

# Lent & Easter Season Challenge

Every Christian's dream is to go up to heaven, but the way to heaven is NOT a SOLO journey. Jesus invites us to proclaim God's Good News, we ought to be disciples and heralds!

*This Lenten Season, have you thought about bringing someone, a love one, a family member, a friend, back to the church?*

*Let us take Jesus' challenge to be his instrument, let us bring people back to God. Let us bring them back to the Church!*

START WITH

JESUS

STAY WITH

JESUS

END WITH

JESUS



HOLY WEEK





# Sacred Heart Parish Church

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## PARISH MASS TIMES

### Sacred Heart Church Inverell

SATURDAY 6:00 pm

SUNDAY 9:00 am

Monday, Tuesday and 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday 9:30 am  
 Wednesday, Thursday and (1<sup>st</sup> Friday Anointing Mass) 12:00 noon  
 1<sup>st</sup> Friday Adoration and Benediction 12:30 pm

### RECONCILIATION

SATURDAY 4:30 to 5:30 pm

SUNDAY 8:00 to 8:30 am

### McLean Retirement Village

FRIDAY (except 1<sup>st</sup> Friday) 11:00 am

TINGHA	St. Francis' Church	Saturday	5:00 pm
BUNDARRA	St. Mary of the Angel's Church	Sunday	8:00 am
ASHFORD	St. Patrick's Church	Sunday	10:30 am
YETMAN	St. Joseph the Worker's Church	5th Sunday	10:00 am

Nota bene: You may contact the Parish Priest on 0412771516

## PARISH SCHEDULES THIS WEEK...

MONDAY: Rosary 9:00 AM  
Hospital Visitation 3:00 PM

TUESDAY: Rosary 9:00 AM

WEDNESDAY: Rosary & Angelus 11:30 AM

HOME ROSARY 3:00 PM

**Ken & Mary Middleton (18 May Street)**

Tingha Home Rosary 4:30 PM

**Bernie & Colleen Graham (11 Diamond Street)**

THURSDAY: SCHOOL VISITATION 9:15 AM  
Rosary & Angelus 11:30 PM

FRIDAY: INFANTS' LITURGY 9:30 AM  
McLean MASS 11:00 AM  
2nd Friday TEAM

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS 5:30 PM**

## ROSTERS

Greeters  
Projector OP.  
Readers  
Commentator/P of F.  
Bread & Wine  
Communion Ministers

Altar Servers

Music Ministry  
Cantor  
Collection Offeror

**4 March / Sat. 6 pm**  
 VOLUNTEERS  
 S SMITH  
 N MCCOSKER, D DASEY  
 SR CORAL  
 CASEY-RANSOM FAMILY  
 N TURNER, M & M WARD  
 VOLUNTEERS  
 I & K HUTCHINGS, M STEVENS

D GIBSON GROUP  
G GIBSON  
A MICHAEL

Sunday Morning tea

Counters

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

**TEAM : M & T MANUEL**  
**VOLUNTEERS WHEN NEEDED**

## We Pray for the Sick

Bill Baar, Enrique Dela Pena, Rebecca King, Veronica Ticehurst, Michael Hopgood, Tricia Byrne, Linda Leader, Maree Chie, Baby Rose Kennedy, Pat Schuman, Brett Romer, Dolores (Tootie) Rolfe, Margaret Polock, Laurel Barker, Anthony Simpson, Kath Hiscox, David Sanders, Irene Dasey, Gwen Zemit, Harold Castledine, Mary Schembri, Brian Barker, Tony Seitz, Anne Di Costanzo, Agnes Hannigan, Jack Azar (great nephew of Bill Dempsey) Wilfreda Gascon (mother of Rowel Gascon) and all the sick members of our parish whose names are not listed here.

## We Pray for the Recently Deceased

John Boulus, Ann Ryan, Nancy Winmill, Ronald Casey (father of Ann Casey-Ransom) Anne Gleeson (mother of Maureen Newbigin), Rita Casula (sister of Doloretta Migheli), Bill Lockwood, Barbara Wisemantel, Eileen Moore

## Anniversaries:

May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

## Mass Intentions for the Week

### For the repose of the souls of:

John Boulus, Ann Ryan, Amber Marie Zappa, Ron Casey, Nancy Winmill, Anne Gleeson

### For the fast recovery and healing of:

Veronica Ticehurst, Bill Baar, Enrique Dela Pena

## The special intentions of the Holy Father



Pope Francis

Dear Lord Jesus,  
During this season of lent, we pray for the persecuted Christians throughout the world. May all Christians who are suffering on account of their faith experience the spiritual and material support of the whole Church. Amen.

