



# Historic Parish of St Augustine, Yass

Established: 1838

Bowning, Breadalbane, Dalton, Gunning, Gurrundah, Murrumbateman, Wee Jasper and Yass

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## ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH VISION STATEMENT

St Augustine's Parish is a community striving to be Christ to one another and to welcome and serve the Christ in those around us. We seek ongoing spiritual formation as individuals, as families and as a community. We hope, through pastoral care, to strengthen, support and enrich one another and reach out to others in witness and evangelisation.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

We acknowledge Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people as the traditional custodians of the land in which we meet.

We pay our respects to the Elders of the past, present and future.



**Parish Office** Zuzy Webster (*Secretary*)  
Monday to Wednesday  
9:00 am – 3:00 pm

**Parish Bulletin** Thursday  
9:00am – 3:00pm

## WEEKEND LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

### THIS MONTH – JUNE

**Yass Mass** Saturdays 6:00 pm 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>  
**Yass Mass** All Sundays 10:15 am  
**M'bateman Mass** Saturdays 6:00 pm 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>  
**Gunning Mass** Sundays 8:30 am 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>  
**Gunning Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion**  
Sundays 8:30 am 5<sup>th</sup>

## WEEKDAY MASSES

Wednesday Lovat Chapel, Yass 5:30 pm  
Thursday Lovat Chapel, Yass 7:30 am  
Friday Lovat Chapel, Yass 12:00 noon  
Saturday St. Augustine's, Yass 9:00 am  
(starts with 8:40am Rosary)

## Nursing Home/Hostel

**Thomas Eccles Gardens (Linton)**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Tues (monthly) Yass 11:00 am

**Horton/Warlington**  
4<sup>th</sup> Tues (monthly) Yass 11:00 am  
*Parishioners are invited to celebrate Mass with the residents at both locations.*

## Exposition

Saturday after 9:00am Mass until 10:00 am

## Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays Yass 10:00 am - 10:30 am  
Sundays Gunning 8:00 am - 8:15 am

## THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - YEAR C

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2022



## ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Blest be God the Father, and the Only Begotten Son of God, and also the Holy Spirit, for he has shown us his merciful love.

## RESPONSORIAL PSALM

**Response:** O Lord, our God, how wonderful your name in all the earth!

When I see the heavens, the work of your hands, the moon and the stars which you arranged, what is man that you should keep him in mind, mortal man that you care for him? **R**

Yet you have made him little less than a god; with glory and honour you crowned him, gave him power over the works of your hand, put all things under his feet. **R**

All of them, sheep and cattle, yes, even the savage beasts, birds of the air, and fish that make their way through the waters. **R**

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Glory to the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit:  
to God who is, who was, and who is to come.

**Alleluia!**

## PARISH PRAYER

Lord God, may we, as St Augustine's Parish, be a united and welcoming community recognising the need for Christ in our lives and serving the Christ in others. May we, as community, continue to face challenges together serving and supporting individuals and our families through our own personal efforts and our parish support groups. Guide us with your patient love. Fill us with your infinite Wisdom. Pour out your rich blessings upon us as we reach out to one another to fulfil our spiritual and pastoral needs as One in Christ, in community, and in faith, hope and love. AMEN

## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Since you are children of God,  
God has sent into your hearts the Spirit of his Son,  
the Spirit who cries out: Abba, Father..

## BAPTISMS

**Yass** Saturdays 10:30 am  
**Gunning Parish** 2nd Sunday of the month  
8:30am (during Mass) or 12:30 pm  
*Book by ringing the Parish Secretary (Mon, Tue, or Wed.)*

## MARRIAGES

By appointment. Five to six months notice ideal.

## School Enrolments

Mt Carmel School: Kindergarten to Yr 6.  
Ring the School Secretary for appointment (02) 6226 3357.

# Thoughts from the Presbytery



<b>Parish Priest</b>	Father	Peter My
<b>Youth Worker</b>	Clare	Healey
<b>Chair Finance Committee</b>	Paul	O'Mara
<b>Chair Parish Council</b>	Bryan	Coleborne ( <i>acting</i> )
<b>Principal of the School</b>	Michael	Green
<b>School Community Council</b>	Amber	Maher
<b>Sacramental Team Leader</b>	Dianne	Carey
<b>RCIA</b>	Genevieve	Colbert

## **Parish Finance Committee Members:**

Father	Peter My	Stan	Waldren
David	Garland	Mark	Valencic
Paul	O'Mara	Trish	Gibbs
Irene	Carr		

## **Parish Pastoral Council Members:**

VACANT	(Youth)	Peter	Cleary ( <i>Liturgy</i> )
Bryan	Coleborne ( <i>Ecumenism</i> )	Michael	Green ( <i>School</i> )
Genevieve	Colbert ( <i>Education</i> )	Lourdes	O'Keefe ( <i>Social</i> )
Bob	Nash ( <i>Maintenance</i> )	Michael	Van Wanrooy ( <i>Welfare</i> )
VACANT	( <i>Social Justice</i> )	Zuzy	Webster ( <i>Secretary</i> )

