

MASS TIMES:

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

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. 16 JULY 2023

PRESIDER: Sr Mary

GOSPEL/REFL: Di Franks

ACOLYTE: Greg Ewers

MUSIC: Peter Butcher

READER: Danielle McFarlane

COUNTERS: Terry Carroll and Mary Moffitt

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: SUN. 23 JULY 2023

ACOLYTE: Nev Stokes

MUSIC: Di Franks

READER: Mary Moffitt

COUNTERS: Terry Carroll and Julie Condon

CLEANING: Mary Stokes, Mary Moffitt, Di Franks

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS - (16th Sun.inOrd.Ti):

Wis 12: 13, 16-19; Rom 8: 26-27; Mt 13: 24-30:



St. Joseph's Parish, Grenfell

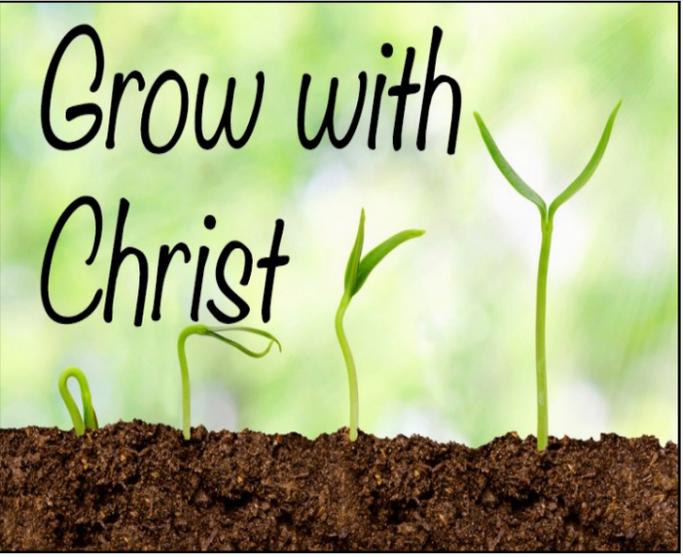
We sincerely acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land, the Wiradjuri people

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 16 July 2023

Parish Priest: Fr Jiss Sunny
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SCAM TEXT MESSAGES

We have received an email from Canberra to advise that several parishioners have received scam text messages that say – "Hello, this is Fr (correct name of priest), I'm in a meeting right now, can't talk on phone but text me back when you get this message. I need you to assist me quickly. Blessings".

The messages all appear to be coming from an overseas number. Unfortunately, some parishioners have replied to the text and then been inundated with requests for Amazon gift cards for "cancer patients".

Please know that this is a **SCAM** and to **NOT REPLY**.

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.

ELAINE HOCKING FUNERAL

Please be advised that there will be a Requiem Funeral Mass held for Elaine Hocking on Tuesday, 18th July at 2-00pm at St Joseph's Catholic Church.

May she rest in peace!

WEEKLY CATHOLIC VOICE

The Weekly Catholic Voice is available online each week. Please log into: catholicvoice.org.au and catch up with all the latest news.

CONFIRMATION

St Joseph's Parish will be offering the Sacrament of Confirmation to eligible candidates. To be eligible to prepare for the Sacrament of Confirmation, candidates must be in Year 5 or above and must have already received the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

The meetings for the Confirmation candidates will take place during Terms 3 and 4. The dates are as follows:

Wednesday 6th September – Preparation Meeting at 6.00pm
Wednesday 20th September – Preparation Meeting at 6.00pm
Wednesday 18th October – Preparation Meeting at 6.00pm
Sunday 22nd October – Confirmation Mass at 8.00am

The preparation meetings will be held on each of the above dates in the St Joseph's School Library. A Catholic parent (or caregiver) of each candidate must attend each of the meetings.

If you are interested in enrolling your child/ren please contact me (if you have not already done so) at the school on 6343 1514 or via email: danielle.mcfarlane@cg.catholic.edu.au



Prayers are requested for Martin Stait (Grandson of Mary Galvin), Allan Stokes, Peter Galvin, 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: Elaine Hocking, Verna Ellis

A PRAYER FOR OUR CATECHISTS

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.

Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word. Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.

Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them the wisdom to know what to teach; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son.

We pray this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.



NEXT ECUMENICAL SERVICE

The next 5th Sunday Ecumenical service will be held in St Joseph's Catholic Church at 2.00pm on Sunday, 30th July 2023. All are invited to attend.

CARPARK

Because of all the wet weather, the carpark has become very muddy and damaged. If possible, could parishioners please park in the street until the ground dries out. The school staff are parking in the street to avoid further damage. Once the ground has completely dried out we will try to find a permanent solution to keeping the car park in a better state.

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.

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.

JOKE CORNER

MAN: What is a million years like to you?
GOD: Like one second.

MAN: What is a million dollars like to you?
GOD: Like one penny.

MAN: Can I please have a penny?
GOD: Just a second.

