St Patricks Parish Gundagai



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2ND SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME YEAR B – 17TH JANUARY 2021

COVID19 POLICY: DISTANCING OF 1 PERSON PER 2SQM

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 N	IASS	SACRAME	INTS
Saturday 16th	6PM VIGIL MASS	Uralba	Suspended	Confession	5:30pm prior Vigil Mass
Sunday 17th	NO MASS	Tumut	Sat. Vigil Mass 6PM	Marriage	By appointment
Monday 18th	NO MASS		Sun. Mass 10AM	Baptism	3 rd Sat of the month
Tuesday 19th	LITURGY 11AM	Adelong	1 st /3 rd Sun. 10AM	To arrange a	Baptism please contact:
Wednesday 20th	LITURGY 12NOON	Jugiong	2 nd /4 th Sun. 9AM	gundagai@c	g.org.au
Thursday 21 st	ADORATION 11:30AM MASS 12NOON	Gobarralong /Adjungbilly	5 th Sun. 8AM 31 Jan Adjungbilly		
Friday 22nd	MASS 12NOON				

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

ROSTER

	16 JAN	23 JAN
ACOLYTE	Peter Reardon	Peter Gain
READER	Anne Metcalfe	Carolyn Reardon
OFFERTORY	Anne Metcalfe / Maureen Barrington	Helen Turner / Cheryl Bond
ALTAR SERVERS	Sarah Scott / Jessica McDonnell / Charlotte McDonnell	William & Emme Gaskin / Hugh Ryan
SANCTUARY	Helen Turner / Betty Sommerville	Denise Reardon / Anne Metcalfe
HOME COMMUNION	Marie Nelson / Anne Saunderson / Monica Reardon	Anne Metcalfe / Peter Gain / Monica Reardon
COUNTING	Kathy Reardon / Colleen Sullivan	Denise Reardon / Peter Gain
ST. VINNIES	Gordon & Helen Lindley	

RECENTLY DECEASED	ANNIVERSARIES	THE SICK	MASS OFFERINGS
We pray for the souls of the recently deceased especially Kevin Smith	Alice Hourn, Francis Rawlings, Richard Dowell, Noeline Quilty, James Woodbridge, Thomas Sheather, Keith Korn, Lesley Smith, Bernard Pollack, Coralie Hogan.		

PARISH DETAILS

PARISH COUNCIL	PRIESTS / PARISH	PARISH BANKING
Peter Gain (Chair), Liz Knight, Kate Howe, Marie Nelson, 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 St Patrick's Parish Facebook Page - @stpatsgundagai

NOTICES

ROSARY & LITURGY	ADORATION
The Rosary will prayed together in the church on Tuesday 19th Jan at 10:30am followed by Liturgy at 11am. "You shall obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary" ~ Rosary promise #11 from our Holy Mother	Adoration will take place on Thursday 21st January at 11:30am followed by Mass at 12noon "Jesus is the teacher in the science of holiness. Of what use to me is all knowledge and education if I do not become holy? ~ St Francis de Sales
COLLECTIONS 10 JANUARY	COUNTRY MASS ADJUNGBILLY
First: \$ Second: \$ Thank you for your generosity	Mass will be celebrated at St Patrick's Adjungbilly on Sunday 31 January at 8am.
VINNIES MEETING 19 TH JANUARY	FR JOHN HODGSON
Tuesday 19th January at 5:45pm at the Family Hotel to discuss the purpose and protocols of the ministry to Uralba/Hospital.	We welcome back, Fr John Hodgson CSsR and thank him for his time with us in Gundagai and surrounding parishes. May God bless him in all his work.
ENGAGED ENCOUNTER RETREAT	FREE ONLINE EVENT
February 20-21, 2021 St Joseph's, Baulkham Hills. Know anyone engaged to be married? Engaged Encounter provides you with deeper insights into each other and into married life.	The WORD 2021 International Catholic Bible Summit. February 11-13. The WORD 2021 will help you find clarity, hope, and joy, even in the midst of uncertain times.
For further information visit: www.engagedencounter.org.au.	Free to register, you can get the full summit experience on demand and on your own schedule. www.CathlolicBibleSummit.com

ORDINARY TIME

Why Is Ordinary Time Called Ordinary?

Ordinary Time is called "ordinary" not because it is common but simply because the weeks of Ordinary Time are numbered. The Latin word *ordinalis*, which refers to numbers in a series, stems from the Latin word *ordo*, from which we get the English word order. Thus, the numbered weeks of Ordinary Time, in fact, represent the ordered life of the Church—the period in which we live our lives neither in feasting (as in the Christmas and Easter seasons) or in more severe penance (as in Advent and Lent), but in watchfulness and expectation of the Second Coming of Christ.

It's appropriate, therefore, that the Gospel for the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time (which is actually the first Sunday celebrated in Ordinary Time) always features either John the Baptist's acknowledgment of Christ as the Lamb of God or Christ's first miracle—the transformation of water into wine at the wedding at Cana.

Thus for Catholics, Ordinary Time is the part of the year in which Christ, the Lamb of God, walks among us and transforms our lives. There's nothing "ordinary" about that!



KNIGHTS OF THE SOUTHERN CROSS

The Knights of the Southern Cross, a lay association for Catholic men, meet for faith formation, prayer and fellowship. The next meeting will be Sunday 31st January after 10AM Mass in Tumut.

New members welcome, for More information please contact Patrick McCabe on 0401620363.

NEW ROSTER

A new parish ministry roster is available at the entrance of the church. If you would like to join any of the ministries that assist in our communal liturgies and life of the parish, please get in contact with the Secretary Madeline Ryan on 0478000526 or gundagai@cg.org.au.

SECRETARY OFFICE DAYS

Madeline will be working from the Tumut parish office on Wednesdays from now on. She will be in the Gundagai office on Thursdays 9:30-3:00pm and Friday mornings 9:30am to 12noon.