



**Sacred Heart Parish Church**

**Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale**

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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 Sunday 11.00am

**Yetman** St Joseph the Worker 5th Sunday 11.30am

**Baptism (Saturday only) 11am;**  
**Marriages and Funerals by Appointment**



**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**

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| <b>JULY - THE HOLY MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD</b>        |   |
| MON 31st   | Feast Day of St Ignatius of Loyola, priest<br>Rosary 9.00am<br><b>Mass 9.30am</b>                                 |
| <b>AUGUST - THE HOLY MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY</b> |   |
| TUE 1st  | Feast Day of St Alphonsus Liguori, doctor<br>Rosary 9.00am<br><b>Mass 9.30am</b>                                  |
| WED 2nd  | <b>Feast Day of Our Lady of the Angels</b><br>Rosary 11.30am<br><b>Mass 12 Noon</b>                               |
| THUR 3rd   | Feast Day of St Dominic, priest<br>Rosary 11.30am<br><b>Mass 12 Noon</b>  |
| FRI 4th  | <b>First Friday &amp; Feast Day of St John Vianney</b><br>Rosary 11.30am<br><b>Mass &amp; Benediction 12 Noon</b> |
| SAT 5th  | <b>First Saturday</b><br>Rosary 9.00am<br><b>Mass 9.30am</b><br><b>Vigil Mass 5.30pm</b>                          |
| SUN 6th  | <b>Transfiguration of the Lord</b><br><b>Mass 9.00am</b>  |

**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 of: all those in Purgatory.

**We Pray for the Recently Deceased**  
Jeanette Rennie, Nonie Neusinger (McCosker). **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**  
Fr Barry Leech, Zara Bentley, Paula Lennon, Danny Dickins, Elizabeth Albany, Rebecca Lane, David Crabb, Brian Barker, Clare Lockwood, Margaret Kahler, and all the sick members of our parish.



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

**HOME ROSARY**  
Bernie & Colleen Graham  
11 Diamond Street, Tingha  
**Wednesday 2 August at 4.30pm**

**UPCOMING MEETINGS**

|                   |                    |        |
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| Liturgy Committee | Sat 12 August 2023 | 8.30am |
| Pastoral Council  | Wed 23 August 2023 | 5.00pm |
| Finance Committee | Wed 20 Sept 2023   | 5.30pm |

**Ignite Conference 2023: Wonder in Brisbane 21-24 Sept and Sydney 25 Sept-1 Oct**  
Ignite conference is a gathering of Catholics for four days of the real-world formation, renewal of faith, great people and powerful worship. **It's a bold vision for the future of the church.**  
**Ignite conference has something for everyone:** Kids, high-schoolers, young adults and deeper sessions for adults, specifically parishioners, priest and religious, ministry leaders, parents and grandparents. Ignite has become a landmark event in the Australian Church since beginning in 2001.

**PLANNED GIVING PROGRAM FOR THE SUPPORT OF YOUR PRIESTS AND UPKEEP OF THE CHURCH**  
**1st Collection: Presbytery for priest support**  
BSB 082105Account No. 001023550  
Account Name: Sacred Heart Presbytery Inverell Savings Account  
**2nd Collection: Church for upkeep & maintenance (PGP)**  
BSB 082105Account 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.

**JULY 30TH - SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A**  
**"Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things, through the mercy of God, will make a man go to Heaven." - St Camillus de Lellis**

**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 AUGUST**  
Rosie Michael, Val McMahon and Pat Bailey



**Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary**  
O Heart of Jesus pierced for our sins and giving us Your Mother on Calvary! O Heart of Mary pierced by sorrow and sharing in the sufferings of your Divine Son for our redemption!  
O sacred union of these Two Hearts! Praised be the God of Love Who united them together! May we unite our hearts and every heart so that all hearts may live in unity in imitation of that sacred unity which exists in these Two Hearts. Triumph, O Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary! Reign, O Most Sacred Heart of Jesus! - in our hearts, in our homes and families, in the hearts of those who as yet do not know you, and in all nations of the world. Amen.



**Feast Day of Our Lady of the Angels 2 August**  
We join with the parishioners of Bundarra in celebrating this special feast day of their Parish Patroness, Our Lady of the Angels.  
**Prayer:** August Queen of Heaven! Sovereign Queen of Angels, you who at the beginning received from God the power and the mission to crush the head of Satan, we humbly beseech you to send your holy legions so that, on your orders and by your power, they will pursue the evil spirits, fight them everywhere, curb their audacity and plunge them into the eternal abyss. Who is like unto God? O good and tender Mother, you will always be our love and our hope. O Mother of God, send your holy Angels to defend us and drive far from us the cruel enemy. Holy Angels and Archangels, defend us and keep us. Amen.

**The Effects of Holy Communion in Five Parts (Fr J Brent)**  
**4.** Holy communion provides us what we need to go into the next life. It has always been the sense of Christians that the one thing a person needs most on the brink of death is holy communion. One's first holy communion is a great event in the spiritual life, but so is one's last holy communion. Traditionally, the last holy communion is called viaticum or food for the journey. Normally, it is received after one's final absolution and final anointing. The anointing prepares the soul to be separated from the body in a death like Christ's, and viaticum prepares the soul for the journey to God and to stand before Him in one's particular judgement. How blessed are they who die in His friendship!

**Food for thought**  
Do not be impressed by the brilliant and clever sayings of human beings. Listen to Christ's words, which inflame the heart, enlighten the mind, bring repentance for sin to the heart, and infuse it with many consolations. Reading the Scriptures to appear more learned will not benefit you; but rather study how to overcome your worst faults. This will profit you more than having the answers to difficult questions at your fingertips. The grace of the Holy Spirit ever seeks a humble heart; therefore, learn for Christ's sake to overcome yourself in all things, and then you will be able to grow in divine knowledge.

**Children's Liturgy** will be held in the meeting room during the Liturgy of the Word at next Sunday morning's Mass. Children aged between 5 and 12 years are invited to attend.

**Morning Tea** will be held after next Sunday's morning Mass. All are welcome to attend. Please bring a plate of delicacies to share. We would particularly like to welcome and acknowledge all parishioners who are new to the parish within the last twelve months.

**Good Shepherd Appeal and Priest Retirement Foundation Appeal:** Sunday August 6th (next Sunday) is the annual special collection for Seminarians and Retired Priests. Our Diocese has four seminarians as well as senior priests who have served well and generously over many years. Please be as generous as you can in your donations. Envelopes will be available.

| Roster   | 29July-Sat 5.30pm     | 30July-Sun 9am         | 5Aug-Sat 5.30pm      | 6Aug-Sun 9am          |
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| <b>Greeters</b>                                  | Volunteers            | Volunteers             | Volunteers           | Volunteers            |
| <b>Projector</b>                                 | Sr Coral              | P Girle                | S Szumowski          | R McGregor            |
| <b>Readers</b>                                   | P Mather & N McCosker | M Robinson & J Rainger | S O'Brien & N Turner | MJ Guest & M Bryant   |
| <b>Commentator</b>                               | D Dasey               | J Monie                | P Mather             | M Gaukroger           |
| <b>Offertory</b>                                 | J Kelly & Volunteer   | Guest Family           | Volunteers           | P Maddren & volunteer |
| <b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion</b> | N Turner              | MJ Guest               | R Moffitt            | P Maddren             |
| <b>Counters</b>                                  |                       | L MacDonald & P Girle  |                      | B Baldwin & J Frater  |