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Pambula Parish Office

CATHOLIC PARISH OF PAMBULA 27TH/28TH JANUARY 2018

*Our Lady Star of the Sea
Eden*

*St. Joseph's
Merimbula*

*St. Peter's
Pambula*

*St. Joseph's
Wyndham*

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Lumen Christi Catholic College, Pambula Beach - Principal Mr. Steve Centra (Ph: 6495 8888)
Marriage Preparation Contact: - Jacqui & Gavin Bell (Ph: 6494 9766)
Baptism: During Masses on 1st Sunday of the month. Welcoming Mass 4th Sunday of the Month.
 (Ring Office first for all Baptism Preparation enquiries)

New parishioners are most welcome. Please fill in the card in the foyer so we can contact you.

MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil 6p.m.	Eden
Sunday 8a.m.	Pambula
Sunday 10a.m.	Merimbula
Sunday 12pm	Wyndham (4 th Sunday of the Month only)
Tuesday: 5pm	Merimbula
Wednesday 9:30am	Pambula
Thursday 9:30am	Eden
Friday 9:30am	Merimbula

Reconciliation:

9:30am – 10am	Saturday	Merimbula
5:30pm – 5:50pm	Saturday	Eden
7:30am – 7:50am	Sunday	Pambula

Holy Hour at 8:30am followed by Mass at 9:30am on First Friday of every Month, Merimbula

Anointing: Every two months on Fourth (4th) Weekdays at respective Masses – Wednesday to Friday morning. So our next anointing within Mass will be on February 22nd, 23rd, 28th in the morning during weekday Masses.

The Rosary is recited each Tuesday at 4.30pm at St. Joseph's Merimbula and Our Lady Star of the Sea Eden each Thursday at 9am.

Parish News/Events

The Wednesday Social Group meets every Wednesday from 1-3pm in the Parish Centre Merimbula.. New Members are MOST welcome..

Mothers Prayer Group each Monday at 9.30am. at Pambula (except school holidays) All welcome.

Parish Pastoral Council ~ Contact is Bernadette Wood on 6496 1360. Please feel free to call with any concerns you see in our Parish or any inspired ideas you feel we should move forward on.

Vinnies Conference Merimbula is an active group that offers a 'hand up' to those in need. We warmly welcome new members. Please phone Christine Mabbott on 04161 30572 for further information.

Thanks for your generosity: 1st Collection \$917.85 2nd Collection: Envelopes \$1383.50 Loose \$299.90

Please remember in your prayers all our sick and infirm: Betty Cochrane; Michael Black; Patricia Hamm; Joy & Roy Bugden; Edna Reid ;Roslyn Beveridge; Laura Heap; Anne Moorhead; Ray Doughney; Olive Cockroft; Cecil Fletcher; Alex Ivan (nee Wood); Frank Clancy; Czes & Beata Denkiewicz; Eric Mangion; Bill Alcock; Keiran Reynolds; Rian Reynolds; Lynn Hegarty; Dawn Lucas; Patrick Buckley; Julianne Hunt; Paul Picker; John Brannelly; Tony Alcock; Justin Toussaint.

Deceased relatives and friends for whom prayers have been requested include Pio Chang Wai Mun; Slavko Skoko; Ian Hunt; Joan Kennedy; Mary Antony; Jamoin Antony; Sheila Walker; Nora Jones; Albina Dal Piva; Gildo Dal Piva.

We have loved them in Life; let us not forget them in death.

MERIMBULA

<i>Commentator & PF</i>	<i>Reader</i>	<i>Sp. Minister of Communion</i>	<i>Altar Flowers</i>	<i>Offertory</i>
28/01 Teresa	Jackie	Anne, Terry, Leah, Judy		
04/02 Hannah	Zac	Alice, Isabel, Volunteer, Volunteer	Teresa & Helen	

Cleaning: 27/01 Picker Family 03/02 Nil

EDEN

			<i>Prayers of Faithful</i>	
28/01 Bernadette	1. Michael Wood 2. Eileen McRae	Vic & Maree	Mike Sheppard	Lyn Robert
03/02 Eileen Cameron	1. Bernadette 2. Mike Sheppard	Slva & Mary-lou	Rita	Matthew A.

PAMBULA

28/01 Celi Kennedy	Pat Barnard	Gwenda & Amanda	Celi
04/02 Pat Went	Diana Harley	Chris & Maureen	Pat

Cleaning: January: Gwenda Blake. February: Pat Barnard & Sandra Bray
Readings for next Sunday ~ 1st Job 7:1-4, 6-7. Resp. Psalm:140:1-6.. 2nd Reading, Corinthians 9:16-19,22-23.
Gospel Mark 1:29-39 (NSV or NRSV Bible) www.usccb.org

Reception of the Children to be Baptised into our Catholic Parish of Pambula.

We warmly welcome these families and will support them in prayer, praying to God for the gift of a strong faith for them and their children.

January 28th, 18

8am Sunday Mass – Pambula: Archer Madden Dunham, son of Holly & Brett Dunham.

Liturgy Meeting: Our First Liturgy Meeting of 2018 will be held this Tuesday 30th January at 7pm in Parish Centre. Hope to see you all there.

Appointment of Deputy Director for Catholic Education

Mr Angus Tulley Florey has been appointed as Deputy Director for Catholic Education in the Archdiocese for 2018. Angus has worked in a number of Catholic colleges in Canberra and currently holds the position of Principal at St Francis Xavier College Florey. He has been President of the Principal Executive in the Archdiocese since 2014.

Thank you for your leadership in the Archdiocese. Good wishes, Ross Fox.

Social Justice Advocates Samaritan Shop.

We have a huge debt of gratitude to offer to our Bega community.

Thank you to all who donated goods, volunteered and purchased items large and small We at the time of writing have raised over\$45,000 - a massive amount to be used to help those in need in our community Thank you all for the compassion and generosity We can now help to support the homeless and spread food to those in need and in particular work to enhance the lives of our young who have great potential but need added mentoring Thanks to all and love to see everyone again when we reopen the Samaritan op shop in the middle of December. Mick Brosnan.

OBSERVANCE OF SILENCE IN CHURCH

It is imperative that we observe silence in Church especially before Mass begins. People would like to spend time praying and preparing themselves for Mass and it is a **MUST** that we should all respect that too. Your devotions and prayers are greatly appreciated and you are encouraged to continue doing that before Mass starts. However, I ask you please to start praying your devotions 30 minutes before Mass time so that we have 10 minutes of silence before Mass begins in preparation at any place and day.

Feast Days this Week

Wednesday 31 January - St. John Bosco

Friday 2 February - The Presentation of the Lord

Please we encourage you to spend time in prayer with Jesus before the Blessed Sacrament. This coming Friday is First Friday when we have adoration and holy hour at 8:30am before Mass in the morning and also the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord.