

**May They Rest in Peace** : Sheila Crooks, Sr John Keenan RSM, Max Routley, Neville Yeadon, Mary Ferrario, Agnes Woodward, Sr Marie Miller RSJ, Margaret (Molly) Langdon, Christopher Delaney, Conrad Hewitt, Denise Keatley, Mark Furney, Peter De Mamiel, Maisie Miller,

**Anniversaries:** Olive Thistleton, Ena Webb, Corinna Prevedello,

**Prayer List:** Rodney & Veronica Howarth, Louise Wakefield, Pat Ryan, Kevin King, Marianne Barling, Bobby Harrington, Barbara Basely, Bill Kemp, Jude Stewart,

### Parish Diary

Mon 26/8	Confirmation lesson 4-5pm St Brigids
Tues 27/8	7.30am Mass. StJ Conv.Chapel
Wed 28/8	7.30am Morning Mass StJ Conv.Chapel 11am Exploring The Sunday Gospel 2.pm Legion of Mary meet presb. Mtg rm Confirmation lesson 4-5pm St Brigids
Thur 29/8	7.30am Mass. StJ Conv.Chapel Confirmation lesson 4-5pm Crookwell 7pm Rosary at St Michael's Bungonia
Fri 30/8	<b>12n Mass SPP Old Cathedral</b> 3pm Eucharistic Adoration STJ Chapel

Readings next week: 22nd Sunday Ord.Time.

1 / Sir 3:17-20, 28-29

2/ Heb 12:18-19, 22-24

Gospel: Lk 14:1. 7-14

### Planned Giving contributions:

Ways you can support **THE PARISH**

**Credit Card-** call /ph /email the office

**Direct Debit-** call /ph /email the office

**EFT:** Direct Payment details as follows –  
Bank details – BSB 062 786  
A/c 000014927 MQA Parish.

Use p/g +Surname / or envelope No. number to identify your contribution.

**You can set your own EFT transfer**, using the above bank details to deposit your planned giving into the parish account. (2<sup>nd</sup> Collection)

\*\*Please contact Sharon for a p/g number.

The Goulburn Mission Mass Times:

<b>Ss Peter &amp; Paul's:</b>	Sat. 6.00pm Sept-April 5.00pm (May- Aug.)
<b>Our Lady of Fatima:</b>	7.00am Sunday
<b>Ss Peter &amp; Paul's:</b>	10.00am Sunday
<b>Taralga:</b>	Sat. 6.00pm Sept-May 5.00pm (Winter June-Aug.)
<b>Crookwell:</b>	Sun. 9.am
Binda (1,2,3)	Sun 10.30am
Tuena (5)	Sun 11.30am
St Patrick's, Marulan, 8.00am (2/4 Sun. month)	
St Joseph's, Tarago 8.00am (3 Sun. Month)	
St Laurence O'Toole, Spring Valley	
St Michael's, Bungonia, St Bartholomew's, Collector	

### ROSTER 31 Aug/1 Sept.. 2019

Mass	5.00pm	7. 00am	10 .00am
<b>Acolyte</b>	M Keating	?	A Dorsett
<b>Snr Server</b>			
<b>Readers 1</b>	Sr Marie K	Mullen	M Ryan
<b>2</b>	J Harris	MEggleston	B Writer
<b>MHC</b>	C Bopping S cashman G Geurts M Abdalah	W Wise J Kruger	B Hall C Groves P Heaton F McKillop
<b>*Infirmid</b>	A Oberg	L Eccles	D Bourke
<b>Alt. Server</b>	Cristen Britel		Darien
<b>Music</b>	Stephen W Srs I & GM	Fatima Choir	Jnr choir
<b>Prayers</b>	Sept	Lance	Goulburn

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

### WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tues.-Thurs- 7.30am St J Convent Chapel  
Fridays **12n** SPP Old Cathedral  
Saturday: 9.00am OLOF  
Waminda- 11.00am 1 Tuesday month  
Masonic 11.00am 2 Wed month  
Warrigal 11.00am 3 Tues month

### RECONCILIATION TIME:

**Saturday 9.30-10.00am OLOF**

**Saturday 4..30 SPP – Verner St side.**

**Secretary:** Sharon Cashman

**Office hours: 8.30-12.30pm Mon-Fri**

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## THE GOULBURN MISSION

[Mission Established 2012] 24/25 Aug 2019  
[Parish Established 1839]

## MARY QUEEN OF APOSTLES

21 Sunday Ordinary Time Yr C

**Entrance Antiphon:** Turn your ear, O Lord,  
and answer me;  
save the servant who trusts in you, my God.  
Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all  
the day long.

**Responsorial Psalm:** 116. R. Mk 16:15

**Response:** Go out to all the world  
and tell the Good News.

**Left:** O praise the Lord, all you nations,  
acclaim him all you peoples!

**Right:** Strong is his love for us;  
he is faithful for ever.

### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life, says  
the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except  
through me. Alleluia!

**Readings:** 1 / Jer 38:4-6. 8-10

2 / Heb 12:1-4

**Gospel:** Lk 12:49-53

### Communion Antiphon:

(only to be said if there is **NO MUSIC during the Mass**)

The earth is replete with the fruits of your work,  
O Lord; you bring forth bread from the earth and  
wine to cheer the heart.