**5 March / Sun. 9 am**  
 P CONSTABLE, A O'BRIEN  
 R MCGREGOR  
 D MCMAHON, E SIBUL  
 J HARRIS  
 GASCON FAMILY  
 J RAINGER, B MCGRATH,  
 D HANNIGAN, VOLUNTEERS  
 L RAINGER, E MCGUINNESS

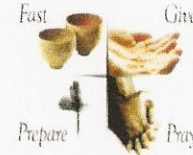
A TUBB GROUP  
G TUBB  
P CONSTABLE

**11 March / Sat. 6 pm**  
 VOLUNTEERS  
 S SZUMOWSKI  
 J GIBSON, J TURNER  
 J KELLY  
 M AITON, C COTTLELL  
 SR CORAL, D DASEY,  
 P CROFT, VOLUNTEER  
 J HOLLIS, VOLUNTEERS

MEN'S CHOIR  
G LEACH  
C LENNON

## Project Compassion 2017

envelope packs and boxes are now available  
Please support CARITAS in their work in helping the needy community in the world.  
DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE



## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 21<sup>st</sup> MAY SUNDAY at 9:00 am by Most Rev. Michael Robert Kennedy, D.D. Bishop of Armidale

The Sacramental Program for Confirmation for Public School children will be conducted in the parish. Holy Trinity School children will have their program at school. There will be a "Parents' Information Session" on the 13<sup>th</sup> of March Monday at 6:00 pm and the 15<sup>th</sup> of March Wednesday at 1:00 pm at the Church.

If you know anyone, a child of a relative, a family member, a friend, who is of age for Confirmation, kindly inform them or their family about the program.

## PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

MEETING ON MONDAY 6th March 2017

5:30 PM at the Meeting Room.

## LITURGY & MUSIC COMMITTEE

MEETING ON SATURDAY 11th March 2017

8:30 AM at the Meeting Room.

## Women's Breakfast 10 MARCH, Friday 8:00 am

2nd Friday of the month at the Bridge Coffee Lounge. We would love to have other ladies of the parish to join us. Please phone Ann Barry on 67222858 or Marj Manuel on 67224772.  
Everyone welcome.

## Men's Breakfast 11th March, Saturday 7:30 am

at the New Australian Café Corner Otho & Evans St. Names to Bernie Cook at 67224387 by Wednesday Night 8th March.  
ALL ARE WELCOME!

**12 March / Sun. 9 am**  
 P CONSTABLE, REDONDO FAM.  
 P GIRLE  
 S CAPA, S DIZON  
 H HOLLIS  
 D BRYANT, R MCGREGOR  
 N COOK, D MCMAHON,  
 A WRATTEN, R MCGREGOR  
 R REDONDO, VOLUNTEERS

C. MCCOSKER GP  
S. TURNER  
R WITHERDIN

## Altar Society ROSTERS

**MARCH**  
Val McMahon  
Rosie Michael

**APRIL**  
Margaret Robinson  
Rosie Long



## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAYS' OF LENT

5:30 PM

AT THE CHURCH



March 3  
Music and Liturgy Committee  
March 10  
Parish Catechists  
March 17  
Parish Pastoral Council  
March 24  
Parish Family Groups  
March 31  
St. Vincent de Paul Society  
April 7  
Parish Altar Society

April 14 (Good Friday at 10:00 am)



## Happy Birthday/ Anniversary

We rejoice and felicitate with all who are celebrating their birthdays and anniversaries in the month of MARCH.

We pray for God's blessings on all of you...

## Collections Last Weekend

1st Collection :	\$ 965.50
2nd Collection :	\$ 761.00
Loose Collections :	\$ 100.00
Direct Debit :	\$ 265.00

The Sacred Heart Parish acknowledges the Kamilaroi people, the traditional owners and custodian of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to them and for their care of the land. May we walk gently and respectfully upon this land. And we pray that peace and harmony prevail. GOD BLESS AUSTRALIA.