

May They Rest In Peace: (recently deceased):
Stuart Anderson, Eric Hopwood, Bill Rogerson

Anniversaries: Richard & Ruby Kennedy, Joan Leonard

Prayer List: Donna Cronk (ne Campbell), Leigh Seaman.

Masses: .

ROSTERS	9.00am
Acolytes	
18 February	Bryan
25 February	Garry
Readers	
18 February	Therese Skelly
25 February	Venetta Smith
Offertory	
18 February	Kevin McCormack
25 February	Confirmation Candidates
Altar Servers	
18 February	James Croker
25 February	Lillian Croker & Olivia Anderson
Cleaners:	
18 February	Group 1 - Juanita Kelly, Anne Reeves and Sue Reedy.
25 February	Group 2 – Anne Jackson, Helen McCormack, Carol Bensley and Iris Knight, Barbara Stein
Counters	
18 February	Thora & Allan Hogan, Frances & Dick Cromack
25 February	Austin & Shirley Cummins, Shirley Kemp

If you are unable to attend on date you are rostered on, please arrange a replacement.

Goulburn Mission Information

Mass times

CROOKWELL - SUNDAY AT 9.00AM.

BINDA - 10.30 am Sunday (1,2,3 Sun. month)

TUENA - 11.30am 5th Sun. of the month.

WEEKDAY LITURGY-

Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am.

BAPTISMS: 4 Sunday of the month,
10.30am St Mary's Church

Bookings are made through the St Mary's parish office.

WEDDINGS: all weddings must be booked through the Mission office for all churches.

Clergy: Fr D McDermott -Parish Administrator
Fr Gisa Lolesio, Ass. Priest

Pastoral Associate Sr Rosemary Hart

Parish Office hours: Tues. & Thurs 9.00-2.00

Secretary: Mrs Estelle Roberts

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Goulburn Mass Times

Saturday 6pm (5pm May-Aug) – SPP Cathedral

Sunday 7am – Our Lady of Fatima

10am – SPP Cathedral

Taralga Saturday 6pm (5pm June-Aug)

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THE GOULBURN MISSION
[Mission Established 2012]

St Mary's Parish Crookwell

[Parish Established 1882]

1st Sunday of Lent- Yr B –18 February 2018

Entrance Antiphon: When he calls on me, I will answer him; I will deliver him and give him glory, I will grant him length of days.

Penitential Rite Lent

Incense placed on coals by Acolyte

Lord Jesus you came that we might know the way to the Father.

Sung Response

Return to God with all your heart,

The source of grace and mercy;

Come Seek the tender faithfulness of God. //

You came so that through the season of Lent we can be generous towards those who need our help.

Sung Response

Return to God with all your heart,

The source of grace and mercy;

Come Seek the tender faithfulness of God. //

You came that we might know you better through acts of Self-denial.

Sung Response

Return to God with all your heart,

The source of grace and mercy;

Come Seek the tender faithfulness of God. //

May almighty God have mercy on us forgive us our sins and bring us to life everlasting. Amen.

Responsorial Psalm: Your ways, O Lord, are love and truth to those who keep your covenant.

Left: Lord, make me know your ways.

Lord, teach me your paths.

Make me walk in your truth, and teach me: for you are God my saviour.

Right: Remember your mercy, Lord, and the love you have shown from of old. In your love remember me, because of your goodness, O Lord

Left: The Lord is good and upright.

He shows the path to those who stray,
he guides the humble in the right path;
he teaches his way to the poor.

Gospel Acclamation: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Today's Readings: 1/ Gen 9:8-15
2/ 1 Pt 3:18-22 **Gospel:** Mk 1:12-15

Communion Antiphon: One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes forth from the mouth of God.

VOCATION PRAYER:

God of all creation, through Baptism you gift us with new life.

You call each of us to live that life in a unique way, so that we may truly become the witnesses of your love. Bless all those you call: all single and married people all priests and deacons, all sisters and brothers.

