

St Patricks Parish Gundagai

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20TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME YEAR A – 16 AUGUST 2020

COVID19 POLICY NO MORE THAN 58 PEOPLE INSIDE AT A TIME (1 PERSON PER 4 SQM)

MASS ONLINE – every Sunday with Bishop Christopher at 11am via www.catholicvoice.org.au
 Sunday Mass is aired on ten (Channel 05) Sunday mornings at 6am

GUNDAGAI		COUNTRY MASS		SACRAMENTS	
Saturday	5PM VIGIL MASS	Uralba	Suspended	Confession	By appointment
Sunday	NO MASS	Tumut	Sat. Vigil Mass 5PM	Marriage	By appointment
Monday	NO MASS		Sun. Mass 10AM	Baptism	By appointment
Tuesday	LITURGY 11AM	Adelong	1 st /3 rd Sun. 10AM	To arrange a Baptism please contact:	
Wednesday	LITURGY 12NOON	Jugiong	2 nd /4 th Sun. 9AM	Fr George or Fr Namora	
Thursday	11:30AM ADORATION 12NOON MASS	Gobarralong/Adjungbilly	8AM 30 Aug Adjungbilly		
Friday	12NOON MASS				

ALL THE LATEST COVID-19 PROTOCOLS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE WWW.CG.ORG.AU/GUNDAGAI

ROSTER

	15 AUGUST	22 AUGUST
ACOLYTE	Bill Barton	Chris McDonnell
READER	Carolyn Reardon	Virginia Mara
OFFERTORY	Carmel Reardon / Monica Reardon	Anne Metcalfe / Maureen Barrington
ALTAR SERVERS	Lincoln Fallon / Alec Bell-Magnone	Addison Fairall / Sophie Graham
SANCTUARY	Asher Jones / Josie Quine	Denise Reardon / Anne Metcalfe
HOME COMMUNION	Jill Jones / Helen Turner / Liz Maher	Kathy Reardon / Betty Sommerville / Mary McCormick
ST. VINNIES	Peter F Reardon	Jim & Anne Saunderson

RECENTLY DECEASED / ANNIVERSARIES	THE SICK	MASS OFFERINGS
We pray for the souls of the recently deceased and those whose anniversary is at this time esp Elisabeth Luders, William Hogan, Mary Lott, Samuel Little, Mary Jones, Jennifer Smith, Garth Molloy, Ron Bower, Stanley Crowe, Keith Campbell	Carmel Reardon, Chris Baron	Mary Lott

PARISH DETAILS

PARISH COUNCIL	PRIESTS / PARISH	PARISH BANKING
Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight (Vice-Chair), Kate Howe (secretary), Marie Nelson, Sarah Graham, Jess Eccelston, 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 Wednesday each week for inclusion in the bulletin.

BANKING / PLANNED GIVING

Catholic Development Fund (CDF) has provided a website for parishioners to click and pay for both first and second collections and includes the provision to nominate their parish. This will avoid any unnecessary handling of money. www.bpoint.com.au/pay/catholicdevelopmentfundarchdioceseofcanberra

NOTICES

ROSARY & ADORATION

The Rosary will be said in the church on **Tuesday 18th August at 10:30 AM** followed by **Liturgy at 11:00AM**
An additional Rosary will be said on **Saturday 20th August at 4:30pm before Mass**, for The Assumption.
"He who loves the Immaculate will gain a sure victory in the interior combat" ~ St Maximilian Kolbe

Adoration will be held on **Thursday 13th August at 11:30AM** followed by **Mass at 12NOON**

"Adoration is essentially an embrace with Jesus in which I say to Him: "I am yours, and I ask you, please stay with me always". Pope Benedict XVI

COLLECTIONS 9 AUGUST 2020

First: \$266.30 Second: \$188.40
Thank you for your support

MASS AT ADJUNGBILLY

Mass will be celebrated at Adjungbilly on Sunday 30th August at 8am

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The interim Parish Pastoral Council has been formed and the parish thank and welcome the following members:

Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight (Vice-Chair), Kate Howe (Secretary), Marie Nelson, Sarah Graham, Jess Eccelston, Fr George, Fr Namora, Pete Reardon (Ex Officio). Thank you for your service to our parish.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC MENS GATHERING

Pre-recorded sessions available from 15 August. Register for free at www.catholicmensgathering.com.au.
"They were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other Apostles, Brothers - what then must we do" Acts 2:37

CHURCH CLEANING - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Due to Covid-19 Protocols, a more rigorous approach is required to clean the Church including the washing of all surfaces. We therefore need volunteers who can assist, on a rostered basis, with this task. Many hands will make light work! Please email the Secretary gundagai@cg.org.au or call 0478 000 526 if you can help.

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION 15 AUGUST



The Church celebrates the Feast Day of the Assumption of Our Lady when according to our faith, the Holy Mother, "having completed her course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory".

Although defined as an article of faith by Pope Pius XII just over half a century ago, the Assumption of Our Lady into heaven has been accepted from back to the earliest of Christian times.

The Assumption signals the end of Mary's earthly life and marks her return to heaven to be reunited with Jesus. While the bodies of both Jesus and Mary are now in heaven, there is a difference between the Assumption and the Resurrection. Where Jesus arose from the tomb and ascended into heaven by his own power, Mary's body was taken up to heaven by the power of her Son. For this reason we use different words to describe each event. One is the Ascension of Christ and the other, the Assumption of Mary.

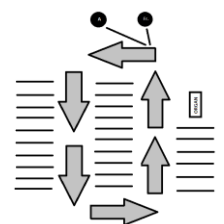
COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

Communion is distributed in an anti-clockwise cycle (as you are facing the altar).

PLEASE **give 1.5m distance between people**, and remain seated until your turn. Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

FACE MASKS

Wearing a mask in religious gatherings is **not mandatory but is highly recommended**, especially in areas where there has been community transmission.



FATHERS DAY APPEAL

The Clergy Retirement Foundation of the Archdiocese of Canberra-Goulburn supports and cares for 30 retired priests. Even in retirement priests still continue to support parishes by "supplying" Masses, Weddings and funerals. Your donation helps provide accommodation, financial assistance and health care.

Gifts over \$2 are tax-deductible. Thank you for your generosity. Donate via www.catholicvoice.org.au