



## CONTACT DETAILS Parish Priest

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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

6<sup>th</sup> May 2pm Albert Moore Gardens, Merimbula

### Monday Discussion Group

Please join us to discuss the writing of St.Paul. Please join us at St. Clément's Anglican Church hall, Main Street, Merimbula at 12.30-2.30pm on Monday the 28<sup>th</sup> April. Please contact Anne on 0408 241 230

**LUNCHING WITH LADIES** at Tura Beach Country Club

**12:00 for 12:30pm, SUNDAY April 27**

Names to Teresa by Wed April 23 (0408 827 794)

30<sup>th</sup> April Wednesday at 5pm Merimbula - **Virgil Mass** for St. Joseph the Worker

### Parent's Information

Parents and Children preparing for Reconciliation and also First Holy Communion Please attend all parents and children at 6.30pm-7.30pm on 30<sup>th</sup> April at Merimbula.

We will be providing Pizza at 6pm

### Priest and Secretary's Deanery Day

On Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 9am in Narooma

**We pray for the soul of Pope Francis. May he find eternal peace and rest in God's loving embrace**

This Year of Jubilee in the universal Church calls us to embrace, and be renewed in, the hope of Christ – a hope that does not disappoint. We are embarking on a particular time of pilgrimage and as the Holy Father has reminded us, Jesus, "is the destination of our pilgrimage". He is both the way, and the path to be travelled. Archbishop Peter Comensoli.

### Solemnities –Masses will be celebrated on these days

28<sup>th</sup> April (Monday) – St.Peter Chanel, priest,martyr

3<sup>rd</sup> May (Saturday) – Sts Philip and James, apostles

14<sup>th</sup> May (Wednesday) – St Matthias, apostle

## PARISH INFORMATION

### Reconciliation (Confession)

**Merimbula:** Friday after Mass, **during Lent** 30 minutes before Mass

**Eden:** Saturday before Vigil Mass

**Pambula:** Wednesday, after Mass

### Anointing of the Sick: Last Fridays

**Merimbula:** 2<sup>nd</sup> May. 10.00 am

**Pambula:** 28 May. 10.00 am

**Eden:** 26 June 10.00am

### 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



*We pray for all the faithful departed or whose anniversaries occur including:* Brodie

*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, Geoff Heffernan, Judy Broddrick, Ros Beveridge, Eric Mangion, David Went, David Harkin, Graeme Ansell

### Volunteers needed

- The flower group in Merimbula needs more volunteers. If you're interested please contact 0400 304 044

### Divine Mercy

Novena will commence on Good Friday and ends on the feast day. Please join us for the **service** (NO MASS) at 3pm on 27.4.25 at Merimbula. Brochures are available at the church.

**Confession** will be available from 2.30pm before the service

### 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.

**No Mass – 1<sup>st</sup> May Thursday at 10am, Eden**

**Mass in Eden on Saturday has been fixed for 5:30pm**

### CONSENT FOR THE SALE OF PARISH LAND

Following the recommendation to sell the excess non income land, at St. Peter's Parish Pambula to invest in residential properties to generate income for the Parish and to build the Parish centre. The Parish Finance Council will require your consent in order to tender the projected plan to the Trustee of Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn for approval. If you have any concern Please contact Parish priest

**PARISH SAFEGUARDING COMMITMENT:** St Peter's Parish is committed to safeguarding and upholding the dignity and rights of all children and vulnerable people. We seek to empower children, their families and carers, and vulnerable people to have their say, to be listened to and to be protected. This approach is at the centre of all of our thinking.

**COMMUNICATING CONCERNS:** You are encouraged to raise any concerns by emailing Fr George, the Parish Office, the Parish Safeguarding Volunteer or directly to Maria Hicks at the Institute Professional Standards & Safeguarding (IPSS) on [ipss@cg.org.au](mailto:ipss@cg.org.au)

### 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.