

# Sacred Heart Parish Church

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Mon & Fri 8am-1pm; Thurs 8am-12 noon

### **PARISH MASS TIMES**

Sacred Heart Church Inverell

6.00pm Saturday Sunday 9.00am

Monday, Tuesday and 1st Saturday	9.30am
Wednesday and Thursday	12 noon
1st Friday Mass and Benediction	12 noon
First Wednesday Anointing Mass	12 noon

McLean Village Each Friday except 1st Friday 11.00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

MON 18th

TUE 19th

WED 20th

THUR 21st

FRI 22nd

Saturday 8.15am - 9.15am 8.00am - 8.30am Sunday

St. Francis' Church Saturday Tingha St Patrick's Church 1st & 3rdSunday 11.00am Ashford

St Mary of the Angels 2nd & 4th Sun 11.00am Bundarra

11.30am Yetman St Joseph the Worker 5th Sunday

> Baptism (Saturday only) 11am; Marriages and Funerals by Appointment For emergencies please phone 0428-126703



O' Sacrament Divine. All Praise and all Thanksgiving, be every moment Thine...

THE MONTH OF THE HOLY NAME OF IESUS



Rosary

Mass

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### of God, rest in peace. Amen. PARISH SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

9.00am

9.30am

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9.30am

11.30am

12 Noon

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## COVID 19 SAFETY PLAN FOR OUR PARISH

**OUR VISION AND OUR MISSION** 

We as a PARISH, try to live out our

MISSION: To know Christ more, His life and His teach-

ings. To imbibe Christ's message of love and service.

To try to share generously what graces and blessings

Yvonne Hawkins; Terry Manuel; Gladvs Lanfranchi; The

McNally Family; Relatives & Friends of Pat Bailey, Col-

leen Lynch (Bower); The family of Colleen Lynch - her

grandchildren; John Lennon; Brok Geaney; Annamma

children and their spouses, her grandchildren and great

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Fr John Willis, John Crabbe, Lorraine Welsh, Mike and

Marie Ward, Jenny Turner, Wayne Jones, Emma Don-

aldson, Wayne Lackey, Tony Starr, Mary Kramer, Leo

Germany, Baby Isabel Akhil, Joan Hiscox, Paul Saint,

Watts (daughter of Phyllis Nichols) John Sanders, Rex

Parry, David Sanders, Danny Dickins, Katrina Newbigin,

Bob Kneipp, Brian Barker, Dorothy Ball, Denise Tavei-

We Pray for the Recently Deceased

& for the Anniversries of

Paula Adam Dimaano, Gabrielle Seveau, Robert Mug-

gleton, Margaret Tome, Mary Una Strahle, Sr Eleanor

Eternal life grant unto them Oh Lord, and let

perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls

and all the faithful departed, through the mercy

Dawson (RSJ), Peter Tilocca, Ruth Lewis, Val Beveridge,

Kerrie O'Keeffe, Sr Leo (Josie) Clancy, Rhonda Lee

ra, Joanne Essey, Graham Tom, Fred Boight,

parish whose names are not listed here.

Veronica Walker, Barbara Wisemantel.

Agnes Hannigan and the sick members of our

Mass Intentions for the Week

we have and to be instruments of the Gospel mes-

VISION: To continually form a Christ-centred

through SERVICE in peace, justice and love.

community based on the Gospel Values expressed

Mass attendance, Weddings, and Funerals: The Sacred Heart Church can accommodate a maximum of 150 worshippers at a time.

Contact Sheets: placed at each opened entrance to the Church. Parishioners attending the Church are required to record their full names. Visitors are required to record their name and contact details. This is a health tracing requirement in case of a Corona Virus outbreak. The contact sheets will be removed after each Mass and kept confidential.

If you prefer to receive Holy Communion on the tongue, please wait until all other parishioners have been before approaching the altar. If you are unwell please stay at home.

If you require Home Communion contact the office.