May we all become builders of your kingdom and sacraments of your love. as we live out the mission of Jesus Christ through living our baptismal call. Give us all the time and energy to assist in the work of the Goulburn Mission. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen

Prayer of Commissioning: We have shared in the banquet of the Eucharist, the sacrificial gift of God's love for us. May our ministers now bring to communion in the same mystery our sick and housebound parishioners, lifting them up with God's healing love.

World Day of Prayer: This year the focus country is the Republic of Suriname, on the north eastern coast of South America. Suriname has many rivers and over 90% of the country is covered by pristine rainforest.

It has an ethnically diverse population with Dutch as the official language
The Wesley Uniting Church is hosting this year, at **10am on Friday 2nd March**. Please join us as we pray with Christians around the world on this special day.

Mission Updates

- **Planned Giving Envelopes:** As we are a Mission and parishioners are attending Masses at Crookwell, Taralga & Goulburn- if you place your planned giving envelope in the collection bag, it will be passed onto the correct parish church to be banked and recorded. Thank you for your support
- Would you like to set up your **Planned Giving contribution** to be made by Direct Payment. Please contact the Parish Office to set it up and save having to use the envelopes or alternatively -Bank details are – BSB 062 786 A/c 000014901 St Mary's Crookwell Parish. Use your Surname & envelope No. to identify your contribution.

GOULBURN MISSION Sacramental Enrolment for 2018: For all students in Catholic and Public Schools.

Reconciliation Year 3, Holy Communion Year 4, Confirmed in Year 7.

The Sacramental program is Parish based.

All enquiries and enrolment are through the parish office, or email Crookwell@cg.org.au
The Enrolment Registration Form is on the parish website to download and complete your child's details. All enrolments MUST be returned by 30 March.
NO LATE ENROLMENTS ACCEPTED.

Prayer Gathering at View Haven Tuesday 27 Feb 10.30am. All welcome

The 'SURRENDER' Lenten program is at St Mary's Mtg Room (sch. grounds), Wed, 21 Feb.7.30pm
Wed. 28- will be held at Wesley Uniting Church.

Shrove Tuesday-Thank you to all who helped in any way to make it such a success

Chamber Philharmonia Cologne

VIVALDI, BACH, PAGANINI St Peter & Paul's Gln, Monday 26 February, 8 pm Tickets at door OR www.trybooking.com/TBOK \$40, \$35, \$30

Reflection - Lent

The image of the desert evokes thoughts of confronting life in all its rawness. The starkness of the landscape of the Judean wilderness is almost overwhelming. In the desert, life can be stripped back to its most basic requirements and so it is easier to identify what is really important in our lives. Lent symbolically invites us into the desert, to reflect on what is really important and to live more simply in closer union with God.



The urn of ashes reminds us of the ashes left after a bushfire.....out of the ashes comes new life.

Lent lasts for forty days in imitation of Jesus' forty days in the wilderness. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Thursday.

- There is evidence of Lenten preparation for Easter very early in the Church's history but its practices became more regularised after the Council of Nicaea (325CE).
- Each Lent all the baptised are expected to adopt the three Lenten disciplines of Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving to those in need.
- In years gone by, Catholics did not eat meat on any Friday, and later, on Fridays in Lent. Today there are two days of the year when Catholics are expected to not eat meat— Ash Wednesday and Good Friday— but all the Fridays of Lent are still days when we should 'fast'. (The Summit)

MISSION NEWS:

Lent 2018: The Australian Catholic Bishops Conference has requested prayers of Reparation and Sorrow for the sins and crimes of the Church following the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse.

Let us make each Friday in Lent a day of both Fast and Reparation.

Please come and pray together each Friday at OLOF Church Nth Gln at 5.30 – 6.00 pm
Fri.23 February, Evening Prayer of Reparation.
Fri.2 March, Litany of Reparation and Prayers.
Fri.9 March, Evening Prayer of Reparation.
Fri. 16 March, Litany of Reparation and Prayers.
Fri. 23 March, Evening Prayer of Reparation.
Fr Dermid