Ex Officio Member: Fr Peter My

1. Please pray for the children who will be receiving their First Holy Communion on Sunday 19 June.
2. Liturgically after Pentecost Sunday the Church comes back to Ordinary Time, Week 10, Year C.
3. We intend to help young families whose children were baptised in the last 12 months in our Parish. A co-ordinator is needed for this group. Can you fill this role?
4. A reminder to those who wish to become an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist. Please attend the 2 training sessions, 7pm on Thursday 16 June and Thursday 23 June In St Augustine's Church.
5. First Holy Communion: –  
Change of Location:  
Midday Mass, Friday 17 June, will be celebrated in St Augustine's Church, *not the Lovat Chapel*.  
Change of Time  
Sunday 19 June, First Holy Communion Mass will commence at 10.30am instead of the usual time of 10.15am.
6. Call to Connect (CTC) is a catholic women's ministry where women gather in small groups to pray and share the faith journey. On Wed. 22 June from 7.30pm to 8.10pm women are invited to experience the CTC style of prayer and friendship in an introductory Zoom meeting with an opportunity for Q&A. To register go to [CTC.registrations@yahoo.com](mailto:CTC.registrations@yahoo.com) and for further information visit [www.calltoconnect.org](http://www.calltoconnect.org).
7. Some new members for the Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) are needed. Please contact me (Father Peter) or the Parish Office

Fr Peter

Please pray for the children  
as they prepare for  
First Holy Communion



Bless all the children preparing to receive Holy Communion for the first time.

May that day be an initial step into a life-long love of the Eucharist. Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they will turn to you for comfort, guidance and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship.

May their hands, extended in anticipation of your Body and Blood, inspire all of us to cherish this sacred sacrament. AMEN.

## **Historical Context – The Nicene Creed**

The definitive statement of Christian belief is contained within the Nicene Creed that is proclaimed by the community in the Mass. It was developed by the Council of Nicea, held in 325, in response to a variety of teachings (some declared to be heresy) that were circulating at the time and the creed was further revised in 381. The creed declares that Jesus is 'God from God, light from light, true God from true God ... of one being with the Father' and that the Holy Spirit 'proceeds from the Father and the Son'. All of these statements seek to define the oneness of the Trinitarian God.

## **FEASTS OF THE WEEK**

Mon: Saint Anthony of Padua



## Our Parish School – Mt. Carmel

### Religious Education

On Sunday 5 June we celebrated Pentecost and the birth of the Catholic Church. Pentecost is the liturgical season after Easter and it celebrates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Church. It begins the eighth Sunday, or 50 days, after Easter Sunday. The descent of the Holy Spirit ushered in a new era for the people of God (About Catholics, 2014, Pentecost). We are filled with the Holy Spirit – 1KG created Pentecost portraits using the colours of fire

Father Peter spoke to Year 4 students about the importance of Holy Communion in preparation for their Sacrament of Eucharist in June. 4SS students stayed behind to explore Lovat Chapel and learn more about the sacristy.





## COMMUNION REFLECTION

Nowadays, thanks to the security camera,  
we are often being watched,  
watched by a cold, dispassionate eye,  
intent only on catching us in wrong-doing.

The feeling that someone is watching us  
is not a pleasant feeling.

But the feeling that someone is watching over us  
is a lovely feeling.

God is not watching us.

God is watching over us.

The conviction that God is watching over us  
gives us comfort in times of sadness,  
strength in times of weakness,  
and hope in times of despair

## READINGS NEXT WEEK

### THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

#### YEAR C

#### First Reading

Gen 14::18-20

Melchizedek blesses Abram.

#### Second Reading

1 Cor 11: 23-26

When you eat the bread and drink of the cup you proclaim the death of the Lord.

#### Gospel

Lk 9: 11-17

Jesus feeds the five thousand.

*Please reflect on these readings over the coming week*

**“Save the date!** Caring for Creation Conference on 17 Sept at John Paul II College in Gungahlin. Holy Spirit Parish, Gungahlin is holding a conference on how to achieve the goals of *Laudato Si’ – On Care for Our Common Home.*

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## PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED



### Recently Deceased

Barbara Samuel Pope, Leslie Smith, Neil O’Mara,  
and Maureen Trezise

### Prayers For

James MacQuillan,  
Barbara & Ron Merriman, Ethel & Cecil MacQuillan

### Prayers for all those whose anniversary occurs at this time including:

Doreen (Pat) McKenna (1/6), Mary (Mollie) O’Brien (1/6),  
Aileen Wales (10/6), Guiseppa (John) DeMartin (10/6),  
James MacQuillan (13/6), Nance O’Connor (14/6),  
Damien Broderick (15/6), Gordon Butt (17/6),  
Don Bayley (17/6), Eileen Jackson (18/6),  
Francis ‘Noel’ Agnew (20/6), Gerald Honner (26/6),  
Audrey Pearce (27/6), Susan O’Connor (27/6),  
Peter Doyle (27/6), Raymond Bayley (28/6),  
Maria Doemling (28/6), Cliff Doust (29/6) and  
Margaret Morrissey (30/6).

**Always In Our Hearts Loved and Remembered**

## ROSTERS

### LITURGY

1 = 1<sup>st</sup> Reading & Responsorial Psalm

2 = 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading & Prayers of the Faithful

3 = Acolyte

12<sup>th</sup> Jun Eva Karakotas 1 Peter Gibbs 2  
Frank Grace 3

18<sup>th</sup> Jun Mt Carmel School 1 & 2  
Russell Hill 3

19<sup>th</sup> Jun 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion 1 & 2  
Peter Cleary 3

### ALTAR SERVERS

12<sup>th</sup> Jun Grace Miller  
Imogen Maher

19<sup>th</sup> Jun Grace McPherson  
Lois Green

### ALTAR CLEANERS

10<sup>th</sup> Jun Kay Perceval

24<sup>th</sup> Jun Mary Yates



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