

# St Patrick's Parish Gundagai



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# 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – 11 February 2024

Tumut Mission		Gundagai Mass T		Times Country Mass Times		
Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, and Talbingo.		Tuesday	Rosary Liturgy	10.30am 11am	Batlow 8am Confession 8.30am 2nd Sunday 5pm 4th Sunday	
Fr Joseph Neonbasu		Wednesday	Liturgy	12noon		
Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au		Thursday Friday	Liturgy Adoration	12noon 11am	Adelong 8.	8am Confession 30am 1st/3rd Sunday
Tumut Mission Secretary – Sue Hall			Mass	12noon		
Tumut Office Hours – Tue and Thu 9-2pm Email: gundagai@cg.org.au Ph. 69474599		Last Friday of the Month	Uralba - Mass		Talbingo	8.00am 5th Sunday
Parish web page: cg.org.au/Gundagai Facebook: St Patrick's Parish Gundagai		Saturday	Confession Mass	5.00pm 6pm	Tumut	10am Sunday
Roster	Roster 10 February			17 February		
Acolyte	Peter Gain			Peter F Reardon		
Reader Kate Howe			Paul Mara			

## PRAYER REQUEST: the Mass Offerings are offered at/during Weekday Masses

# Recently Deceased John Casey

Offertory

Sanctuary

**Home Comm** 

**Altar Servers** 

Counting St. Vinnies

Anthony Pollack Annie O'Keefe John Turner Charles Hunt **Betty Molloy** 



#### **Mass Offering**

Theresa & Patrick Caffery

Betty Sommerville & Anne Saunderson

Anne Elphick, Peter Gain & Mary McCormick

Archie McDonnell & Corby Rose

Peter Gain & Chris Baron

Brooke

Suzanne Jones, John Turner, Annie O'Keefe, Pat Monaghan, The Chalker family, Betty Levier, Genevieve Reardon, Nola Field, Frank Hindmarsh, Jill Young, James Kelly, Ron & Jean Hogan, Mellis family, Taylor family, Jenkins Family, Tanner family, Mick Grange, Sam & Barry Jones, Dianne White, Veronica Lawson, Carmel Pringle, John Ell, Bob Isaac Margaret, Bill and Gail Graham

#### The Sick

Bev Jones, Michael J. Nelson, Maria Crowe, John Fitzpatrick, Don Smith, Amy Harris, John Lloyd & his family, Emma McDonnell, Margaret Carberry, Ailsa Patterson, Anne Masters, Sister Anne Maree, Peter Hindmarsh

#### **Anniversaries**

Jack Heydon, Pat Heydon, James, and Amy Heydon (nee Dominick), Terence Heydon, Marie Heydon, Peter Crowe, Daniel Loch, Lorna Reardon, Mary Crossley, Betty Donovan(nee Moses), Anne Rose(nee Luff), Suzanne Jones, Rita Goodsall, Martin Bond, Joan Cleary.

#### **Parish Pastoral Council**

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

#### **Sacraments**

Confession - 5.00pm-5.45pm Saturday (Gundagai) Marriage - By appointment Baptism - During Friday Mass of Saturday at 2pm These 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

#### **Banking / Planned Giving**

**Plate Collection** St Patricks Parish Gundagai **BSB** 062 786 **AC** 14943 \$496.00

If you, or you know of someone, who is struggling and needs to talk to someone.

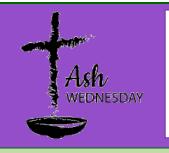
Please arrange a Pastoral care visit by contacting the office on Ph 6947 4599 (Tue, Thur, Fri, 9am-2pm)



### 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



**Ash Wednesday Mass 14 February 2024** 

8am in Tumut

**12noon in Gundagai** 

The Church Bulletin is available on our website each week - www.cg.org.au/gundagai Please send any notices to gundagai@cg.org.au by midday on Thursday each week for the bulletin.

### Special Dates leading up to Easter 2024

25 February - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent 18 February - 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent 3 March - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent 10 March - 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent

- 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent 17 March

- Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord - Holy Week 24 March

28 March - Holy Thursday 29 March - Good Friday - Holy Saturday – Easter Vigil 30 March 31 March Easter Sunday

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter – Divine Mercy Sunday The Annunciation of the Lord 7 April 8 April

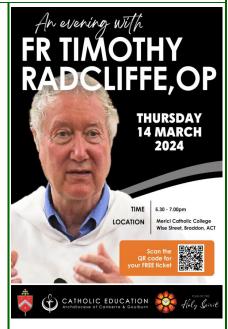
### "A turning away from and turning back to"

We are entering into a sacred and precious moment, the season of Lent, a season of fasting and prayer. We begins this season from Ash Wednesday. Ash Wednesday is one of the most popular and important holy days in the liturgical calendar.

Ash Wednesday comes from the ancient Jewish tradition of penance and fasting. The practice includes the wearing of ashes on the head. The ashes symbolize the dust from which God made us. As the priest applies the ashes to a person's forehead, he speaks the words: "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return" or "Repent and believe in the Gospel."

Ashes also symbolize grief, in this case, grief that we have sinned and caused division from God. It is symbol and a reminder to turn away from our sins and to turn back to God. This s a time of preparation to celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus at Easter.

These ashes are from the palms we have on the Palm Sunday previous years. These palm leaves are burnt and their ashes are used for making the signing of the cross on our foreheads in the Ash Wednesday Celebration. Now let us enter this precious and wonderful time of Lent by turning away from our sins and turning back to God by believing in and living out the Gospel!



Time: 5.30-7pm Location: Merici Catholic College Wise Street, Braddon. ACT

### **February | Marriage Preparation Course**

Upcoming Marriage Preparation courses for engaged couples: FOCCUS - Tues 13th Feb 5-9pm plus a private follow up session at CatholicCare. Evenings for the Engaged - Sat 10th & 17th Feb 9-3pm. Engaged Encounter-Sydney, Sat 24 & Sun 25. SmartLoving – online, 9 lessons, learn at your own pace when suits you.

For more information contact marriage.preparation@cg.org.au To register go to www.marriagefamily.org.au Enquiries: Contact Lara Kirk on lara.kirk@cg.org.au or Helena Zobec on 0405 440 463



Please take home a Project Compassion money-box or set of donation envelopes to support Caritas Australia this Lenten season and help support vulnerable people around the world, now and for all future generations. With your support, Caritas Australia has been able to support communities around the world to tackle poverty, food security,



education, water & sanitation and disaster risk reduction. Project Compassion 2024 reminds us that the good that we do today will extend and impact the lives of generations to come. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow for all future generations. You can donate through Project Compassion money-boxes and envelopes available from your parish.