

Parish Office Hours:
 Wednesday - Thursday 9.30am—2.30pm
CONTACT DETAILS
 Parish Priest: Fr Paletasala (Pale) Leota
 Parish Secretary: Mrs Patricia Field
 Parish Council Chair: Mrs Bernadette Wood
 Lumen Christi School/College Principal
 Mr Steve Centra
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Liturgy Co-Ordinator: Ms Sue Heffernan
 Finance Chair: Mr Neil Ffrench
Our Lady Star of the Sea - Eden
St. Joseph's - Merimbula
St. Peter's - Pambula
St. Joseph's - Wyndham

MASS TIMES
 Saturday 6pm Eden
 Sunday 8am Pambula
 10am Merimbula
 12pm Wyndham
(4th Sunday of the month)
 Tuesday 5pm Merimbula
 Wednesday 9:30am Pambula
 Thursday 9:30am Eden
 Friday 9:30am Merimbula

Reconciliation (Confession)
 Saturday 9:30am — 10am Merimbula
 Saturday Before Vigil Mass Eden
 Sunday Before Mass Pambula

Sacrament of Baptism:
 Welcoming Mass 4th Sat/Sunday of the month prior to Baptism during Mass on 1st Saturday/Sunday of the month.
(Ring Office first for all Baptism Preparation enquiries)

Weddings:
 By appointment only *(at least 6 months notice in advance)*

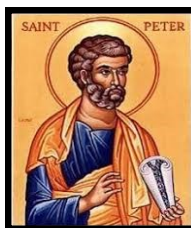
Adoration:
 First Friday 8:30am Merimbula
 First Saturday 5pm Eden
 First Wednesday 4pm Pambula

Tuesday at 4:30pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary Prayed at St Joseph's, Merimbula

Anointing of the Sick: Last Week of March



ST. PETER'S CATHOLIC PARISH OF PAMBULA
We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners and custodians of this land, the Yuin people.
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January 26th, 2020 - Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

	Commentator	Readers	Extra-ordinary Ministry Of Eucharist	Cleaning/Flower
Pambula				
26/01	Jason H.	Diana Harley	Pat/Toos	Dirou/Sinclairs
02/02	Pat Went	Les Dirou	Megan/Celi	
Merimbula				
26/01	Trevor	Fiona	Ursula/Isabel/Anne	
02/02	Fiona	Brian	Alice/Gai/Neil	

WEEKLY/MONTHLY UPCOMING EVENTS
WEEKDAY MASS: No weekday masses this week
Holy Hour on Saturday at 5pm Eden follow by Vigil Mass.

The bushfire Season is upon us. We are seeing raging bushfires that have sadly already taken lives and hundreds of homes. Let us keep the victims, the firefighters and emergency services and all those affected in our prayers as we continue to pray for the gift of rain. Our Vicar General, Fr Tony Percy, has advised that the Archdiocese has sent a letter to all parishes not affected by the bushfires, asking for their financial support *(and prayers)* for the parishes affected. Already the Diocese of Wagga, many parishes in Canberra and the Order of Malta have responded and targeted the parishes they will assist. We are grateful to the parish of Corpus Christi, Gowrie and South Tuggeranong, who will contribute to those affected in our parish. Sadly our beautiful 'Our Lady of the Princes Highway' church at Kiah has been completely destroyed. If anyone out there affected by the bushfire who is in need of support or our help in any way, please contact the parish office on 64951880.

OVERVIEW OF PHASE 2 OF PLENARY COUNCIL - ST PETER'S PAMBULA
 Dear Parishioners
 We are now moving into the Discernment Phase of the Plenary Council Listening Process. This is a request to you to nominate for this Discernment Phase of the Plenary Council Listening Process. This is quite a different approach to Phase 1. This is a prayerful and deep listening process – listening to God and to each other. It invites us to reflect deeply on what needs to be said 'nationally' and 'locally' and to come to a consensus as a group.
 The Parish Pastoral Council will be closely involved in this process and forming the Facilitation Team with the assistance of other Parishioners. This will be carried out during Lent, and can effectively be your Lenten Programme. The proposed details are as follows: Facilitation Team: PPC. 6 Groups around the 6 Plenary Council Themes: People have nominated for the Group they choose:

- Meetings: 2 hours**
 Sunday 1 March at 7pm: **Missionary & Evangelising:**
 Sunday 8 March at 7pm: **Humble Healing & Merciful:**
 Sunday 15 March at 7pm: **Inclusive, Participatory & Synodal:**
 Sunday 22 March at 7pm: **Prayerful & Eucharistic:**
 Sunday 29 March at 7pm: **Open to Conversion, Renewal & Reform:**
 Sunday 5 April at 7pm: **Joyful, Hope-filled & Servant Community:**

