

St Patrick's Parish Gundagai

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5TH SUNDAY EASTER YEAR C – 22ND MAY 2022

COVID PROTOCOLS AVAILABLE ON PARISH WEBSITE

GUNDAGAI		COUNTRY MASS		SACRAMENTS	
Saturday 21st	5PM VIGIL	Uralba	4 th Sat. 11AM	Confession:	5:30pm prior Vigil Mass
Sunday 22nd	NO MASS	Tumut	Sat Vigil Mass 6PM	Marriage:	By appointment
Monday 23rd	NO MASS		Sun. Mass 10AM	Baptism:	3 rd Sat of the month or
Tuesday 24th	LITURGY 11AM	Adelong	1 st /3 rd Sun. 10AM		during any Mass (Vigil)
Wednesday 25th	LITURGY 12NOON	Jugiong	2 nd /4 th Sun. 9AM	To arrange a	a Baptism please contact:
Thursday 26th	Adoration 11:30 MASS 12NOON	Gobarralong /Adjungbilly	5 th Sunday 8AM ADJUNGBILLY	gundagai@cg.org.au	
Friday 27th	MASS 12NOON				

ROSTER

	21 MAY	28 MAY	
ACOLYTE	Peter Reardon	Bill Barton	
READER	Peter Gain	Virginia Mara	
OFFERTORY	Carmel Reardon / Monica Reardon	Ryan Family	
SANCTUARY	Marie Nelson / Anne Elphick	Helen Turner / Betty Somerville	
HOME COMMUNION	Mary McCormick / Peter Gain / Kathy Reardon	Monica Reardon / No Uralba / Marie Nelson	
ALTAR SERVERS	Ellie McDonnell / Archie McDonnell	Jack Peterson / Harry Peterson	
COUNTING	Chris Baron / Kathy Reardon	Cal Reardon / Denise Reardon	
ST. VINNIES	P & C Reardon	P & D Reardon	

PRAYER/MASS REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES	THE SICK	MASS OFFERINGS
We pray for the souls of the recently deceased esp Betty Vickery	Pam Goodsall, Iris Stuckey, Nola Field, Bette Gillan, Kevin Kennedy, Lynne Norden, Myra Moon, Brian Egan, Elizabeth Quirk	Sam Jones, Anne Masters, Emma McDonnell	

PARISH DETAILS

PARISH COUNCIL	PRIESTS / PARISH	PARISH BANKING
Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight, Kate Howe, Sarah Graham, Jess Eccelston, Chris Baron, Verity Whittaker, Fr George, Fr Namora, Pete Reardon (Ex Officio).	Fr George – 0484 604 273 Fr Namora – 0450 438 444 Madeline Ryan – 0478 000 526	BSB 062 786 A/C 14943 ST PATRICKS PARISH GUNDAGAI

A copy of the Church Bulletin is available on our website each week – <u>www.cg.org.au/gundagai</u> Parish Facebook Page - @stpatsgundagai

ROSARY & LITURGY

The Rosary will be prayed on **Tuesday 24th May** at 10:30am, followed by Liturgy at 11am. *"From the point of view of the world, there was nothing out of the*

ordinary about the things Mary did during her life...But from a supernatural perspective, her life was extraordinary because everything she did, she did out of obedience to and love for God." ~ Francois-Xavier Nguyen Van Thuân

MAY DEVOTION - BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Mary is the Daughter of God the Father, the Mother of God the Son and the Mystical Spouse of the Holy Spirit, the Queen of the angels, saints, of heaven and earth. And St. Louis de Montfort acclaims her as the Queen of all hearts and God's masterpiece of creation. Why not read the Apostolic Letter of Saint John Paul II '*Blessed Virgin Mary and the Rosary*'. This spiritual gem combines both solid catholic doctrine (Mariology) with a tender love and devotion to Mary. *Source: Catholic Exchange*

ADORATION

Adoration will be held **Thursday 26th May** at 11:30am followed by Mass at 12noon.

"There I find a life which I cannot describe, a joy which I cannot make others comprehend, a peace such as is found only under the hospitable roof of our best Friend." ~ St Ignatius of Loyola

COLLECTION 15 MAY

First Collection: \$148.20 Second Collection: \$605.00

COUNTRY MASS

On Sunday 29th May, Mass will be celebrated at St Patrick's Adjungbilly at 8AM. All welcome.

RECONCILIATION

Please continue to pray for the families and children preparing for the Sacrament of Reconciliation

MOVIE REVIEW: FR STU

Few would have heard of Father Stuart Long but that is about to change. The film about the agnostic amateur boxer turned Catholic priest will shortly hit the big screen in Australia.

'Father Stu' starring Mark Wahlberg, Mel Gibson, Jacki Weaver and Teresa Ruiz is a 'godless to God' true story about the rough and tumble boy from Montana in America's north-west who goes to Hollywood to be 'discovered', wanting to be a star.

Except Stu's dream becomes a nightmare when his motorbike t-bones a car and he is badly injured and not expected to survive. But against the odds, Stu (Mark Wahlberg) does survive. Given a second chance at life, he experiences a soul-changing revelation and wants to give back, rather than simply take.

He tells his mother (Australia's Jacki Weaver), "I'm going to be a priest," "For halloween?", she says. But it's no joke and against his parent's scepticism, Stu becomes Father Stu, a Catholic priest who inspires all

with his compassion, his humour, his concern for the down and outs, and for those that carry their crosses. He carries his own cross too, a degenerative muscle disorder that leaves him confined to a nursing home. Even then, in the home, his courage and example cause many to reflect on their own lives and to make amends. Source: The Catholic Voice

ACT RIGHT TO LIFE CELEBRATES 50 YEARS

The ACT Right to Life Association is celebrating an amazing 50 years of tireless advocacy and support for life! All welcome to the Southern Cross Club Woden 7pm Weds 1st June to celebrate 50 Years of ACT Right to Life. Archbishop Prowse will illustrate the importance of Life Issues for all Christians; Senator Eric Abetz will speak of the Senate position and MLA (Ret) Vicki Dunne will relate the ACT position on these important values. Book NOW: www.bit.ly/RTLdinner Info Bev 0418 718 713

MISSION SECRETARY POSITION

TUMUT MISSION (encompassing the Parishes of Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow & Jugiong) People are invited to apply for an administrative position in the Tumut Catholic Mission. This is a part-time permanent position of 12-15 hours a week, over two or three days. You will be the first point of call for the parish.

Full advertisment with selection criteria and position description available at www.cg.org.au/tumut Salary will be subject to Clerk Award Level 4 rates. Please phone 02 69474599 or contact Fr George for a copy of the duty statement. Applications addressing the selection criteria to Fr George Ogah at george.ogah@cg.org.au must be received by Friday 27th May 2022.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful. And kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth.



WHAT THE CHURCH NEEDS IS SOMEONE WHO'S GONNA' FIGHT FOR GOD.

THAT'S ME.