



St Patrick's Parish Gundagai

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FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY YEAR C – 2ND JANUARY 2022

COVID PROTOCOLS AVAILABLE ON PARISH WEBSITE

Please check-in and wear a mask

GUNDAGAI		COUNTRY MASS		SACRAMENTS	
Saturday 1st	6PM VIGIL	Uralba	4 th Sat. 11AM	Confession:	5:30pm prior Vigil Mass
Sunday 2nd	NO MASS	Tumut	Sat Vigil Mass 6PM	Marriage:	By appointment
Monday 3rd	NO MASS		Sun. Mass 10AM	Baptism:	3 rd Sat of the month or
Tuesday 4th	LITURGY 11AM	Adelong	1 st /3 rd Sun. 10AM		during any Mass (Vigil)
Wednesday 5th	LITURGY 12NOON	Jugiong	2 nd /4 th Sun. 9AM	To arrange a Baptism please contact:	
Thursday 6th	Adoration 11:30AM MASS 12NOON	Gobarralong /Adjungbilly	30 th January 8AM GOBARRALONG	gundagai@cg.org.au	
Friday 7th	MASS 12NOON				

ROSTER

	1 JANUARY	8 JANUARY
ACOLYTE	Bill Barton	Chris McDonnell
READER	Mary McCormick	Peter Gain
OFFERTORY	Jill Jones / Judy Hay	Carmel Reardon / Monica Reardon
ALTAR SERVERS	Joey Gailey / Hugh Ryan	Jessica McDonnell / Charlotte McDonnell
COUNTING	Chris Baron / Peter Gain	Kathy Reardon / Cal Reardon
ST. VINNIES	P & L Gailey	M & L Kingwill

PRAYER/MASS REQUESTS

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES	THE SICK	MASS OFFERINGS
We pray for the souls of the recently deceased esp Ailsa Bower, Barry Luff	David Kingwill, Raymond Cunningham, Georgina Hayes, Paddy Crowley, Kathleen Stuckey, William Goodsall, Kevin Lane, Patrick Sheehan, Brian Hogan, Neita Ryan, Cecil Smith	Keith Churchin	Remie Field, Ron & Jean Hogan, Frank Hindmarsh, Nola Field, Jill Young, Mick Grange, Michael & Elizabeth Quirk, Johnny Power

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 – www.cg.org.au/gundagai

Please send any notices to gundagai@cg.org.au by midday Thursday each week for inclusion in the bulletin

Parish Facebook page: @stpatsgundagai

NOTICES

ROSARY & LITURGY

The Rosary will be prayed on **Tuesday 28th December** at 10:30am, followed by Liturgy at 11am.

"You must know that when you 'hail' Mary, she immediately greets you!... If you greet her, she will answer you right away and converse with you!" ~ Saint Bernadette of Siena

PRAYER TO THE HOLY FAMILY

The Magi, were the first gentiles to encounter Christ. The Epiphany, is the revelation or manifestation of Christ. While the Bible remains silent about the wise men's actual names, as well as how many of them there were, we do know that they were clever, wealthy, and most importantly, brave.

They were willing to take the risk in order to go searching for the truth, in what they discerned was a monumental event. – Catholic News Agency

Wise men still
SEEK HIM


ADORATION

Adoration will be held on **Thursday 30th December** at 11:30am, followed by Liturgy at 12noon.

"The Eucharist bathes the tormented soul in light and love. Then the soul appreciates these words, 'Come all you who are sick, I will restore your health.'" - St. Bernadette Soubirous

COLLECTIONS

Archbishop's Appeal: \$550.00

First Collection: \$459.60 (incl Christmas Dues)

Second Collection: \$500.00

JANUARY DEVOTION – HOLY NAME OF JESUS

"For this reason also, God highly exalted Him, and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name, so that at the name of JESUS every knee will bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and that every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father." (Philippians 2:9-11)

10 SIMPLE SPIRITUAL RESOLUTIONS FOR THE NEW YEAR

1. Make a morning offering
2. Attend Daily Mass
3. Attend Eucharistic Adoration
4. Read a Spiritual Book
5. Daily or weekly Rosary
6. Meatless Fridays
7. Spend more time reading Scripture
8. Go to confession regularly
9. Choose a saintly intercessor
10. End your day with an Examen

COUNTRY MASS

Mass will be celebrated at Gobarralong on Sunday 30th January at 8am.

WELCOME FR MCDERMOTT

The parish welcomes Fr Dermid McDermott from Goulburn who will assist with weekend Masses whilst Fr George is away.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES – JUNE 2022

Every three years since 1994, the Church has celebrated the World Meeting of Families in a different city of the world. This year the Holy Father has also asked that the World Meeting of Families be celebrated concurrently in every diocese of the world in 2022. The idea is for families to gather locally around their bishop to explore and celebrate the theme of "Family love: a vocation and a path to holiness" In our Archdiocese of Canberra Goulburn it is envisaged that celebrations will happen in three locations: one in Canberra, one in the Eastern Deanery and one in the Western Deanery. For more local information contact lara.kirk@cgc.org.au 0429 192 869. General information at : www.romefamily2022.com

POSITION AVAILABLE – PASTORAL PRACTITIONER TUMUT

Pastoral Practitioner role at Uniting Tumut. The role is permanent part time, 22.8 hours per week. The closing date for applications is Sunday, 9th January, and expect to conduct interviews in Tumut on Thursday, 13th or Friday, 14th of January. Visit <https://careers.uniting.org/> for the full position description.

MARY, MOTHER OF GOD 1 JANUARY

The Catechism says of Mary:

The One whom she conceived as man by the Holy Spirit, who truly became her Son according to the flesh, was none other than the Father's eternal Son, the second person of the Holy Trinity. Hence the Church confesses that Mary is truly "Mother of God" (495).

Mary is the Mother of God precisely because Jesus Christ, her Son, is God. And when Mary gave birth, she did not give birth to a nature, or even two natures; she gave birth to one, divine person.

"Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us, sinners".

