




Immaculate Conception Parish of Tumut



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3rd Sunday of Lent 23 March 2025

Immaculate Conception Parish acknowledges the Wiradjuri people of Tumut,
being the traditional owners of the land on which we gather and worship

 Tumut Mission Tumut, Gundagai, Adelong, Batlow, and Talbingo. Fr Joseph Neonbasu Mobile: 0497 783 924 Email: yoseph.neonbasu@cg.org.au Fr Xavier Francis IVDei Email: xavier.francis@cg.org.au Safeguarding Officer Leanne Dunn - dunnland@yahoo.com Tumut Mission Secretary – Sue Hall Tumut Office Hours – Tue & Thu 9-2pm Email: tumut@cg.org.au Ph. 69474599 Parish web page: cg.org.au/Tumut Facebook: Immaculate Conception's Parish Tumut	Tumut - Mass Times		Country Mass Times	
	Tuesday 25 Mar - Chapel Eucharistic Adoration 5pm Mass 6pm		Gundagai	Friday 12noon Saturday 5pm
	Wednesday 26 Mar - Church Mass 10.15am		Batlow	8am Confession 8.30am 2 nd Sunday 5pm 4 th Sunday
	Thursday 27 Mar - Chapel Mass 8am		Adelong	8am Confession 8.30am 1 st /3 rd Sunday
	Saturday 29 Mar - Chapel Eucharistic Adoration 8am Rosary 8.30am Mass 9am Confession 9.30am		Talbingo	8.00am 5 th Sunday
	Sunday 30 Mar - Church Rosary 9.30am Mass 10am Confession 9 - 9.45am		Blakeney Lodge	Mass 4 th Tuesday at 11am
			Uniting Care	Mass 4 th Thursday at 11am


Roster	23 March	30 March
Acolyte	Trish Matthews	Dave Shedden
Reader	Anita Mason & Lisa Pannell	Anne Huebner & Mark Harmer
Music	Francis & Prince	Monica & Pat
Linen	Maria Cobden	Sue
Church Care	Barry, Vivian & friends	Barry, Vivian & friends

PRAYER REQUEST: the Mass Offerings are offered during Weekday Masses

Recently Deceased  Edna Cruz Peter Murphy Fr Kevin Flynn Elva Dawn Russell Susan (Gwen) Attwood Ester Whitley Laurence Barrett Dianna Piper	Mass Offering Merle Sturt, Alan Egan, John Mills, Coral Kell, Terry Smith, Ete Casnave, Doreen Egan, Gwen Attwood, Teresa Bond, Maureen & Joseph Hetherington, Tony Hetherington, Lorraine Cullen, Palmira Merlo, Angela & Alan Guthrie, Frederick & Mabel McInerney, Ken Elliott, Lenny McInerney, Ralph Klaus, Imelda & Francis McInerney, Chris Ballard, Pete Smee, Clem Malone, Rita & Frank Stanfield	The Sick Stephen Dean Catherine Parker Sylvia Flynn,  Bruce Wallace Cathy McKelvie Evelyn Bare, Jim McCaig Evelyn Heffernan Claire Gordon
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Parish Pastoral Council Rebecca Fardell (chair), Patricia Mangelsdorf (secretary), Trish Matthews, Eamonn Moore, Anita Mason, Fr Joseph Neonbasu & Fr. Xavier Francis IVDei.	Parish Finance Committee Sue Bulger (Chair), Maria Sommerville (Secretary), Angela Crane, Rebecca Fardell, Cameron Ellison, Fr Joseph Neonbasu & Fr Xavier Francis IVDei.
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Banking / Planned Giving (for envelopes, contact Parish Secretary)	Collection Plate
Immaculate Conception Tumut BSB 062 786 AC 000015049	\$ 747.40

Sacraments Confession Before Sunday Mass 9am - 9.45am Marriage By appointment Baptism Saturday 10.30am These forms are on Parish Website, call or email to book an appointment. For a Pastoral care visit contact the office.	Sacraments 2025 First Holy Communion – 9 April 2025 Retreat – 2 April 9am-1pm in St Mary's Hall Reconciliation – 18 June 2025 Confirmation – 24 August 2025 
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Prayer for the Parish Mission

O Most Holy Virgin, immaculate in body and spirit look kindly on us as we implore your powerful intercession. O Most Holy Mother, receive our prayers as we present them to God. O Mary, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, you intercede for us with your Son. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee.

Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception, pray for us

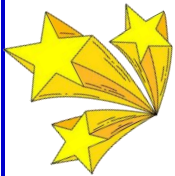
St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, pray for us
Blessed Carlo Acutis, pray for us.

A Special Welcome to Adelong Parish Community

Let us pray for the Adelong Community as they are preparing for the Church renovations. Meanwhile, they will be joining us in our weekend Celebration Of The Holy Mass. Let us Welcome them and make everyone feel welcome!

Welcome

We are delighted you've joined us. May God's word today strengthen your faith, inspire curiosity and learning, and motivate your service of others.



A BLESSING GRANTED TO US

On behalf of Alphonse family: Sonia Alphonse, Alphonse Pereira, Amith Alphonse and Ananya Sara Alphonse, we thank you all for your prayers and supports for the. They have been granted visas to stay in Australia **Permanently**. It is the prayers that you all contributed to all the process. Together, let us thank our God for his blessing to us.

Easter Celebrations

By the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus, we have in mind the intense journey that began with his entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, in preparation for the Jewish feast of Passover. Events gain momentum with his celebration of the Jewish Passover with his disciples on Holy Thursday evening, 'the last supper'. This



then led to his betrayal, torture and death on Good Friday. It culminates the restoration to new life on Holy Saturday and his appearance first to Mary Magdalene and then his closest disciples on Easter Sunday. Mass Times will be out soon. Let us prepare our hearts and mind for these HOLY WEEK Celebration.



Singing Practice for Holy Week Celebrations

In preparation for Holy week, we are looking for people who enjoy singing to join us after mass for the next couple of weeks to learn some songs (you will have the words...)

So during Holy week we can sing to make the liturgy more meaningful for all
If you are interested in joining us and singing, please stay back after mass this week



Parish Pastoral Council (PPC)

We are still looking for members for the Parish Pastoral Council. Some important information about the Parish Pastoral Council.

You can:

- Nominate a parishioner ensuring that person knows of the nomination.
- Nominate yourself for Parish Pastoral Council
- Nomination forms will be available at the back of the Church.
- Nomination forms need to be returned to box in the foyer of the Church



Irene lives in the Kongolo Region in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) and faced immense challenges after losing her father to war and raising her children in poverty. With support from Caritas Australia, Irene received vocational training in sewing and farming and can now support her whole family. **Please donate today.** You can support Project Compassion 2025 through the donation boxes or envelopes.

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