

St Patrick's Parish Gundagai
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13th APRIL 2019 – PALM SUNDAY – YEAR C

MASS TIMETABLE

Saturday 6:00pm
 Sunday **NO MASS**
 Monday **NO MASS**
 Tuesday 11:00am Liturgy
 Wednesday 5:45pm Liturgy
 Thursday 6:00pm Mass
 Friday 10am Stations of the Cross – 3pm The Lord's Passion

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 14 April 9am

CONFESSION – Sat. 5pm or anytime by request

BAPTISMS – Saturday 6pm during Vigil Mass or 11am 3rd Saturday of each month
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13 APRIL 2019		14 APRIL 2019		20 APRIL 2019		21 APRIL 2019	
Acolytes Readers	Chris McDonnell Paul Mara Remi Field	NO MASS	See roster at the back of the Church		MASS AT 8:00AM		
Offertory	Marie Nelson & Jean Clark		Peter Reardon Jess McDonnell				
Altar Servers	Molly McDonnell Abby McDonnell						
Sanctuary St. Vinnies	Maureen Barrington & Marie Nelson Anne & Jim Saunderson		Maria Crowe & Denise Reardon Peter & Denise Reardon				
Home Communion 14 APRIL	Kathy Reardon	Betty Somerville	Mary McCormick				
Home Communion 21 APRIL	Marie Nelson	Anne Saunderson	Monica Reardon				
<p>Prayers for the eternal repose of the souls of: Recently deceased : Sr. Marietta Drew, (rsj), Jack Regan, Christopher Shipley. Anniversaries - We remember all who have died and whose anniversaries occur at this time. Mass offering & prayers have also been requested for the following – Deceased members of the Drew, Regan & Shipley families.</p>							
<p>Prayers for the sick – Des Manton, Archbishop Francis Carroll, Fr. Warrick Tonkin, Ben Lott, Louise Cook, Louise Kilby.</p>							
<p>CONTACT DETAILS Mobile phone no. Fr. George 0484604273 Mobile phone no. Fr. Namora 0450438444</p>				<p>BANKING DETAILS ST. PATRICK'S PARISH BSB 062 786 A/C No. 14943 PARISH WEB SITEcg.org.au/gundagai</p>			
<p>Members of the Parish Pastoral Council: Fr. Goerge, Fr. Namora, Peter Gain, Monica Reardon, Chris Baron, Anne Saunderson, Craig Ferguson, Natasha Flanagan.</p>							
<p>CHURCH BULLETIN – A copy of the bulletin is available on our website each week. cg.org.au/gundagai</p>							

PALM SUNDAY

Palm Sunday is the final Sunday of Lent, the beginning of Holy Week, and commemorates the triumphant arrival of Christ in Jerusalem, days before he was crucified.
 Palm Sunday is known as such because the faithful will often receive palm fronds which they use to participate in the re-enactment of Christ's arrival in Jerusalem. In the Gospels, Jesus entered Jerusalem riding a young donkey, and to the lavish praise of the townspeople who threw palms or small branches, in front of him as a sign of homage. This was a customary practice for people of great respect.
 Palm branches are widely recognised symbol of peace and victory, hence their preferred use on Palm Sunday.

FORTY DAYS – FORTY ITEMS

We have a challenge for your family during Lent. Each day of Lent, remove one item of clothing from your closet that you no longer wear or need and put it into a garbage bag. Bags available at the back of the Church.
 At the end of the Forty days, donate these items to the St. Vincent de Paul 'Blue Bin' at St Patrick's School so that they can be shared with others who can really use them. Thank you
 Natasha Flanagan – REC. St. Patrick's School.

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.

ROSARY

The Rosary will be said in the Church on **Tuesday 16th April at 10:30am** to pray for world peace and vocations.

EASTER ROSTER

Volunteers are needed to help with the Easter ceremonies.
 Please leave your name on the roster at the back of the Church.

PROJECT COMPASSION

The stories we are sharing during the six weeks of Lent demonstrate how Caritas Australia helps many needy people in many countries.
 Week 6 – "Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible; and suddenly you are doing the impossible". – St. Francis of Assisi.
 Nguyet lived the first 14 years of her life isolated at home in a small town in Vietnam. Her disability restricted her movements, social interaction and chance of an education.
 Two years after featuring in Project Compassion 2017, Nguyet has built a successful online business, she's also riding a motorbike bought from her profits. A Caritas Australia - supported program is helping people like Nguyet, through education, health services and building community networks to help to break down discrimination for their families.

25th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS FOR FR. ALLEN CROWE

On Tuesday, 23rd April Fr. Allen will have been ordained 25years. To mark the occasion, Fr. Allen will celebrate 11:00am Mass in St. Mary's Church, Young followed by a lunch/afternoon tea (he wants to stretch the day out).
 Parish Centre, Campbell Street, Young.
 If practical, please bring a plate (with food on it) to share (finger food/cake/slices etc.).
 Join Allen during any part of his special day.
 Everyone welcome

WALK WITH THE CROSS 19th APRIL

Meet opposite Hungry Jacks car park, Sth Gundagai at 8:30am – depart for North Gundagai at 8:40.
 Proceed along Mount St. via the Old Bridge to Sheridan St. then to Carberry Park, assemble in front of Library at 10am.
 Feel free to join the walk at any stage along the way.
 Morning tea provided by the Anglican Church on arrival.
 Good Friday service in the park at 10:00am.

EASTER TIME TABLE ST PATRICK'S GUNDAGAI – 2019

Holy Thursday 18th April	6:00pm Mass
Good Friday 19th April Stations of the Cross The Lord's Passion	10:00am 3:00pm
Holy Saturday 20th April	6:00pm Mass
Easter Sunday 21st April	8:00am Mass
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