

## PARISH NEWS & EVENTS

We **WELCOME CINIL TOMAS** who is making some discernments before entering the major seminary in pursuit of becoming a Priest.

**Parish Office** opening hours during the School Holidays:

Mon 26/9: 9:30am-1:30pm

Wed 28/9: 9:30am-1:30pm

Tues 4/10: 9:30am-1:30pm

Wed 5/10: 9:30am-1:30pm (Bulletins will be completed on Wednesdays).

**ORDERS FOR 2023:** We have now placed the order for **Ordo 2023 (\$15), 2023**

**Daily Mass Book (\$25), 2023 Columban Art Calendar (\$10).** You may wish to pay by giving an envelope with your name and the names of the books you are purchasing to the Parish Office or placing it in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection on the weekend.

Lord, make us builders of your  
Kingdom, together with  
migrants and refugees and with  
all who dwell on the peripheries.  
Let us learn how beautiful it is  
to live together  
as brothers and sisters.  
Amen.

### LUMEN CHRISTI CATHOLIC COLLEGE ORIENTATION DAYS

#### KINDERGARTEN 2023

Day 1 Thursday, 3 November 2022 – 9:00am to 10:15am

Day 2 Tuesday 8 November 2022 – 9:00am to 10:15am

Day 3 Thursday, 17 November 2022 – 9:00am to 10:15am

Day 4 Tuesday, 22 November 2022 – 9:00am to 10:15am

*Children attend both days and wear comfortable clothes and runners, bring a drink & hat.*

#### YEAR 7 2023

Wednesday, 30 November, 2022 – 9:00am to 3:20pm

*Students wear their primary sports uniform and runners. Bring pencil case, recess, lunch, drink & hat.*

#### **WHAT'S HAPPENING AT LUMEN CHRISTI DURING THE SEASON OF CREATION...**

4. Lumen Christi Catholic College has continued to support the Franciscan Sisters of St Anthony in Pontevedra, whom students visited as part of immersion trips between 2016-2019. A Mufti Day on the College Feast Day and a Book Swap during Book Week raised over \$900 to support Sr Rei and the nuns who support their Filipino community. This is a great example of how the College responds to The Cry of the Poor, one of the goals of the Laudato Si Action Platform.

*More updates will follow in next week's bulletin.*



CATHOLIC PARISH OF  
**PAMBULA**

### CONTACT DETAILS

#### **Parish Priest**

Fr Paletasala (Pale) Leota

#### **Parish Secretary**

Mrs Alicia O'Connor

#### **Parish Council Chair**

Mrs Bernadette Wood

#### **Liturgy Coordinator**

Ms Sue Heffernan

#### **Finance Chair**

Mr Neil Ffrench

#### **Lumen Christi Catholic College**

Mr Shane Giles (02) 6495 8888

#### **Marriage Preparations**

Damien & Celi Kennedy

#### **Parish Office**

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Wednesday to Friday

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#### **Churches**

Our Lady Star of the Sea, Eden

St Joseph's, Merimbula

St Peter's, Pambula

St Joseph's, Wyndham

#### **Mass Times**

Saturday -5pm, Eden

Sunday -8am, Pambula

-10am, Merimbula

Tuesday -4:30pm, Merimbula

Wednesday-9:30am, Pambula

Thursday -9:30am, Eden

Friday -9:30am, Merimbula

## ST PETER'S CATHOLIC PARISH

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.

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

### **Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2022**

**World Refugees & Migration Day**

### **Insects, Heaven and Hell**

The rich man ('Dives') is so totally self-absorbed in the self-indulgence of his wealth that he does not even notice poor Lazarus at his gate. He created such a huge chasm between himself and the poor that not one crumb of food or companionship could cross over to Lazarus.

This chasm, created by Dives, was fixed at the moment of his death so that not one part of the life of Paradise could cross over to him – not even a drop of water. Hell is not a punishment sent by God. It is simply the continuation of the Divide which some have chosen as that which defines who they are. Hell is of our own making.

We could pause for a moment to check that we are making such choices that we become amongst those 'carried gently by the angels into Paradise'.

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**Am 6:1. 4-7 /1 Tm 6:11-16/  
Lk 16:19-31**  
**Responsorial Psalm: Ps 145:6-10. R. v.2**  
(R.) Praise the Lord, my soul!  
**Gospel Acclamation: 2 Cor 8:9**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Jesus Christ was rich but he became poor,  
to make you rich out of his poverty.  
Alleluia!