# JANUARY 17TH - SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

"In temptations against chastity, the spiritual masters advise us, not so much to contend with the bad thought, as to turn the mind to some spiritual, or, at least, indifferent object. It is useful to combat bad thoughts face to face, but not thoughts of impurity." - St Alphonsus Liguori

#### **HOME ROSARY**

Tingha Bernie & Colleen Graham 11 Diamond Street

> Wednesday 20 Jan at 4.30pm (Every Wednesday)

Inverell No Home Rosary this week

#### Answering God's call

When He calls us do we answer Him? Do we recognise His voice? Do we listen for it in our hearts? Do we answer promptly when he calls us, saying, 'Speak, Lord, your servant is listening,' or, do we say, 'Not now, Lord, I'm too busy. Call me later,'? God is always seeking to speak with us. Let us listen for His voice and answer Him with the eager desire to please like that of a loving child when he

Our Lord's great command was: "Follow Me!" By calling others to Himself, He introduced the idea that man should have charge over man. It was a prolongation of the principle of His Incarnation: He Who is God would teach and redeem and sanctify through the human nature which He had taken from Mary. But He would work also through other human natures, starting with those first twelve whom He called to be His followers. It was not to be the angels who would administer to men: the government of the Father would be placed in the hands of human beings. Such is the meaning of His apostolic call to the twelve.

One is struck at once by the gigantic aim He proposed for His followers, namely, the moral conquest of the whole world; they were to be the "light of the world," the "salt of the earth," and the "city that cannot be hid." He bade rather insignificant men to take an almost cosmic view of their mission, for on them would He build His kingdom. These chosen lights were to cast their rays over the rest of humanity, in all nations.

The word Cephas meant "rock"; we do not get the full flavour of it in English, because Peter, the proper name, is not the same as our word "rock." The words were identical in the Aramaic which Our Blessed Lord spoke, just as they are in French, where the proper name Pierre is the same as pierre, or rock. In Scripture, whenever God changed the name of a man, it was to raise him to a higher dignity and role in the community to which he belonged. Our Lord might have been saying to Peter: "You are impulsive and fickle and unreliable, but one day all this will be changed; you will be called by a name that no one would dare give you now - Rock Man. Venerable Archbishop Fulton Sheen

### PRAYER TO GOD FOR HELP

God our Father, Creator of the world, almighty and merciful, out of love for us you sent your Son into the world as the doctor of our souls and bodies. Look upon your children who, in this difficult time of confusion and dismay, turn to you seeking strength, salvation and relief. Deliver us from illness and fear, heal our sick, comfort their families, give wisdom to our rulers, energy and reward to our doctors, nurses and volunteers, and eternal life to the dead. Do not abandon us in the moment of trial but deliver us from all evil. We ask this through the intercession of our Blessed Mother and Saint Joseph, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

## PLAN GIVING PROGRAM FOR THE SUPPORT OF YOUR PRIESTS AND UPKEEP OF THE CHURCH

The continued generosity of parish members is greatly appreciated. For those who would prefer to make donations by direct deposit the details of the Sacred Heart Parish Accounts are as follows:

1st Collection: Presbytery for priest support BSB 082105 A/C 001023550

2nd Collection: Church for upkeep & maintenance BSB 082105 A/C 001001010

For those on the Plan Giving Program could you please quote your surname and envelope number for the reference. Thank you.

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Finance Committee Thurs 28 January 2021 5.30pm Wed 3 February 2021 5.00pm Parish Council Liturgy Committee Sat 13 February 2021 8.30am



# Due to Covid19 we have suspended some of our Ministries and reduced numbers rostered in others. Thank you for understanding.

ROSTER	16thJan-Sat 6pm	17thJan—Sun 9am	23rdJan-Sat 6pm	24thJan-Sun 9am	
GREETERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	
PROJECTOR	SR CORAL	R MCGREGOR	JO KELLY	P GIRLE	
READERS	S O'BRIEN	G JOHNSON	M WARD	C BRUSE	
COMMENTATOR	J KELLY	VOLUNTEER	P ARMSTRONG	J HARRIS	
COMMUNION MINISTER	J MONIE	MJ GUEST	N TURNER	M ROBINSON	
GIFTS	SUSPENDED	SUSTENDED	รนรระกฎะฎ	รนรระกฎะฎ	
ALTAR SERVERS	SUSTENDED	SUSTENDED	SUSPENDED	SUSTENDED	
MUSIC MINISTRY	SUSTENDED	รนรระกฎะฎ	SUSPENDED	SUSTENDED	
COLLECTION	Collection Baskets are at each of the Church entrances. Thank you.				
MORNING TEA	SUSTENDED	SUSTENDED	SUSTENDED	SUSTENDED	
COUNTERS		N TURNER & M NEWBIGIN		R & G JOHNSON	