

MASS TIMES:

SUNDAY: 8.00am Mass (2nd & 4th Sunday)
8.00am Communion Service
(1st & 3rd and any 5th Sunday)

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 4th Sunday during School term
(when advertised)

WED: NO Mass at 10-00am

Note: A Funeral Mass takes priority over Wednesday mass

RECONCILIATION: Sunday (7.30am - 7.45am)

BAPTISMS: Telephone or email office in Young

WEDDINGS: At least 6 months' notice
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WEEKEND MASS TIMES AT YOUNG AND BOOROWA

YOUNG: 6.00pm (SAT) & 10.00am (SUN)
BOOROWA: 5.00pm (SUN)

ROSTERS FOR THIS WEEK: SUN. 26 FEB. 2023

ACOLYTE: Nev Stokes
MUSIC: Di Franks
READER: Val Forsyth
COUNTERS: Julie Condon and Terry Carroll

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: SUN. 5 MAR. 2023

PRESIDER: Mary Moffitt
GOSPEL/REFL: Sr Mary
ACOLYTE: John King
MUSIC: Peter Butcher
READER: Melissa Hotham
COUNTERS: Terry Carroll and Mary Stokes
CLEANING: Sharon Eppelstun, Phillipa Baker, Debbie Williamson

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Gen 12: 1-4;
2 Tim 1: 8-10; Mt 17: 1-9;



St. Joseph's Parish, Grenfell

1st Sunday of Lent - 26 February 2023

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The Triumph Lenten Program 2023 is now available to purchase. It contains short daily reflections (from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday) and longer-form Sunday reflections, questions and prayer. If you have any questions or would like to place a phone or email order, please call (02) 4222 2411 or email: orders@dow.org.au



PARISH STREET STALL

St Joseph's Parish Street Stall will be held on Friday, 10th and Saturday, 11th March. Donations of Jams, Pickles, Cakes, Slices etc as well as books and any good quality saleable goods greatly appreciated. Volunteers are requested to assist on the stall.



If you are able to assist in any way, please contact Terry or Deidre Carroll on (0403) 480-729 or 6343-1574.

THANK YOU CELEBRATION

On Sunday 12th March our parish will be having a thank you mass and morning tea for Liz Carroll and Leslie King. Liz was chair of the Parish Pastoral Council for 9 years and carried out many 'behind the scenes' activities for the parish. Leslie was the Sacramental Coordinator for the parish for 13 years and guided our young people through preparation for Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation during that time. After mass there will be a morning tea. Parishioners are asked to bring a small plate of food to share.

PARISH OFFICE NOTICE

The weekly parish bulletin will be available in the church plus on the website each week. Please feel free to go to: cg.org.au/grenfell and download view.

CHURCH OPENING HOURS

If you wish to pay a visit - St Joseph's Church will be open daily from 10.00am - 4.00pm and following Mass on Sundays.

Please keep the inside doors closed to prevent the pigeons paying a visit.

NEXT ANOINTING MASS

The next Anointing Mass will be held on Friday, 10th March commencing at 1.30pm in the Young Church.

It has been decided that Anointing Masses will occur in Young on the 2nd Friday of each month. (Please note there will not be 8.00am Mass this day)

It is only through our prayers and masses that can help our beloved ones.

Please save the date and let anyone you know who would like to attend and bring them along.

Please join our new programme of "Walking Together" and have a cuppa together after the Anointing Mass in the Parish Centre. All welcome.

GRENFELL FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

As the death of a loved one can be a very stressful time, we have support in place if you need it. Please contact Di Franks (6343-2230 or 0418 619-740) or Mary Moffitt (6343-1575 or 0419 440-692) if you or your family would like assistance with funeral preparation arrangements.

Prayers are requested for Fran Harveyson, Bill Mainwaring, Jennifer Sullivan (Sister of Bill Mainwaring), Veronica Galvin and Shirley Cassidy (Sisters of Mary Galvin) who are not well at the moment.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Nancy Spackman, Kelly Franks

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

This year the Holy Trinity Anglican Church will be hosting the World Day of Prayer on Friday 3rd March at 7.00pm followed by coffee and dessert.

All are welcome to attend.

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.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Please be advised that we have a new Facebook page for Catholic Mission of Young (includes Young, Grenfell and Boorowa Parishes).

If you have any notices that you would like included, please email Megan at: boorowa@cg.org.au (with at least one week's notice) and she will enter it for you.



What to Give Up:

A Lenten Reflection

- Give up complaining—focus on gratitude.
- Give up pessimism—become an optimist.
- Give up harsh judgments—think kindly thoughts.
- Give up worry—trust Divine Providence.
- Give up discouragement—be full of hope.
- Give up bitterness—turn to forgiveness.
- Give up hatred—return good for evil.
- Give up negativism—be positive.
- Give up anger—be more patient.
- Give up pettiness—become mature.
- Give up gloom—enjoy the beauty that is all around you.
- Give up jealousy—pray for trust.
- Give up gossiping—control your tongue.
- Give up sin—turn to virtue.
- Give up giving up—hang in there!