how easily I abandon You.  
 Stay with me Lord, because I am weak, and I need Your strength, so that I may not fall so often.  
 Stay with me Lord, for You are my life, and without You, I am without fervour.  
 Stay with me Lord, for You are my light, and without you, I am in darkness.  
 Stay with me Lord, to show me Your will.  
 Stay with me Lord, so that I hear Your voice and follow You.  
 Stay with me Lord, for I desire to love you very much, and always be in Your Company.  
 Stay with me Lord, if You wish me to be faithful to You.  
 Stay with me Lord, for as poor as my soul is, I want it to be a place of consolation for You, a nest of Love.  
 Stay with me, Jesus, for it is getting late, and the day is coming to a close, and life passes, death, judgment, eternity approach. It is necessary to renew my strength, so that I will not stop along the way and for that, I need You. It is getting late and death approaches. I fear the darkness, the temptations, the dryness, the cross, the sorrows. O how I need You, my Jesus, in this night of exile.  
 Stay with me tonight, Jesus, in life with all its dangers, I need You. Let me recognize You as Your disciples did at the breaking of bread, so that the Eucharistic Communion be the light which disperses the darkness, the force which sustains me, the unique joy of my heart.  
 Stay with me Lord, because at the hour of my death, I want to remain united to you, if not by Communion, at least by grace and love.  
 Stay with me Jesus, I do not ask for divine consolation because I do not merit it, but the gift of Your presence, oh yes, I ask this of You.  
 Stay with me Lord, for it is You alone I look for, Your Love, Your Grace, Your Will, Your Heart, Your Spirit, because I love You and ask no other reward but to love You more and more. With a firm love, I will love You with all my heart while on earth and continue to love You perfectly during all eternity. Amen."

**MASS REQUESTS**

If you would like a Mass offered for deceased relatives and friends please place the request envelope into the collection bag. Please mark on the envelope if you would like the Mass said on Saturday evening or Tuesday evening. Fr. will then read out the names of those for whom the Mass is being offered.

**ROSARY**

The Rosary will be said in the Church on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> October at 10:30am** to pray for world peace and vocations.

**CONTACT DETAILS**

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