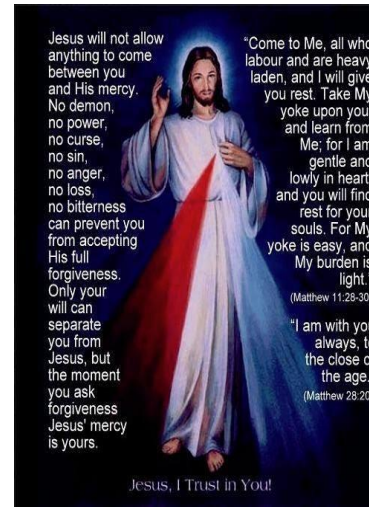
**Communion Antiphon: Cf. Ps 118:49-50**  
Remember your word to your servant, O Lord,  
by which you have given me hope.  
This is my comfort when I am brought low.



**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK:**  
Sun 25 Sept: World Refugees & Migration Day (Holy See).  
Mon 26 Sept: Sts Cosmas and Damian, martyrs (Optional).  
Tues 27 Sept: St Vincent de Paul, priest (Memorial).  
Wed 28 Sept: Sts Wenceslaus, martyr, and Lawrence Ruiz and companions, martyrs (Optional).  
Thurs 29 Sept: Sts Michael, Gabriel, Raphael, archangels (Feast).  
Fri 30 Sept: St Jerome, priest, doctor (Memorial).  
Sat 1 Oct: St Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor (Memorial).

*Let Us Pray for and support those who are sick and for all who have asked for our prayers...* Geoff Bernie, Ruth Mercieca, Margot Neilson, Lynette Boxall, Rob Francis, Shirley Abreu, Val Richardson, Peter Lewis, Michael Sheppard, Sandra Bray, Chris Greenwood, Margaret Coates, Irene Spinks, Mary Scanlan, Lyn Collie, Geoff Heffernan, Mary O'Donnell, Judy O'Donnell, John Reynolds, Max Andrew, Ros Beveridge, Eric Mangion, Anselmo Guiffre, David Went.  
*We pray for all the Faithful departed or whose anniversaries occur including:*  
Zdenka Bogut, Walter John Kalitzky, Vincent Heffernan, Monica Wood, Julka Iskric, Ian Mitchell, Marie Radford.  
**May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of our Lord, Rest in Peace. Amen**

**Sacramental Program First Eucharist**  
We pray for those children that are preparing to receive their First Eucharist.  
Family Masses: 27/28 Aug-15/16 Oct (Eden/Merimbula).  
Eucharist Retreat: Friday 14 Oct (4-6pm Merimbula TBC).  
Sacrament of First Eucharist: 22/23 Oct (Eden/Merimbula).



**Planned Giving Collections:** First: \$814.90; Second: Envelopes: \$545.50; Loose: \$345.40. **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.

**Children's Liturgy**

Every 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday - 10am, Merimbula  
**Reconciliation (Confession)**  
Saturday, 9:30am - 10:00am, Merimbula  
Saturday, before Vigil Mass, Eden  
Sunday, before Mass, Pambula  
**Sacrament of Baptism**

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

**Adoration**

Every Wednesday at 4:00pm & 1st Friday of the month at 8:30am, Merimbula  
1st Sunday at 3:00pm, Eden

**Rosary**

Every Monday at 11am, Merimbula.

**Weddings**

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

**Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary**

Sunday 9:30 & Tuesdays at 4:30pm St Joseph's Merimbula  
Wednesday 9am Pambula



**Parish Pastoral Council News**

We are excited to announce we will be having for the first time in years a Parish Mass. One mass in the Parish for the weekend so that we can all come together again!

**Sunday 30th October at 10.00 am at St Joseph's in Merimbula.**  
All welcome. Lunch together afterwards. There will be food, fun, fellowship and entertainment. Save the date.  
See you there, Pambula Parish Pastoral Council.

**The Living Rosary**

Parish Rosary Procession to commemorate October, the month of the Rosary. All are most welcome to join in the Living Rosary.

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October at Our Lady Star of the Sea Church, Eden.**  
The Rosary will commence at 11am but please arrive 15 minutes earlier to write your prayer or message on the card provided.