



## CONTACT DETAILS

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### Churches

Our Lady Star of the Sea, Eden

St Joseph's, Merimbula

St Peter's, Pambula

### Mass Times

Saturday	5.30pm, Eden
Sunday	8am Pambula 10am, Merimbula
Tuesday	5pm, Merimbula
Wednesday	10am, Pambula
Thursday	10am, Eden
Friday	10am, Merimbula

## ST PETER'S CATHOLIC PARISH

Our mission as a Christian community of St. Peter's Parish is 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.

We acknowledge the Yuin people and pay our deepest respect to elders past, present and emerging from all first nations of the world from whom we have learned so much.

### COMING EVENTS

#### AGED CARE FACILITY MASS

5<sup>th</sup> Aug 2pm Albert Moore Gardens, Merimbula

7<sup>th</sup> Aug 11.15am Uniting Agecare, Eden

14<sup>th</sup> Aug 11.15am Imlay House, Pambula

#### NEW PARISHIONERS

Could anyone new to the Parish contact the Parish Office or Father George, so that the Parish has your contact details. Thank you.

#### Donation

Caritas Australia appeals for support for amputees in Gaza. Please visit, [www.caritas.org.au/gaza](http://www.caritas.org.au/gaza)

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### A Warm Welcome to Our New Parish Priest Fr.Kose

We extend a heartfelt welcome to our new Parish Priest. May God Bless you abundantly as you begin your ministry with our Parish community. We look forward to walking together in faith, growing as one family, and continuing to build a strong and united Parish under your guidance. Welcome and may your journey with us be filled with joy, wisdom and the grace of God.

**Please join us after the Mass this Sunday in Merimbula to welcome Fr.Kose.**



#### Solemnities / Feast days

**29<sup>th</sup> Jun (Sunday) Sts PETER and PAUL, apostles**

**3<sup>rd</sup> July (Wednesday) St Thomas, apostle**

## PARISH INFORMATION

### Reconciliation (*Confession*)

**Merimbula:** Friday after Mass,

**Eden:** Saturday before Vigil Mass

**Pambula:** Wednesday, after Mass

### Anointing of the Sick: Last Fridays

**Eden:** 26 June 10.00 am

**Merimbula:** 31 July 10.00 am

**Pambula:** 6 Aug 10.00 am

### Sacrament of Baptism

Welcoming Mass – 4<sup>th</sup> Sat/Sun of the month prior to Baptism; during Mass on 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday/ Sunday of the month. Please phone the office for all Baptism preparation enquiries.

### Weddings

By appointment only – at least 6 months' notice in advance.

### Adoration

**Eden:** Thursday 9:00am followed by Mass at 10.00 am.

### Divine Mercy Chaplet

Sun 9:30am **Merimbula**

Fri 9:30am **Merimbula**

### Rosary

**Merimbula:** Cenacle & Holy

Hour 11am Monday

**Pambula:** Wednesday 9:30am

### You can help break the cycle of Homelessness Vinnies Winter Appeal

Collections will be taken up after all Masses on the Weekend of July 19 and 20. Envelopes will be available. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

### Planned Giving Collections:

THANK YOU to ALL parishioners who continually support our Parish through our plate collections at Mass, through the envelopes and direct banking. Without your financial help our Parish could not continue to function.

*We pray for all the faithful departed or whose anniversaries occur including:* Robert Stumpy Wallis, Gloria Pajaron, Tom Parker, Cynthia & Martin Walker, Natividad Rojas, Anna Maria Weinlich, Geoff Heffernan, Luigi Gianfrotta

*Let us pray for and support those who are sick and for all who have asked for our prayers:* Sr Quintilia, Henk Westerlaken, Elaine Carter, Damien Lambourn, Baby Olive Delves, Helen Lynch, John Hazell, Christian Cole, Pat Wong, John Liston, Conrad De Zwart, Jake Alcock, Anne Cooper, Jocelyn Petty, Monica Paffen, Glen Alcock, Patricia May Bills, Cliff Hamilton, Margot Neilson, Chris Greenwood, Margaret Coates, Lyn Collie, Judy Broddrick, Ros Beveridge, Eric Mangion, David Went, David Harkin, Graeme Ansell, Jan Francis

### Personal Note from Fr. Kose Chennelil MS

"Dear Beloved Parishioners of Pambula, Merimbula, and Eden,  
Warm greetings to you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

My name is Fr. Kuriakose Chennelil Joseph, and I belong to the religious congregation of Our Lady of La Salette. I come from a loving family of six — my dear mother, late father, and three elder brothers. My father, a man of deep faith, returned to his eternal home two and a half years ago. Being the youngest in my family, I have always been blessed with the love and guidance of those around me.

I was ordained to the priesthood on 2nd January 2018, and over the past eight grace-filled years, I have been privileged to serve in various roles: Assistant Parish Priest, Vocation Director of our Indian Province, Assistant Director of a school and college, and Rector of the Minor Seminary. Each of these experiences has shaped and deepened my calling to serve God and His people with joy, humility, and dedication.

In Australia, I first served in the Cooma Parish, where I spent a truly enriching year — growing in faith alongside a wonderful and welcoming community. I now feel deeply honoured and blessed to serve you, the beautiful faith communities of Pambula, Merimbula, and Eden.

I understand my name, Kuriakose, may be a bit challenging to pronounce, so please feel free to call me Fr. Kose — a name that comes from the heart.

As I begin this new chapter among you, I humbly ask for your prayers and blessings. May we walk together, hand in hand, in the footsteps of Christ, as we build a vibrant, compassionate, and faith-filled parish community. Let our journey be guided by love, trust, peace, and a shared commitment to seeking the will of God in all that we do.

May God bless us all abundantly.

With love and prayers,

Fr. Kose Chennelil MS

Parish Priest – Pambula, Merimbula, and Eden"