



St. Joseph's Parish, Grenfell

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – 8 September 2019

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MASS TIMES

SUNDAY: 9.30am

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 4th Sunday during School term

WEDNESDAY: Mass at 10.00am

Note: A Funeral Mass takes priority over Wednesday mass

RECONCILIATION: 9.00am till 9.15am every Sunday

BAPTISMS: Telephone or email office in Young

WEDDINGS: At least 6 months' notice -
Telephone or email office in Young

WEEKEND MASS TIMES AT ST. MARY'S, YOUNG

SAT/SUN: 6.00pm (SAT) & 8.00am (SUN)

ROSTERS FOR THIS WEEK: SUN. 8 SEPT. 2019

ACOLYTE: Nev Stokes or John King

MUSIC: Peter Butcher

READERS: Val Forsyth and Terry Carroll

SPECIAL MINISTERS: Sr Mary & Mary Moffitt

COUNTERS: Julie Finn and Terry Carroll

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: SUN. 15 SEPT. 2019

ACOLYTE: Nev Stokes or John King

MUSIC: Di Franks

READERS: Jenny Bell and Terry Carroll

SPECIAL MINISTERS: Val Forsyth and Marie Keir

COUNTERS: Peter Butcher and Julie Finn

CLEANING: Mary Stokes, Mary Moffitt,
Di Franks

PLEASE EMAIL ANY MESSAGES FOR THE BULLETIN TO ST MARY'S PARISH OFFICE NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, AS THIS IS THE CLOSE OFF TIME FOR ALL ENTRIES. THANKS.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Ex 32: 7-11, 13-14;
1 Tim 1: 12-17; Luke 15: 1-32

THE VENERATION OF SAINT PADRE PIO'S GLOVE

St Padre Pio of Pietrelcina, Veneration of Sacred Relic
Friday, 13th September 2019 (10-00am - 11-00am)
St Anthony's Church, HARDEN

THANK YOU

Saturday, 14th September (Vigil Mass) is the last I will celebrate in Young. Next Sunday, 22nd September will be my last Sunday morning Mass. I would like to thank you for your witness of faith over the last 6 years. Your fidelity to the Eucharist and the sacraments of the church and your stoic faith in the face of some very disturbing events affecting our church, has been a great strength and support for me.

Thanks also for all those who quietly minister in this parish who have kept the wheels turning and without whom nothing would get done.

Look after your new clergy. They need your warmth, prayers and encouragement. Fr. Tom.

FR TOM'S FAREWELL

will be a Morning Tea after Mass on Sunday, 22nd September. It would be appreciated if everyone could please bring a plate to share.

NEW CLERGY

Two new priests have been appointed to the parishes of Young, Boorowa and Grenfell. They are:

Fr James Onoja - Parish Pastor
Fr Praveen Paul - Associate Pastor

Fr James and Fr Praveen have been in our diocese for four years. Fr James hails from Nigeria and has been working in Cooma. Fr Praveen is from India and has been working in Tuggeranong Parish.

We warmly welcome them.

They will commence their ministry on the weekend of the 28th - 29th September, 2019.

NOTE FOR DIARY

Commencing weekend of Saturday, 28th and Sunday, 29th September weekend Mass times will be resuming previous times.

Saturday - 6-00pm Vigil at Boorowa and
6-00pm Vigil at Young
Sunday - 9-00am at Young and Grenfell

Please note it is September it starts!

GRENFELL FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS (9th September 2019 - 22nd September 2019)

Please contact Liz Carroll on (0427) 431-544 or Di Franks on (0418) 619-740 if you or your family require assistance with funeral preparation arrangements.

MEMORIAL BOOK

To have names placed in the book, please fill in the names of the deceased members of our parish and our relatives in the folder at the church rear. Please fill in the sheet by **PRINTING** their name and date of death. These will be placed in a memorial book which can be added to each year.

MPHS MONDAY SERVICE

Every 3rd Monday of the month at 10-00am, representatives of our church conduct an Ecumenical service at Grenfell Multi-Purpose Health Service (MPHS) for the residents there. Any parishioners who would like to attend would be very welcome. A service is held each Monday with other churches being rostered on for the other Mondays of the month. The next rostered date for our church is Monday, 19th August at 10-00am.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Marion Ewers, Mary Dixon, Del Moriarty - Cowra (Sister of Terry Carroll), Jim Montgomery

WEBSITE

Please feel free to check out our information and Bulletins on the website. Just go to: cg.org.au/grenfell, and download view for the latest Bulletins.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Anyone packing shoe boxes who needs skirts, bags, pencil cases, marble bags, please contact Joyce Baker on 6383-3529 or mobile (0439) 832-825.

Pre-printed shoe boxes are available at the Christian Bookshop at a cost of 50 cents.

There will be a community shoe box packing day in the Uniting Church Hall on the 24th of September starting at 9.30am with a cuppa.

CHRISTIAN BOOKSHOP

Do you have three hours per month to spare? The Christian Bookshop is in urgent need of volunteers to maintain its present trading hours of four and a half days per week. Please contact Jan Wallace on 6343-1707 for further information.

COMBINED CHURCHES DINNER

St Joseph's Parish will be hosting the Combined Churches (formerly Men's) Dinner on Thursday, 26th September 2019 at the Country Club. (See the flyer on the noticeboard at the back of the church).

The dinner is open to both men and women this year. Cost is \$25-00 per person. (2-Course Meal) Tickets are available at Louisa's Locker and must be paid for and collected by Wednesday, 18th September. There will be no tickets sold at the door.



As our parish is organising the dinner this year, we would like to have a strong representation of parishioners attending.

COUNTING ROSTER

Please note that the counting of the collections at St Joseph's Parish takes place after mass each week. Please see name shown each week for the roster.

VISIT FROM SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Anyone who would like to receive holy communion at home or in the MPHS should contact Mary Moffitt (6343-1575 or 0419 440-692) so that she can notify the Special Ministers of the Eucharist to visit them on Sunday.

LIVE BETTER 4 SENIORS PROGRAM Fire Safety & Awareness in our Community

Topics: Home Safety, Community Safety Awareness, Fire Alarms
To be held on Wednesday, 18th September at 10.00am at Grenfell Community Hub
88 Main Street, Grenfell

RSVP: 11th September to Gabrielle
1800 580 580