

May They Rest In Peace: (recently deceased): Drago Bortiek.	
Anniversaries: Keith Stephenson.	
Mass: Drago Bortiek, Geoff O'Brien, deceased members of O'Brien & McIntosh families.	
Prayer List: Patrick McCormack (Qbn), Jane Caruana, Susan (nee McIntosh).	

ROSTERS	9.00am
Acolytes	
9 September	Bryan Kennedy
16 September	Volunteer
Readers	
9 September	Pauline Taylor, Mona McIntosh
16 September	Thora Hogan, Venetta Smith
Offertory	
9 September	First Communion Candidates
16 September	Noel Plumb family
Altar Servers	
9 September	Olivia Anderson
16 September	Campbell & Ellie McCormack
Cleaners:	
September (Group is responsible for a month)	Group 4 helpers
October	Group 5 – Lillian Marshall, Cathy O'Connor, Sandra Francis and Lisa Leonard.
Counters	
9 September	Shirley & Austin Cummins, Shirley Kemp
16 September	Ray Cummins, Vivian Storrier

Please arrange a replacement if unable to attend your roster.

Goulburn Mission Information

Mass times

CROOKWELL – **SUNDAY AT 9.00AM.**
Thursday 13th Sept. Year 3 Mass 9.30am
 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 (NO LITURGY ON TUESDAY DURING WINTER). Rosary is said after Liturgy and weekday masses.

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)

Parish Office hours: Tues. & Thurs 9.00-2.00

Secretary: Mrs Estelle Roberts

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55 Wade Street (PO Box 15), Crookwell 2583

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Parish website – <http://www.cg.org.au/Crookwell>

Goulburn Mass Times

Saturday 5pm (6pm Sep-April) – Cathedral
 Sunday 7am – Our Lady of Fatima
 10am – Cathedral

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THE GOULBURN MISSION
 [Mission Established 2012]
St Mary's Parish
Crookwell
 [Parish Established 1882]

23rd Sunday Ordinary Time
Yr B –9th September 2018

Entrance Antiphon:

You are just, O Lord, and your judgement is right; treat your servant in accord with your merciful love.

Responsorial Ps 145:7-10. R. v.1

(R.) Praise the Lord, my soul!

Right *It is the Lord who keeps faith for ever, who is just to those who are oppressed. It is he who gives bread to the hungry, the Lord, who sets prisoners free.*

Left *It is the Lord who gives sight to the blind, who raises up those who are bound down, the Lord who loves the just, the Lord, who protects the stranger.*

Right *The Lord upholds the widow and orphan, but thwarts the path of the wicked. The Lord will reign for ever, Zion's God, from age to age. (R.)*

Readings: 1/ Is 35:4-7; **2/** James 2:1-5:
Gospel: Mk 7: 31-37.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
 Jesus preached the Good News of the kingdom and healed all who were sick.
 Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon:

Like the deer that yearns for running streams, so my soul is yearning for you, my God; my soul is thirsting for God, the living God.

Plenary Prayer:

Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.

O God, bless and unite all your people in Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of the Plenary Council.

Give us the grace to see your face in one another and to recognise Jesus, our companion on the road.

Give us the courage to tell our stories and to speak boldly of your truth.

Give us ears to listen humbly to each other and a discerning heart to hear what you are saying.

Lead your Church into a hope-filled future, that we may live the joy of the Gospel.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the journey from age to age. Amen.

Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.

St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

Prayer of Commissioning:

Take the body of Christ to our brothers and sisters who are sick that they may be united with him and with us through this holy sacrament.

Plenary Council 2020

Find out more about the Plenary Council 2020 at the new website, now online:

www.plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

Questionnaires are available at the entrances to the church, *please take some home for family members also*. Please place your completed form in the YELLOW box located at the entrance to the church.

First Communion

Congratulations to all the First Communion candidates today Sunday 9th September:

Dylan Greenwood	Nathaniel Waters
Skyelah Gray	Abigail Gray
Marnie McCormack	William Heffernan
Madeline Fraser	Alec McIntosh
William Fraser	Regan Picker
Jake Cosgrove	Bree Hearne
Jay Knight	Cody Willis

Morning tea will follow mass in the school hall. All welcome.

St Vincent de Paul Contact Magazine

Available at rear of church. Please put \$4 in Poor Box when you take one of the magazines.

The RCIA For those curious or intrigued about the Catholic Faith, about how to form a Catholic

relationship with Jesus Christ, the Parish will offer two inquiry sessions "Come and See",

Tuesday 11 and Tuesday 18 September at 5.30 pm in the Parish Meeting Room, 36 Verner St.

For those who would then like to continue this journey of faith, the RCIA team will then begin the journey to Easter 2019 with you when Baptism or Reception (for those already baptised) into Full Communion with the Church will be offered to candidates.

St Mary's Social Morning Tea

The next meeting of the group will be held at the **RSL Coffee Shop** on Wednesday 12th September 2018 beginning at 10.30am. All Welcome.

Father's Day Appeal

A final chance to participate in the collection for retired priests. This Appeal raises much needed funds to meet the needs of the 23 retired priests in this Archdiocese. Please give generously to support this important appeal.

Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a program of gift giving to help children in need who live in impoverished countries. Gifts need to be small enough to fit into a 'Shoe Box' and suitable for 2 – 14 years. Alternatively, donations may be made to assist with the postage of the filled boxes. Each box costs \$10.00 to post. The boxes may be collected and dropped off at Duncombe & Co. The closing date for donations is 19th October. For more information contact Sue Reedy 0408 488 434. Your help in any way will be greatly appreciated.

Mission Updates

- **Takings 2 September – First Collection \$413.30, Second Collection \$547.45.**
- **Planned Giving contribution** Direct Payment details as follows -Bank details – BSB 062 786 A/c 000014901 St Mary's Crookwell Parish. Use Surname & envelope No. to identify your contribution.

Parish Helpers

Volunteers are always needed to help with roles within the church. If you are able to help in any way – reading, offertory, cleaning etc., please contact the parish office.

"Rome Pilgrimage"

To celebrate 180yrs o St Peter & Paul's Parish, Goulburn Mission is organising a pilgrimage to Rome. Visiting sights related to SPP plus other popular tourist sights. First class accommodation at Australia Domus, 7 nights in Rome +2 night in Assisi, breakfasts, 3 dinners. Cost \$2350pp + plus your airfare. Departing 25 Sept. Rome on the 26/9-5 October 2019. Limited seats.

GOULBURN MISSION PARISHIONERS are invited to join the pilgrimage first, \$250 dep. required. Phone the Goulburn office or direct enquiries - Rome Pilgrimages- 1800753959 pilgrimage@sydneycatholic.org

Reflection – 22nd Sunday

A Journey through the Mass

(Pope Francis) by Clare Schwantes

The POWER of the MASS

Mass as commitment to Christian Witness.

Throwing light on the Concluding Rites, he moved straight to the point; when the Mass finishes, the commitment to Christian witness commences. The pope warned the people against leaving the church chatting and talking lest the Mass not enter their hearts. Rather, he challenged them to leave each Mass better than they entered, with more vitality and a more fervent desire to give Christian witness.

We must not forget that we celebrate the Eucharist to learn to become Eucharistic men and women. What does this mean? It means to let Christ act in our works: that his thoughts be our thoughts, his sentiments ours, his choices our choices. And this is holiness: to do as Christ did.

. (Liturgy News)