

ROSTERS	9.00am
Acolytes	
27 January	Bryan Kennedy
3 February	Volunteer
Readers	
27 January	Mary De Rome Therese Skelly
3 February	Thora Hogan Venetta Smith
Offertory	
27 January	Leona Evans Family
3 February	Austin & Shirley Cummins
Altar Servers	
27 January	Oliver Gary & Nathaniel Waters
3 February	Campbell & Ellie McCormack
Cleaners:	
January	Mona McIntosh, Geraldine Johnson, Francis Cromack
February	Juanita Kelly, Sue Reedy, Narelle Kensit
Counters	
27 January	Gavin Weatherspoon Grant Hall
3 February	Austin & Shirley Cummins Shirley Kemp

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

Planned Giving contribution

Credit Card- call into the office

Direct Debit- call into the office

EFT: Direct Payment details as follows –

Bank details – BSB 062 786

A/c 000014901

St Mary's Crookwell Parish.

Use Surname & envelope No. /plan giving number to identify your contribution.

You can set your own EFT transfer up, using the above bank details to deposit your planned giving into the parish account. (2nd Collection)
Please contact Janet for a p/g number

Goulburn Mission Information

Mass times

CROOKWELL–SUNDAY AT 9.00AM.

TARALGA – **SATURDAY 6pm Sept.-May.**
(5pm June-Sept)

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

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

LITURGY - .Thursday 9.30am (Rosemary)

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

Bookings are made through the St Mary's parish office. Form and information letter are also available on our website.

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

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

Pastoral Associate Sr Rosemary Hart
(0402 545 172)

Crookwell Parish Office hours:

Tues. & Thurs 9.00-2.00

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THE GOULBURN
MISSION

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***St Mary's Parish
Crookwell***

3RDSUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME Yr C/1
27 January 201

Entrance Antiphon:

O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

In his presence are majesty and splendour, strength and honour in his holy place

Responsorial Psalm: 18:8-10. 15. R. See Jn 6:63

Response:

Your words, Lord, are spirit and life.

Right: The law of the Lord is perfect,

it revives the soul.

The rule of the Lord is to be trusted,
it gives wisdom to the simple.

Left The precepts of the Lord are right,
they gladden the heart.

The command of the Lord is clear,
it gives light to the eyes.

Right: The fear of the Lord is holy,
abiding for ever.

The decrees of the Lord are truth
and all of them just.

Left: May the spoken words of my mouth,
the thoughts of my heart,
win favour in your sight, O Lord,
my rescuer, my rock! (R)

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord sent me to bring Good News to the poor and freedom to prisoners. Alleluia!

Readings: 1 / Neh 8:2-6. 8-10

2 / 1 Cor 12:12-30

Gospel: Luke 1:1-4 4;14-21

Communion Antiphon: (only said if **NO MUSIC**)

Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

Prayer for Vocations

Christ the Good Shepherd, high priest of the Church,
God the Holy Spirit, source of wisdom and understanding,
Guide young people as they discern their vocation,
Give them the wisdom to discover your plan for them,
and courage to embrace your will.
Give to the Church wise and holy priests, deacons
and religious sisters and brothers,
So that your Gospel may be taken to the ends of the earth,
Your flock built up in faith and hope and love,
and your name praised without ceasing. Amen

Prayer of Commissioning:

As you take this holy sacrament to our sick and housebound brothers and sisters who cannot be here with us, share with them too the Lord's love for all those who are vulnerable and in need.

SPIRITUAL & PASTORAL CARE TRAINING

Interested in growing your capacity for spiritual care? An Introductory Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) course is being offered once again in Goulburn in the New Year and would be suitable for recently retired people wanting to learn more about providing holistic spiritual care to residents in aged care facilities, hospitals and the parish.

This 40 hour course will commence on Wednesday 6th February 2019 and run over 7 sessions from 8.30am to 1.30pm. Applications are invited from kind-hearted people, open to increasing their ability to be fully present to others from different walks of life. For more information and course fee please email Barbara Hall at barbarahall1909@gmail.com

Used Stamps

Please remember to collect used stamps (leaving plenty of paper around it from your many cards/parcels/letters over this Christmas period, for the Missions, You may drop your collections through the letter slot at the Parish Office or give to Sr Rosemary, Thank You

WELCOME

Mrs Janet Haynes to the role of Crookwell Parish Secretary.

Office days are the same Tues/ Thurs. 9-2pm. Janet is your first point of contact for all Sacramental, Baptism, Wedding, planned giving enquiries etc.

CLAIM THE DATE

Sr Rosemary will be celebrating her Jubilee Year

Crookwell will celebrate with her on Sunday 24 February
Mass 9am

Followed by morning tea, and presentation in the school hall.

Please note the date, so we can join with Sr to celebrate her Jubilee as a community.

Helpers will be required as the plans get underway.

Reflection- Week 3 Od Time.

DID YOU KNOW?

The name Theophilus literally means 'friend of God' or 'lover of God'. Both the Gospel of Luke and Luke's second volume, the Acts of the Apostles, are addressed to him. It is not known who he was.

Of all the gospels, Luke's is the most explicit and frequent in its references to the Holy Spirit.

The Jewish Sabbath runs from sunset on Friday until sunset on Saturday.

All Jewish men who have been 'bar mitzvah' (meaning 'son of the law') are eligible to come forward to read the sacred scrolls.

Jesus would have been attending the very important Saturday morning synagogue prayers.

*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
for he has chosen me.*

He has sent me to bring good news to the poor.

Reflection

It is very unusual in the sequence of Sunday gospels to have two texts from completely different chapters, but such is the case this week. The opening text from Luke claims that he has a special purpose in undertaking to write his gospel. It is clear that Luke did not know Jesus personally—indeed he places himself among those to whom the story of Jesus 'was handed down', first by eyewitnesses and then by ministers of the word. Luke is of the second or third generation of Christians, and his purpose is to 'write an ordered account' to instruct Theophilus so that 'he can learn how well founded the teaching is'.



The Lectionary then moves to this central text in Luke—where the mission and mandate of Jesus is proclaimed. The text from Isaiah chosen by Jesus is about the coming of the Messiah or the 'anointed one'. Two weeks previously, we read the text of the baptism of Jesus, where the Spirit had indeed been given to him and he had indeed been anointed by God as the one who carries God's favour. Here Jesus announces how he will carry out his messianic mission of bringing hope to the hopeless.

The gospel continues with Jesus carrying out this mandate. Luke includes many stories of Jesus bringing good news to the poor, of raising up those who are downtrodden, of bringing sight to the blind. His whole ministry is his living out this very task. Indeed, 'this text is being fulfilled today even as you listen.' (The Summit)