



Sacred Heart Parish Church

Roman Catholic Diocese of Armidale

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Office Hours: Mon 6 Nov & Fri 10 Nov - 8am to 1pm

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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 for the Souls in Purgatory

Eternal Father, I offer You the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.

PARISH SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

NOVEMBER - THE HOLY MONTH OF THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

Table with 2 columns: Day and Mass details. Includes MON 6th, TUE 7th, WED 8th, THUR 9th, FRI 10th, SAT 11th, SUN 12th with specific mass times and descriptions.

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.



NOVEMBER MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE HOLY SOULS

Rest of the souls of: George V Turner; George Turner (Snr) & Monica Turner; Michael Turner, Noel & June Sanders; Joseph, John, Robert, & Eric Sanders; Douglas Rennie; John & Peter Crabb; Kate Piper; Nell McNally; Sasha Mansour; Jonathan Crombie; Elvie Shand; Joshua Spicer; Christo Jivkov; Victor Chang; Elisabeth Sladen; Glen Gardner; all unborn children lost in miscarriages and abortions; Michael Monie; Peter Monie; Joan Bull; all those in Purgatory.

We Pray for the Recently Deceased

Fr Morrie Clarke, John "Michael" Marsden, Fr John Carey, Frank Koppman, Jim McCormack. 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

Christopher Pay, Pam Johnstone, Jeanette Keightley, David Sanders, Phillip Matthews, Helen & Neville Barwick, 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 8 November at 4.30pm

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Table with 3 columns: Meeting Name, Date, Time. Includes Pastoral Council, Liturgy Committee, Finance Committee.

Morning Tea will be held after next Sunday's morning Mass. All are welcome to attend. Please bring a plate of delicacies to share. Children's Liturgy will also be held during the Mass.

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.

NOVEMBER 5TH - THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

"One of the holiest works, one of the best exercise of piety that we can practice in this world is to offer sacrifices, alms, and prayer for the dead." - St Augustine of Hippo

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 NOVEMBER Victoria Talampas



Prayer for Humility

O Divine, Eternal Father, You gave us in Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, the model of all virtue and perfection. Grant to us, and to all those in positions of leadership and power, the virtue of humility. May we all only ever seek to do Your Will. Strengthen us against arrogance and pride so we may never fall into the error of taking that praise which ever only belongs to You. We ask this through the intercession of Your Son, Jesus Christ, and His Blessed Mother Mary. Amen.

Food for thought

When Jesus said "call no man your father on earth, for you have one Father, Who is in heaven," He is using an expression that has deep roots in the Hebrew Scriptures. To "call" someone by a "name" in the Hebrew tradition meant something closer to "identifying the essence" of a person. So, in this Hebrew tradition, "call no one on earth your father," means, "recognise no one on earth as your father in his essence for by nature and essence, there is only one Father, that is, God the Father." In a very real sense, all fathers on earth, biological and spiritual, are imitation fathers, for it is God the true father who begets children in a way that only He, as God, can do. It is He Who creates every soul from nothing. A biological father contributes to our body in a physical process that was fashioned by God. A Catholic priest, when he baptises a person, brings about new spiritual life. Through the Word and the Spirit he is "birthing" a soul, moving it from death into life. So, when Jesus says, "call no man your father on earth, for you have one Father, Who is in heaven," He is emphasising that all true paternity is in God the Father, and all human paternity is only an imitation of the divine paternity.

NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE SOULS IN PURGATORY

"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from their sins."

2 Maccabees 12:46

Mass offering envelopes at church entrances.

Please pray for the souls of all the deceased.

The Value of the Holy Mass

The Holy Mass is the highest form of worship, the unbloody renewal of the Sacrifice of the Cross. One Mass gives God more praise and thanksgiving, makes more atonement for sin and pleads more eloquently, than does the combined worship of all the souls in heaven, on earth and in Purgatory. In the Sacrifice of the Altar, it is Jesus Christ Who is our High Priest, Mediator and Victim. Being God as well as Man, His prayers, merits, and offerings are infinite in value.

Why Should We Hear Holy Mass?

The Holy Mass is the best means we have to:

- 1. Give glory to the Heavenly Father.
2. Thank Him for all His blessings.
3. Make reparation for all our sins.
4. Obtain all the blessings we desire.
5. Release souls from Purgatory; to shorten our own time there.
6. Preserve us from all danger to soul and body.
7. Intercede for us at the Judgment Seat of God.
8. Be consoled at the hour of death, for at that time its memory will be our greatest consolation.
9. Understand better the sublimity of the Passion of Christ, and to increase our love for Him.



We thank Fr Paul McCabe for celebrating Mass for us during Fr Paul Chandler's holidays.

Men's Breakfast Sat 11 Nov 8.30am

at the Out The Back Restaurant, 44 Byron Street. Turn up-Order-Pay. For information please call Bernie on 67224387.

Parish Pastoral Council Nominations

Nomination forms for new members to the Parish Pastoral Council are available at the entrances to the Church. All nominations must be handed in to the parish office by this Sunday 5 November. Any nominee MUST be Catholic and be in full communion with the Catholic Church.

Paid Employment Opportunity: Lasallian Youth Minister (Part-Time Position) at Holy Trinity School. 16 Hours a week. For more information, see pamphlet at Church entrances. Applications close 10 November 2023.

Table with 5 columns: Roster, 4Nov-Sat 6pm, 5Nov-Sun 9am, 11Nov-Sat 6pm, 12Nov-Sun 9am. Lists names for Projector, Readers, Commentator, Offertory, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, and Counters.