



St Patrick's Parish Gundagai

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A – 19 November 2023

Tumut Mission

Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, and Talbingo.

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Gundagai Mass Times

Tuesday 10.30am Rosary Liturgy 11am Wednesday Liturgy 12noon Thursday Liturgy 12noon Friday Adoration 11am Mass 12noon Uralba - Mass Last Friday of the Month

Saturday Confession 5.00pm Mass 6pm

Country Mass Times

Batlow 8am Confession 8.30am 2nd Sunday 5pm 4th Sunday

Adelong 8am Confession 8.30am 1st/3rd Sunday

Talbingo 8.30am 5th Sunday

Tumut 10am Sunday

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Roster	18 November	25 November
Acolyte	Peter Gain	Peter F Reardon
Reader	Virginia Wrice	Anne Saunderson
Offertory	Jill Jones & Judy Hay	Dick Jones & Cheryl Bond
Sanctuary	Betty Sommerville & Anne Saunderson	Denise Reardon & Sarah Graham
Home Comm	Anne Elphick, Helen Turner & Mary McCormick	Kathy Reardon & Monica Reardon
Altar Servers	Christyne Calub & Nick Quine	Tessa & Oliver Crowe
Counting	Peter Gain & Chris Baron	Peter & Cal Reardon
St. Vinnies	Brooke	Saunderson

Prayer Requests

Recently Deceased

Charles Hunt Betty Molloy Joyce Heydon Tianjarrah Denniss Sam Jones



Mass Offering

Sam & Barry Jones, Dianne White, Veronica Lawson, Carmel Pringle, Brian Coats, Margaret Graham, H.L. (Bill) Graham, Gail Graham, John Ell, Sr Helen Leary, Margaret Walker, Bob Isaac, Peter Carberry, Amy Harris,

The Sick

John Fitzpatrick,

Don Smith, Amy Harris,
John Lloyd and his family
Emma McDonnell, Maria
Crowe, Margaret Carberry,
Ailsa Patterson, Anne
Masters, Sister Anne
Maree, Peter Hindmarsh

Anniversaries

Jack Kingwill, Milton &
Margaret Reardon,
Joseph Rose, Patricia
Mara, Julieanne Maher,
Michael Smart, Margaret
Elphick, Keiran Wrice,
George Ballard, Ruth
Smart, William Crossley

Parish Pastoral Council

Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight, Kate Howe, Sarah Graham, Chris Baron, Verity Whittaker, Pete Reardon (Ex Officio), Fr Joseph Neonbasu

Banking / Planned Giving

St Patricks Parish Gundagai Plate
BSB 062 786 AC 14943

Plate Collection \$588.65

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

For Planned giving envelopes, contact the office

Baptism's

1 December 2023 – 12noon Isabella and Parker Melksham children of Kimberly and Matthew Melksham



First Holy Communion Congratulations

We would like to congratulate Leila, Rouge, Jack & Reuben.



St Patrick's Breastplate

Christ be with me, Christ within me Christ behind me, Christ before me Christ beside me, Christ to win me Christ to comfort me and restore me. Christ beneath me, Christ above me Christ in quiet, Christ in danger Christ in hearts of all that love me Christ in mouth of friend or stranger. St Patrick, pray for us. Amen

St. Patrick's Breastplate is a popular prayer attributed to one of Ireland's most beloved patron saints. According to tradition, St. Patrick wrote it in 433 A.D. for divine protection before successfully converting the Irish King Leoghaire and his subjects from paganism to Christianity. (The term breastplate refers to a piece of armour worn in battle.) When St. Paul referred to putting on the "Armor of God" in his letter to the Ephesians (6:11) to fight sin and evil inclinations, he could have been thinking of prayers just like this one! We may not wear combat gear in our daily lives, but St. Patrick's Breastplate can function as divine armour for protection against spiritual adversity.

Prayer for Peace in the Middle East

Lord Jesus Christ, The Holy Land is once again struck by violence, hatred and death. Lord, look with mercy upon the land that was your earthly home.

Receive the deceased into your presence. Comfort those who mourn, are wounded or forced to flee. Be close to all who are full of fear and despair.

You are our peace and the light of the nations, put an end to the spiral of terror and suffering in the Holy Land and in the whole Middle East.

Let peace and justice flourish at the holy sites. You are our refuge. Let the people be safe in your Love. Have mercy on us and on our time. Amen

Prayer Cards for Peace in the Holy Land

In the light of the unfolding situation in Israel and Palestine, Aid to the Church in Need has produced prayer cards to be shared out across Catholic parishes. These prayer cards are available in the Church foyer for you to take.



St Patrick's Parish Monster Christmas Raffle

Tickets are now on sale at the back of the Church - \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Thank you to those parishioners who have taken a book of tickets to sell in the community. PLEASE RETURN completed books and money to Pete Reardon by Tuesday 14th.

Anyone also wishing to take a book, please collect from the back of the Church. Please encourage your family members, friends, neighbours, workmates and local community to buy tickets for our raffle. There are some fantastic prizes that should appeal to all ages.

The Raffle will be DRAWN at the conclusion of 6pm Mass on Saturday 16th December.



Combined Churches Christmas Carols

Talbingo are looking for musicians to assist with combined churches Christmas Carols on 22 December 2023 in the Church of Saint Paul Talbingo. Contact Leanne 0417274346





Pilgrmage of Hope - 2024

Fr Maria Raju would like to invite you for an 18-day pilgrimage, departing on 23rd September 2024. This pilgrimage features Fatima, Lourdes, Turin, Milan, Padua, Venice, Florence, Assisi, Rotondo and Rome for an all-inclusive price of \$8790. The fare includes Return Economy Airfares + Local Transfers in Deluxe coaches + Stay in Premium Hotels + All Breakfasts & Dinners + Catholic Priest + English speaking professional guides. There is a poster in the foyer.

For enquiries & bookings call 03 8839 6615 or 1300 721 561 or email us pilgrimage@magiholidays.com.au

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