



Sacred Heart Parish Church

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PARISH MASS TIMES

Sacred Heart Church Inverell

Saturday 6.00pm (5.30pm from May to August)
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

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

Tingha St. Francis' Church Saturday 4.00pm
(Saturday 3.30pm from May to August)

Ashford St Patrick's Church 1st & 3rd Sunday 11.00am

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

Yetman St Joseph the Worker 5th Sunday 11.30am

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



"The family that prays together stays together."
- Fr Patrick Peyton

October being the month of the Most Holy
Rosary the rosary will be prayed 30 minutes
before every Mass

**We congratulate all recipients of First Holy Communion
this Sunday and their families**



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

PARISH SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

**OCTOBER- THE HOLY MONTH OF THE MOST
HOLY ROSARY & THE MISSIONS**

MON 11th	Feast Day of the Maternity of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am
TUE 12th	Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am	
WED 13th	Rosary 11.30am Mass 12 Noon	
THUR 14th	Rosary 11.30am Mass 12 Noon	
FRI 15th	Feast Day of St Teresa of Avila, Doctor	Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am
SAT 16th	Feast Day of St Margaret Mary Alacoque, Patron Saint of devotees to the Sacred Heart	Rosary 9.00am Mass 9.30am Vigil Mass 6.00pm
SUN 17th	29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mass 9.00am

OUR VISION AND OUR MISSION

We as a PARISH, try to live out our **VISION**: To continually form a Christ-centred community based on the Gospel Values expressed through **SERVICE** in peace, justice and love.
MISSION: To know Christ more, His life and His teachings. To imbibe Christ's message of love and service. To try to share generously what graces and blessings we have and to be instruments of the Gospel message.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Repose of the soul of Richard Neilson, Leigh & Chris Walsh, the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Lloyd Fleming, Herb McArdle, Bernie Graham, Sr Judy Breen, Joan Ticehurst, Laurel King (wife of Tony), Fr John Willis, Marie Ward, Jenny Turner, Wayne Jones, Emma Donaldson, Tony Starr, Baby Isabel Akhil, Joan Hiscox, Paul Saint, Kerrie O'Keefe, Sr Leo (Josie) Clancy, John Sanders, Rex Parry, Danny Dickins, Katrina Newbigin, Bob Kneipp, Brian Barker, Denise Taveira, Joanne Essey, Graham Tom, Fred Voight, Agnes Hannigan and the sick members of our parish whose names are not listed here.

We Pray for the Recently Deceased & for the Anniversaries of

Pat Nesbitt, Judy Perceval, Tony O'Shannessy, Sr Claire Burgness (SJS), Conzie Salveno. Eternal life grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Liturgy Committee	Sat 9 Oct 2021	8.30am
Pastoral Council	Wed 27 Oct 2001	5.00pm
Finance Committee	Mon 1 Nov 2021	5.30pm

HOME ROSARY

Tingha	Bernie & Colleen Graham 11 Diamond Street Wednesday 13 October at 4.30pm
Inverell	No Home Rosary this week

The Columban Calendars are now available at the paper table for \$8.00 each.

Bishop Kennedy encourages all Catholics to contact Adam Marshall, MP, before 12 Oct to express their strong opposition to the proposed Assisted Suicide/Euthanasia Bill.

Planned Giving Program: If you wish to join the planned giving program, please contact the parish office during office hours.

PLANNED 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 Account No. 001023550
Account Name: Sacred Heart Presbytery Inverell Savings Account
2nd Collection: Church for upkeep & maintenance (PGP)
BSB 082105 Account No. 001001010
Account Name: Sacred Heart Parish Inverell
For those on the Planned Giving Program could you please quote your surname and envelope number for the reference.

COVID 19 SAFETY PLAN FOR OUR PARISH Mass attendance, Baptisms, Weddings, and Funerals: Our Church can accommodate a maximum of 80 worshippers at a time. Contact Sheets are 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 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.

OCTOBER 10TH - TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

"Christ has no body now, but yours. No hands, no feet on earth, but yours. Yours are the eyes through which He looks with compassion on this world." - St Teresa of Avila, Doctor of the Church

A friendly reminder: Please maintain a respectful atmosphere of reverence before and after each Mass so those praying may do so without distraction. Any conversation should be conducted quietly. Also, please remember to turn off your mobile devices.

