



**Sacred Heart Parish Church**  
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**FC Chair: Mr Anthony Michael**  
**Holy Trinity Principal: Mrs Jillian Rainger - 67224066**  
**Parish Secretary: Peter Turner - 67221103.**  
**Office Hours: Mon 11 July & Fri 15 July - 8am to 1pm**  
**Tues 12 July June - 8am to 12pm**

**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**



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

**Prayer to the Most Precious Blood of Jesus**  
 Precious Blood, ocean of divine mercy: Flow upon us!  
 Precious Blood, most pure offering: Procure us every grace!  
 Precious Blood, hope and refuge of sinners: Atone for us!  
 Precious Blood, delight of holy souls: Draw us! Amen.  
 (St Catherine of Siena)

**PARISH SCHEDULE THIS WEEK**

**JULY - THE HOLY MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD**

MON 11th	Feast Day of St Benedict	9.00am
	Rosary	9.30am
	<b>Mass</b>	9.30am
TUE 12th	Rosary	9.00am
	<b>Mass</b>	9.30am
WED 13th	Rosary	11.30am
	<b>Mass</b>	12 Noon
THUR 14th	Rosary	11.30am
	<b>Mass</b>	12 Noon
FRI 15th	Feast Day of St Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor	9.00am
	Rosary	9.30am
	<b>Mass</b>	9.30am
	<b>McLean Mass</b>	11.00am
SAT 16th	Feast Day of Our Lady of Mt Carmel	5.30pm
	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	5.30pm
SUN 17th	16th Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am
	<b>Mass</b>	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 souls in purgatory

**We Pray for the Recently Deceased & for the Anniversaries of**

Greg Kenny, David McGinty, Kevin Dewberry. Anniversary of Bill McCormick.  
**Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.**

**WE PRAY FOR THE SICK**

Peter Crabb (uncle of Matt Rennie), Beau Zappa, Clare Lockwood, Denise Thomeycroft, Miriam Ballam, Matthew Smith, Eileen Hagan, Margaret Kahler, Lloyd Fleming, Herb McArdle, Bernie Graham and family, Joan Ticehurst, Fr John Willis, Jenny Turner, Emma Donaldson, Tony Starr, Baby Isabel Akhil, Paul Saint, Kerrie O'Keefe, Sr Leo (Josie) Clancy, Rex Parry, Danny Dickins, Katrina Newbiggin, 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.



"How beautiful is the family that recites the Rosary every evening."  
 - Pope St John Paul II

**HOME ROSARY**

Tingha Bernie & Colleen Graham  
 11 Diamond Street  
**Wednesday 13 July at 4.30pm**

**UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Pastoral Council	Wed 13 July 2022	5.00pm
Finance Committee	Mon 25 July 2022	5.30pm
Liturgy Committee	Sat 13 August 2022	8.30am

**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**

**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.

**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."

**SAFETY PLAN FOR OUR PARISH** 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.

**JULY 10TH - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR C**

"We should strive to keep our hearts open to the sufferings and wretchedness of other people and pray continually, that God may grant us that spirit of compassion, which is truly the Spirit of God." - St Vincent de Paul

**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 JULY**  
 Suzette Dizon, Grace Almoite, Nhel Gascon

We again urge people to please consider volunteering their time to help in the various ministries of the church. This includes Readers, Data projector operators, Commentators, Counters, and Musicians/Singers during Mass, and helping in the Altar Society and the Catechetical program in the public schools. We ask you to please give serious thought to volunteering for one or more of these ministries as many of our previous volunteers have retired or left the parish and our numbers are becoming very few. We would specially welcome any young volunteers, those of high school age, so please encourage your children/grandchildren to take an active role in the parish. Please contact Fr James or the parish office with any query you may have for more information or you may add your name to the Ministry Volunteer lists at the back of the church to have your name immediately added to the rosters. Thank you.



**Prayer for Peace**

O God, Who brings wars to nought and shield by Thy power all who hope in Thee, overthrowing those who assail them; help Thy servants who implore Thy mercy so that the fierce might of their enemy may be brought low and we may never cease to praise and thank Thee.  
 O God, who has dominion over all realms, all kings, and all earthly authorities, who by striking heals, and by pardoning saves: stretch out over us Thy mercy, so that by Thy power we may enjoy peace and tranquillity and use them for our healing and amendment.  
 Through our Lord, Jesus Christ, Who lives and reigns with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.