Details regarding the process are best viewed from the internet site for the Plenary Council. The Web address is as follows: <https://plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au>
 We will print a copy and put it in the entrance to all Churches, or please contact the office and we will get a copy to you. We are being mindful of only making necessary copies. Also in each church will be Nomination sheets for each session. Please fill in all those sessions you wish to participate in. We will then be able to contact you and give you all necessary paperwork so that you can be prepared for the session. These materials include the over-arching process document. You will also receive the Snapshot Report for your theme.
 It is a way off yet but I urge you to look up the process on the internet and begin to think about the sessions you would like to participate in. Happy New Year to everyone, stay safe.

Blessings
 Bernadette Wood PPC Chair
CHURCH CLEANERS desperately needed for Merimbula, if you are able to help and would like to be put on the roster, please ring Patricia at the Parish Office..

St. Peter's Parish, Pambula Mission Statement
 Our mission as the Christian community of St. Peter's Parish, enlightened and inspired by the Holy Spirit, is to be salt and light through the loving way of our words, actions and respect for the dignity of all so that others may experience the love of Christ.

THE DIVINE MERCY OF JESUS
3 O'clock Prayer
THE HOUR OF GREAT MERCY
 Jesus said:
Call upon My mercy on behalf of sinners; I desire their salvation. When you say this prayer, with a contrite heart and with faith on behalf of some sinner, I will give that person the grace of conversion.
This is the prayer;
"O Blood and Water which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a Fount of Mercy for us, I trust in you."
 The Divine Mercy Chaplet is prayed before Mass on Sunday and the Adoration and Benediction on every First Wednesday at 4pm Pambula Church.

PLENARY COUNCIL 2020
What is God asking of us in Australia at this time?
PLENARY COUNCIL PRAYER
 Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.
 Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.
 O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.
 Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognize Jesus, our companion on the road.
 Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.
 Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.
 Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel.
 Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
 bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.
Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.
St Mary Mackillop, pray for us.

Let us pray for and support those who are sick
 Betty Godfrey, Robert Wallis, Terry Foster, David Fancourt, Mike & Caroline Picker, Penny McEwan, Teena Madelaine, Ray Doughney, Ellie Cox, Eric Mangion, Maureen Partridge, Marie Hart, Anselmo Giuffre, Beata Denkwicz, Lynn Hegarty, Tony Alcock, Irene Spinks.

For the faithful departed or whose Anniversaries occur including
 Leonard W. Fancourt, Ken Clear, Millicent Laura Clear, Leonard W. Fancourt, Jean Pierre Galice, Colin Randazzo, John Joseph Toohey, Angela Giuffre, Giuseppe Giuffre, Anna Giuffre, Giovanni Ristuccia, Scerini Natoli, Gbattsta Saltalamcbr, Bill Robertson, Giulio & Maria Rech, Saviour Joseph Fenech, Harry Steward, Jan Zyglarewicz, Gerald Coyle, Malgorzata Zyglarewicz, Ignacy Mielczarek, Ananias Gonzales, Gerry Recla, Marcela Bambalan, Patrick Clynch, John Hulme, Ron & Monica Seaton, Michael & Betty Bourke, Artemio Rigoberto & Christina Pajaron, John Selberry, Elizabeth Pearce.
May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Thanks for your generosity. First Collection:\$ 763.60 Second Colle4ction Envel;opes \$739.00 Loose \$308.80 Parish Bushfire Project Donation \$200.00

PLANNED GIVING PROGRAMME.
 If you would like to join the program please fill in the green form in the foyer and give to Fr. Pale. Much appreciated.

The **Wednesday Social Group** meets every Wednesday from 1-3pm in the Parish Centre Merimbula. New members most welcome. First get together for 2020 – January 15

Vinnies Conference Merimbula is an active group that offers a 'hand up' to those in need. We warmly welcome new members. Please contact Christine Mabbott on 0416130572.

The **Gospel Discussion Group** The next discussion will take place in the Parish Centre, Merimbula, on Monday 3 February, commencing at 1.00 p.m. All are welcome. For further information, contact Anne on 0408241230.

JOY OF THE GOSPEL the next meeting in Merimbula Parish Centre will be on February 12th commencing 5.30pm. Please bring a plate to share.

Prayer to St. Michael: Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Hosts, by the power of God, cast into hell satan and all the evil spirits, who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.

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