



Sacred Heart Parish Church
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Thurs 18th Feb 8am-12noon

PARISH MASS TIMES

Sacred Heart Church Inverell

Saturday 6.00pm
 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
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 Divine,
 All Praise and all Thanksgiving,
 be every moment Thine...*

PARISH SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

**THE HOLY MONTH
 OF THE PASSION OF OUR LORD**

MON 15th	Rosary Mass	9.00am 9.30am
TUE 16th	Rosary Mass Tingha Mass	9.00am 9.30am 4.00pm
WED 17th	Ash Wednesday School Liturgy Rosary Inverell Mass Inverell Mass	9.15am 11.30am 12 Noon 5.30pm
THUR 18th	Rosary Mass	11.30am 12 Noon
FRI 19th	Rosary Mass Maclean Mass Stations of the Cross	9.00am 9.30am 11.00am 5.00pm

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**

Yvonne Hawkins; Marko, Anto, Jela & Pero Radman; Petition to Jesus & Mary for the forgiveness of sins; Rofina Michael; John Lennon; Anthony Hanna; Joseph Hanna; Charles Moffitt; Michael Bull; Peter Hoynes; Sue Hoynes.

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Fr John Willis, John Crabbe, Mike and Marie Ward, Jenny Turner, Wayne Jones, Emma Donaldson, Wayne Lackey, Tony Starr, Mary Kramer, Leo Germany, Baby Isabel Akhil, Joan Hiscox, Paul Saint, Kerrie O'Keeffe, Sr Leo (Josie) Clancy, Rhonda Lee Watts (daughter of Phyllis Nichols) John Sanders, Rex Parry, David Sanders, Danny Dickens, Katrina Newbigin, Bob Kneipp, Brian Barker, Dorothy Ball, Denise Taveira, Joanne Essey, Graham Tom, Fred Boight, 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**

Hugh James Kelleher, Sr Marcia Dawson RSJ, Mary Kramer, Bishop Luc Matthys, Fidelma Kennedy (Mother of Bishop Kennedy), Fr Tim Cahill (Bathurst), Paula Adam Dimaano, Gabrielle Seveau, Robert Muggleton, Margaret Tome, Mary Una Strahle, Sr Eleanor Dawson (RSJ), Peter Tilocca.

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 of God, rest in peace. Amen.

CATECHISTS URGENTLY NEEDED!

Please contact Fr James or the Parish Office if you can find it in your heart to volunteer some time each week to teach our Catholic faith to the young children in the public schools.

ALTAR SOCIETY ROSTER FOR FEBRUARY
 Doloretta Migheli, **New members urgently needed**

COVID 19 SAFETY PLAN FOR OUR PARISH

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.

FEBRUARY 14TH - SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B

"In order to be an image of God, the spirit must turn to what is eternal, hold it in spirit, keep it in memory, and by loving it, embrace it in the will." - St Benedicta of the Cross

HOME ROSARY

Tingha Bernie & Colleen Graham
 11 Diamond Street
Wednesday 17 Feb at 4.30pm
 (Every Wednesday)



Inverell No Home Rosary this week

Update to Parish Records

Would all parishioners please email/write to the Parish Office to advise their contact and family details so we may update the parish records. We will require the full name and date of birth for all parishioners, along with a list of the sacraments each has received in the Catholic Church.

Reflection

I will tell you how I failed once in love. I've failed many times, but this instance was notable. I was visiting lepers in Biluba, Africa. I had with me 500 silver crucifixes about 2 inches high. I intended to give each leper a silver crucifix. The first one who came to me had his left arm eaten away by the disease. He held up the stump; there was a rosary around it. He put out his right hand. It was the most foul, fetid, noisome mass of corruption that I ever saw. I held the crucifix above it and dropped it. And it was swallowed up in that volcano of leprosy. *And all of a sudden there were 501 lepers in that camp and I was the 501st.* For I had taken that symbol of God's identification with man and refused to identify myself with someone who was a thousand times better on the inside than I. Then it came over me the awful thing that I had done. I dug my fingers into his hand and pulled out the crucifix and then pressed it to his hand and so on for all the other 500 lepers. From that time on I learned to love them by touch, by the incarnational principle.

Venerable Servant of God, Archbishop Fulton J Sheen
(Incarnational Principle: In everything God is mingled with man, and man is mingled with God. Man must cooperate with God before the Lord can work.)

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Meeting for all Catechists (facilitated by Deacon Paul Manuel) will be held on Thurs 18 February 2021 at 10.00am in the parish hall.
 Finance Committee Wed 24 February 2021 5.30pm

This weekend we have the **Special Collection for Missionary Religious Orders** to support Seminarians and Missionary Orders (La Salette and Rogationist) who have priests in ministry in the Diocese. Please donate generously.

ROSTER	13Feb-Sat 6pm	14Feb-Sun 9am	20Feb-Sat 6pm	21Feb-Sun 9am
GREETERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS	VOLUNTEERS
PROJECTOR	J KELLY	R MCGREGOR	SR CORAL	MJ GUEST
READERS	P MATHER	G TAVEIRA	F RENNIE	J RAINGER
COMMENTATOR	N TURNER	C BRUSE	P MATHER	R LONG
COMMUNION MINISTER	J MONIE	B MCGRATH	A MICHAEL	D HANNIGAN
GIFTS	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>
ALTAR SERVERS	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>
MUSIC MINISTRY	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>
COLLECTION	<i>Collection Baskets are at each of the Church entrances. Thank you.</i>			
MORNING TEA	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>	<i>SUSPENDED</i>
COUNTERS		B BALDWIN & B GARDNER		J FRATER & D HANNIGAN



Prayer to St Joseph

Blessed Joseph, husband of Mary, be with us this day. You protected and cherished the virgin; loving the child Jesus as your Son, you rescued him from the danger of death. Defend the Church, the household of God, purchased by the blood of Christ. Guardian of the Holy Family, be with us in our trials. May your prayers obtain for us the strength to flee from error and wrestle with the powers of corruption so that in life we may grow in holiness and in death rejoice in the crown of victory. 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 082105A/C 001023550
2nd Collection: Church for upkeep & maintenance
 BSB 082105A/C 001001010

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

Ash Wednesday 17 February 2021 This start to the Lenten Season is a most appropriate time for celebrating the Sacrament of Penance. All parishioners are encouraged to become reconciled with God through the sacrament of Confession *before* rather than during the Easter Triduum. **Fasting is required** on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by Catholics aged 18-59 years (sick are excused): Fasting is one meal a day, and two smaller meals which if added together would not exceed one full meal. **Abstinence is required** on Ash Wednesday, All Fridays of Lent, & Good Friday by all Catholics over the age of 14years. Abstinence is refraining from eating meat. Meat is considered to be the flesh and organs of mammals and fowl.