**Prayer to the Blessed Virgin Mary**

O Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of tenderness and mercy, I, a miserable and unworthy sinner, fly to you with all the affection of my heart and I beseech your motherly love, that, as you stood by your most dear Son, while He hung on the Cross, so, in your kindness, you may be pleased to stand by me, a poor sinner, and all Priests who today are offering the Sacrifice here and throughout the entire Holy Church, so that with your gracious help we may offer a worthy and acceptable oblation in the sight of the Most High and Undivided Trinity. Amen.

**An Encouraging Word:** We think sometimes that all God does is to see the evil we do! Do not be so discouraged. He sees every good act, every charity to our neighbour, every suppressed evil word, every drink of water given in His name.



We welcome back Fr James from his holiday. We pray he is fully rested and that he enjoyed his time with his family.



**Prayer After Communion (St Thomas Aquinas)**  
 Sweetest Jesus, Body and Blood most holy, be the delight and pleasure of my soul, my strength and salvation in all temptations, my joy and peace in every trial, my light and guide in every word and deed, and my final protection in death. Amen.

**Peter's Pence Collection** Envelopes are still available for the special collection of Peter's Pence, being the Holy Father's collection. Please donate generously.

**First Communion** will occur on Sun 21 August at the 9am Mass. Lessons for children in Year 3 in the state schools will begin on Tues 19 July at 4pm in the church meeting room. Parent Meetings will take place at 6pm on July 19 & 1pm on July 20 at the church. To enroll your child, contact Noela Turner on 0416052921 or [turnerng@bigpond.com](mailto:turnerng@bigpond.com).

**Reflection** The Good Samaritan has stood for centuries as the supreme example of one who had compassion on his fellow man. The word itself means "to suffer with" the afflicted, the poor, the hungry and the thirsty.

Very often a neighbour is regarded as one who lives next door, or in the same block, or in an adjoining apartment. Once Our Lord was asked by a lawyer, "Who is my neighbour?" Our Blessed Lord answered by telling him a parable [the parable of the Good Samaritan]. When Our Blessed Lord asked the lawyer who was the neighbour [to the wounded man], he would not say the Samaritan, because he was not permitted to say the word. He merely answered that the neighbour was "he that showed mercy." Our Blessed Lord then told him to go and do likewise.

Our Lord made neighbourhood coextensive with humanity. Any human being is a neighbour who needs aid or to whom one can render aid. A neighbour is not one bound by the same race, nor is he the one close to us. He may be the one farthest away; he could even be an enemy.

Very often misery is unrelieved because it is not clamorous. When we hear of great numbers of people lying half dead on the roadside, the very magnitude of their need is apt to make us feel that we can do little and, therefore, might be excused from doing anything.

Some French people in a small village decided to honour a doctor who had served them for fifty years. A large vat was placed in the village square and everyone was asked to bring in a little wine. The plan was to give the whole vat, when filled, to the doctor. Each person said to himself, "The little that I give will amount to nothing." So each one brought a little water and poured it into the vat. In the end, the doctor had nothing.

We are to make use of things - our possessions, our talents - as kinds of sacraments, each one of which has pronounced over it the consecrating words: "This is offered on account of You, O Lord!" Thus the whole universe can become sacramentalised for His honour and glory. Even those in the dim borderland of acquaintance - the chance passer-by on the road, the one whom we have never seen before - all possess a quality that identifies them even with another Traveller who one day sat tired at Jacob's well: "For what you have done to the least of these, My brethren, you have done unto Me."

**Venerable Servant of God, Archbishop Fulton J Sheen**

Roster	Greeters	Projector	Readers	Commentator	Communion Minister	Counters
9July-Sat 5.30pm	Volunteers	S Szumowski	F Rennie	N Turner	Volunteer	
10July-Sun 9am	Volunteers	P Girle	M Robinson	C Bruse	Volunteer	R & G Johnson
16July-Sat 5.30pm	Volunteers	N Turner	D Dasey	P Mather	Volunteer	
17July-Sun 9am	Volunteers	R McGregor	J Rainger	MJ Guest	Volunteer	G Henry, L MacDonald, P Girle