### Prayer of Commissioning:

May this Blessed Sacrament fill those who  
receive it with saving grace, and with peace and  
goodness.

### **Prayer for Vocations:**

Gracious and loving God

We come before you humbly asking for your blessing. Through Jesus, you invited us to ask for workers in your vineyard.

Look with favour on our parishes,

And bless us with men and women who respond generously to your call

to priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Bless us with generosity to encourage and support these people.

Help us all to be good and faithful witnesses to your love, and especially bless those called to leadership in our Church.

We make this prayer in the name of Jesus, our priest, prophet and king. Amen

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**CLAIM THE DATE:** 7 Sept. a farewell morning tea for Fr Lole will be held in the meeting room at the back of OLOF Nth Gln 10am . (following Mass). A retiring collection for Fr lole will be next weekend.

### **Mission Sacramental Program Update;**

**CONFIRMATION:** Sept.21/22 2019

Attend a Mass & lesson each week during Course. (lessons Mon, Wed. OR Thurs)

*Children are able to attend any Mass and get their card stamped, even if you have sport, holidays away just ask the priest to sign your card please.*

**Goulburn-** Wk Mondays 4-5pm OR  
Wednesday 4-5pm

**Crookwell-** Wk Thursdays 4-5pm St Marys Ctr  
Contact email: [mqa.sacramental@gmail.com](mailto:mqa.sacramental@gmail.com)

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**Fr Alexander Osborne** –Ass.Priest Goulburn Mission(Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>). Will be Ordained Fri.30<sup>th</sup> Aug. St Christophers Catheral. All parishioners are very welcome to attend.

### **Mass at St Michael's Catholic Church**

**Bungonia** SEPTEMBER14 SATURDAY

10 AM–Annual Patronal This is also a chance to farewell Fr. Dermid McDermott our hardworking Parish Priest who is retiring. All welcome PLEASE: Bring a plate towards a cuppa and refreshments.(NO 9am MASS at OLOF 14/9)

### **Mission News:**

**MISSION Celebration** Lunch and Guest Speaker Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September. 12n Gln Workers Club. Tickets on sale now, please see posters at the entrance for more details and where to purchase your tickets.  
Ph 0474474960 for more details.

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**Saturday Vigil Mass:** Returns to 6pm on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September.

### **Warrigal Care: Communion to the sick** Urgent!

A special meeting will be held on Wednesday 28 August at OLOF Meeting Room. 5pm. Anyone currently volunteering or would like to be involved in this Ministry please come along to this meeting. Chris O'Brien 0408 484 555

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**The Craft group** meet at 1.30pm OLOF mtg rm. on the 1st , 3rd & 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month. If you would like to meet others in a relaxed environment please come along. You are welcome to bring something to do.

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**Ex Students, Associates and Friends of the Sisters of St Josephs** will gather for morning tea a Café Book on Wednesday 28 Aug. 10am for 10.15am. All very welcome.

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**The COLLECTION BAGS:** as the bags are handed to you please accept the bag and pass on across the pew or to the people behind. PLEASE do not say no or hand up –just pass the bag on. We are grateful for the Confirmation Candidates and the volunteers every week for helping out in this Ministry.

Did you know:

The GREEN bag 1<sup>st</sup>-Central Clergy Fund

The RED bag 2<sup>nd</sup> stays in the parish to pay the bills! Insurance, hosts, wine, upkeep, fuel priests, wages, Church Requisites etc.

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**Thank you to Basil Bourke** for the *MANY* years of Service to our Parish. Basil has recently retired from "Parish Duties".

### **Exploring The Word**

As the chosen people, the Jews believed they were in a privileged relationship with God. In this text, Jesus shatters some illusions. There is no privileged or exclusive entry to the kingdom of God by those who see themselves as 'religious insiders'. This is equally directed to the disciples. It is not enough that they have shared a meal with Jesus or have heard his word. They must respond to that word and act on it. They must enter by the narrow door, and this requires great effort, or else those who thought themselves 'inside' could find themselves 'outside', while others, 'the outsiders', will find their way ahead of them. This radical reversal of values and expectations would have shocked those who thought they were on the 'inside'.

The community for whom Luke wrote his Gospel was made up largely of Gentiles (non-Jews). They are the ones from the 'east and west, north and south' who have come to a place at the feast because they came to faith in the risen Christ.

- This is a text about the universality of God's love and the redemption God offers. It is not limited to a particular group or nationality. It is open to all who respond positively.
- Some Christian denominations have a very exclusive view of salvation and believe that only 'a few' will be saved. This is not the case with the Catholic Church, which sees the salvation offered by Christ as very inclusive—open to all who come to faith.

### **SYMBOLS AND IMAGES**

One of the most common images of the kingdom of God is that of the feast or the banquet. A feast is not simply a meal; it is an abundant celebration of something wonderful, from which people draw nourishment, life and vitality. Such is the kingdom of God.

*I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord; no one comes to the Father, except through me.*

*(The Summit*

