

St Francis Xavier's Parish Narrabri

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Mass Time

Monday:	8.00am Mass	3rd Sunday -10.30am Mass/ Bellata
Tuesday:	8.00am Mass	
Wednesday:	12.00pm Mass	
Thursday:	8.00am Mass	
Friday :	8.00am Mass	
Saturday:	8.00am Mass & 6.00pm Sunday Vigil Mass	
Sunday:	8.00am Mass	

LET US REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYER:

Lord, we pray for the sick, All souls in Purgatory, the recently deceased and anniversaries of all those in our parish and whose names appear on the bulletin. Lord hear us.

SICK: Martin Coleman, Ela Lape Revilla, Robyn Haynes, Peter Wall, Barry Kratz, Bette Pantan, Zina Zappulla.

Recently Deceased: Gordon Palmer, Laurie Finn, Allan Deans, Sr. Teresa Noon, Enid Crogan, Fr. Bernie Melville, Winifred Simshauser, Daphney Palmer, Peter Lonergan, Susanne Louise Watson

Anniversaries: Ken Foster, Jack and Edith Delaney, Margaret, Garry and Br. Barney, Delaney and Sr. Joyce Adams, Arthur Spicer, Edith & Ted Pilkington, Lilian Quinlan, Betty & Ted Kelleher, Alan

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Please pray this Act of Spiritual Communion, when you are unable to receive Holy Communion.

My Dearest Jesus,
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot, at this moment, receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there
and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.



To all our Parishioners:

You are aware of Federal and State government announcements relating to the changes to public gathering restrictions. The announcement from the NSW government allows religious gatherings/places of worship for 10 worshippers. Our Bishop Michael Kennedy in his recent update has also given the permission for Masses to resume with 10 worshippers from 15th May 2020. Our Masses resumed on Friday 15th May with 10 worshippers. The Church will be open for private prayer, visit and lighting the candles with entry by the right-side door only.

There will be still the same Social Distancing requirements in place. Hand Sanitiser will be available at the entrance of the Church. The Church will be sanitising after each celebration.

Other Religious Services:

We can continue the praying of the Rosary, adoration, and other practices with maximum number of 10
Weddings: There can be up to 10 guests at a wedding, not counting the bride and groom.

Funerals: There can be up to 20 mourners at a funeral held indoors and up to 30 mourners for a funeral held outside.

Baptisms: Baptisms can be resumed in the Diocese, with a maximum of 10 people attending and the social distancing requirements followed.

Reconciliation: we resume our normal schedule of Reconciliation.
I am available for the home, nursing homes and hospital visit and anointing of the sick. Please contact me or the parish office.

Please note that Sunday obligations are still dispensed, so please choose a day in a week that suits you and give others opportunity to attend the mass.
A record of the name, email address and phone number of all persons entering the Church is to be kept. This is a regulatory requirement for the purposes of contacting people should an infection occur

Prayer to Patroness of Diocese

Our Lady Help of Christians, Patroness of Australia Our Lady of the Rosary, Patroness of the Diocese of Armidale Mother of God and Queen of the Angels. We fly to you today as your beloved children. We ask you to intercede for us with your Son, as you did at the wedding in Cana. Pray for us, loving Mother, and gain favour, for our nation and for the world, and for all our families and loved ones, the protection of your Son Jesus and of all his holy angels, that we may be spared the worst of this illness. For those already afflicted, we ask you to obtain the grace of healing and deliverance. Hear the cries of those who are vulnerable and fearful, wipe away their tears and help them to trust. May your Son deliver from all evil. Amen.



LIVESTREAMING FROM THE CATHEDRAL

Sunday Mass at 10.00 am will continue to be livestreamed on the Cathedral Parish on the Facebook page.

A short video message from our Bishop on the subject of churches reopening is on the Diocese of Armidale. Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/103284721332959/videos/257363768800169/> Website: <https://armidale.catholic.org.au/>
YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SY5gaNVRrs8>

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BSB 082105 ACCOUNT : 001002315
Account name: Narrabri Catholic Church
(Reference with your Planned Giving number and your name)

Planned Giving: If you would like to join the Planned Giving Contact: Parish Office. Donations can also be made via Direct Debit. **BSB:082105, Account:001002315 Account Name:** Narrabri Catholic Church **Reference:** PG

Holy Rosary at 11.30 am to be prayed before mid-day Mass every Wednesday. Pls come and join.



We have noticed that a number of parishioners are directly donating for our parish via electronic transfer. You can also drop your donations at our parish office. **Thanks** for your support to our parish.