"By devoutly assisting at Holy Mass you render the greatest homage possible to the Sacred Humanity of Our Lord."
St Leonard

ALTAR SOCIETY ROSTER FOR OCTOBER
Maree Chie & Mary Middleton

WHEN ATTENDING MASS: In accordance with the NSW Government Covid Roadmap Rules from 11-24 October 2021: Masks are to be worn; All persons must be fully vaccinated; Register attendance via QR Code or sign in



Prayer of St Teresa of Avila

Majestic sovereign, timeless wisdom, your kindness melts my hard, cold soul. Handsome lover, selfless giver, your beauty fills my dull, sad eyes. I am yours, you made me. I am yours, you called me. I am yours, you saved me. I am yours, you loved me. I will never leave your presence. Give me death, give me life. Give me sickness, give me health. Give me honour, give me shame. Give me weakness, give me strength. I will have whatever you give. Amen

Combined Churches Event: FREE Family Fun Day at Campbell Park this Sunday, 10 October 12pm to 2pm. Everything provided.

5th Plenary Council of Australia - Oct 2-10, 2021: The Plenary Council's purpose is to discern what God is asking of us in Australia at this present time. The Plenary Council will livestream Masses and parts of the opening sessions each day to invite the People of God into the journey. These will be available at plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au/assembly-1/ Please keep all those involved in your prayers over the coming weeks.

Plenary Council Prayer Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost. Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land. O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council. Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road. Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth. Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying. Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen. Our Lady, Help of Christians, pray for us. St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

Pope Francis: Vaccination is an Act of Love "Getting vaccines that are authorised by the respective authorities is an act of love. And helping the majority of people to do so is an act of love. Love for oneself, love for our families and friends, and love for all peoples. [...] Getting vaccinated is a simple yet profound way to care for one another, especially the most vulnerable."
<https://whereteris.com/pope-francis-vaccination-is-an-act-of-love/>

St Joseph Prayer for Protection
Gracious St Joseph, protect me and my family from all evil as you did the Holy Family. Kindly keep us ever united in the love of Christ, ever fervent in imitation of the virtue of our Blessed Lady, your sinless spouse, and always faithful in devotion to you. Amen.

Reflection In order to atone, repair, and make up for excess of avarice and selfishness, Our Blessed Lord now gave a second lesson in self-sacrifice to His Apostles. The occasion of the second [lesson] was an enquiring young man. The desire to be associated with Our Lord was manifested by the fact that he came running to Him and fell at His feet. Unlike Nicodemus, he did not come at night, but openly avowed the goodness of the Master. The youth believed that he was not very far from the attainment of eternal life; but all that he needed was just some further instruction and enlightenment. The Saviour pointed to the fact that men knew enough, but they did not always do enough. And lest the young man rest in some imperfect idea of goodness, the Lord asked: "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone." Our Lord was not objecting to being called good, but to being taken merely as a good teacher. The young man had addressed Him as a great teacher, but still as a man; he had admitted goodness, but still on the level of human goodness. If He were merely a man the title of essential goodness would not belong to Him. There was hidden in His answer an affirmation of His Deity; God alone is good. He was, therefore, inviting the young man to cry out, "Thou art Christ, the Son of the Living God." ... There are degrees in the love of God, one common and the other heroic. The common was the keeping of the commandments; the heroic was renunciation, the taking-up of the cross of voluntary poverty. The Apostles evidently had not left as much as the rich young man would have abandoned; but it is not the quantity that one leaves that matters, but rather the fact that one has left all. Charity is to be measured, not by what one has given away, but by what one has left. Those who choose Christ must choose Him for His own sake, and not for the sake of a reward. It was only after they had completely committed themselves to following Him that He spoke of compensation. "Persecution" was thrown into the account of the rewards, not as if it were a loss, but a gain. The hundredfold reward would come not so much in spite of persecution, as on account of it. If they were faithful unto death, they would receive the crown of life; for the afflictions of this world were not to be compared with the joys to come. Thus did the Master brand Calvary into their flesh and their possessions, telling the Apostles to forsake that which others desired to keep.
Venerable Servant of God, Archbishop Fulton J Sheen

Roster	Greeters	Projector	Readers	Commentator	Communion Minister	Collectors	Counters
09Oct-Sat 6pm	Volunteers	J Kelly	M Casey-Ransom	P Armstrong	R Tutt	Suspended	
10Oct-Sun 9am	Volunteers	R McGregor	D Hannigan	R Long	J Rainger	Suspended	G Chie, G Fleming & M Schofield
In place of the collection plates please put donations in baskets located at the entrance of the church							
16Oct-Sat 6pm	Volunteers	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Suspended	
17Oct-Sun 9am	Volunteers	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer	Suspended	N Turner & M Newbigin