



EDMONTON CATHOLIC PARISH

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Safeguarding Coord: Kirby Will – 0427 798 740
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Kirby & Eddy are happy to receive ideas about how we keep our parishioners safe, and listen to your concerns about safeguarding. They will deal with all matters sensitively and confidentially.

Reconciliation: Before Mass and by appointment

Priest for Emergency: 0409 622 392

Gordonvale Sunday Masses: Sat Vigil 6.00pm Sunday morning 8.00am

Edmonton Sunday Masses: 10.00am and 5.00pm

For Service times across the Diocese: 4051 1990 or www.cairns.catholic.org.au

A Welcoming Parish: Under the patronage of St Thérèse of Lisieux

Sun 5/1	Epiphany of the Lord 8.00am Mass Gordonvale 10.00am Mass Edmonton 5.00pm Mass Edmonton	Thurs 9/1	8.00am Mass - Edmonton
Mon 6/1	7.00pm Rosary	Fri 10/1	8.00am Mass Gordonvale Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour, Benediction
Tues 7/1	8.00am Mass Edmonton Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, Holy Hour, Benediction	Sat 11/1	6.00pm Vigil Mass Gordonvale
Wed 8/1	8.00am Mass Gordonvale 10.00am Mass Pyramid Home	Sun 12/1	Baptism of the Lord 8.00am Mass Gordonvale 10.00am Mass Edmonton 5.00pm Mass Edmonton

PICCONE'S  VILLAGE
Edmonton - Feel Good!

We acknowledge the Yidinji (Yidiny) people, our land's traditional stewards and custodians.

R.I.P. Lord of Life raise up in glory all those who have died recently especially Mark Crawford and those whose anniversaries occur about this time, Josephine Fichera, Carmelina Patane, Alan Grice, George Thaggard, Hester Moffitt, Les Maunder, Charlie O’Kane, Robert Craig, Gabrielle Woodrow, Pat Briody, Mark Deed, Richard Mullen, Ivanka Kresevic, Catherine Flanagan, Giuseppe Bombardieri, Ned Williams, Phillis Beck, Ethel Goggin, Kenny Reys



5 Jan 2025	10.00am	5.00pm
Commentator/Reader	N Fiorenza	M Gaul
Commentator/Reader	J O’Brien	R Gaul
Minister of Communion	TBA	
PowerPoint	T Jankowski	M Gaul
Church Cleaning 12/1	Sue Yek & Tibbs Families	
Flowers 12/1	I Lee	
12 Jan	10.00am	5.00pm
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Minister of Communion	TBA	
PowerPoint	Thresea	S Lluch
Church Cleaning 19/1	K & J Alolod	
Flowers 19/1	S Lluch	

Today the Church celebrates the **Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord**. "The Lord and ruler is coming; kingship is his, and government and power." With these words the Church proclaims that today's feast brings to a perfect fulfillment all the purposes of Advent. Epiphany, therefore, marks the liturgical zenith of the Advent-Christmas season. — Pius Parsch Epiphany means manifestation. What the Church celebrates today is the manifestation of our Lord to the whole world; after being made known to the shepherds of Bethlehem He is revealed to the Magi who have come from the East to adore Him. Christian tradition has ever seen in the Magi the first fruits of the Gentiles; they lead in their wake all the peoples of the earth, and thus the Epiphany is an affirmation of universal salvation. St. Leo brings out this point admirably in a sermon, read at Matins, in which he shows in the adoration of the Magi the beginnings of Christian faith, the time when the great mass of the heathen sets off to follow the star which summons it to seek its Saviour.

Planned Giving Envelopes: If you would like to become a ‘Giver’ please see Fr Sabu after Mass or call the Parish Office 4046 5210. You may set up your own automatic transfer to the parish Bank Account:

Edmonton Parish bank details for direct depositing:
BSB: 084 352; A/c No: 000000373
Ref: Planned Giving number and/or surname

Thank You: On behalf of St Therese’s Parish, Fr Sabu would like to acknowledge the generosity and sincerely thank the Piccone family who have once again donated the flowers for our Christmas ceremonies.

A Christmas Message from Bishop Joe

May this blessed season bring you peace and joy, whether you spend it in quiet contemplation or in the warm embrace of family and friends. As we celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ, I pray that His love and light fill your hearts and homes.

Whatever you are doing, may you feel His presence and grace.

I offer you my heartfelt prayers and blessings for a prosperous New Year.

FLOWERS/ CLEANING ROSTERS

Two cleaning teams are still required please

One florist needed – if you are interested in flower arrangements and would like to become a volunteer - Please contact Sharon or Thresea

Children’s Liturgy will recommence for 2025 on Sunday 26th January

