

OPEN CHURCH - Parishioners can enter the body of the church any time for prayer during daylight hours through the main glass doors at the back of the Church.

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tues 9th May	8.30am Mass at Chapel NO Mass at Boorowa
Wed 10th May	8.30am Mass in Chapel 10.00am Mass at Grenfell
Thur 11th May	8.30am Mass in Chapel 11.00am Mass at Boorowa
Fri 12th May	8.30am Mass in Chapel 10.00am Mass at YRV
Sat 13th May	9.30am - 10.00am Reconciliation 11.00am Mass at MSJ 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Boorowa
Sun 14th May	8.00am Mass at Bribbaree 9.30am Mass at Young 9.30am Mass at Grenfell

Note: A Funeral Mass usually replaces a Weekday Mass

VOCATIONS PRAYER GROUP:

Thursdays 9.00am in the Chapel

BAPTISMS: During Masses on the second Saturday or Sunday of the month.
(Ring Office first for all Baptism Preparation night enquiries).

ADORATION: 4.00pm-5.00pm in the CHAPEL Fridays

WEDDINGS: By appointment (at least 6 months' notice)

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK 13/14 May 2017

READERS: First Second
6.00pm: Katrina Garlick Ashleigh Nicholson
9.30am: Rob Cullen Tracey Cullen
6.00pm: (**ACOLYTE**) Greg Broderick
9.30am: (**ACOLYTE**) Peter Mullany
ALTAR SERVERS: 6.00pm: Grace Taylor, Abbey Hall, Millie Hyam, Dominic Moran
9.30am: Liam Jewitt, Luke Jewitt
PLANNED GIVING: Bill Cameron and Jenny Howell
CHURCH CLEANERS: Maria Hanrahan and Team 1
CHILDREN'S LITURGY: Sharon Long
CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE ROSTER: Trish Saines (May)
LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Andreas Bonsembiante and Ryan Mugridge (May)
MAINTENANCE: Michael Keir and Silvio Livolsi (May)
Contact for Maintenance: Don Smith - 0427 410 422
LINEN ROSTER: Robyn Armstrong
ROSARY STATUE: Mr & Mrs Don Smith, 36 Toompang St
NEXT: Janice O'Reilly, 5 Sam Place
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
6.00pm: Josie Johnson Dianne McGregor
9.30am: Joanne Wells Sharon Hibbert

RECENTLY DECEASED: Br Don Gallagher CFC, Laurel Quinlivan, Muriel Devane, June Woods, Anne O'Reilly, Ellen Horrocks (Wagga), Elizabeth Phillips (Melbourne) - Sister and niece of Pat Maloney, Harry Ray (Geoff's Dad), Norman Geppert



Parish Priest:
Office Hours:

St. Mary's Parish, Young

We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people
4th Sunday of Easter - 7 May 2017

Fr Tom Thornton PP and Assistant Priest Fr Paletasala (Pale) Leota
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NOTE

Fr Tom will stay in Canberra to recuperate after his surgery - Hip replacement - and won't be back till middle to late June. Thank you all for your prayers and support. Everything went well. May God touch Fr Tom with His healing hand and give him the comfort and peace he needs for a speedy recovery.

HELPERS FOR THE NEW ST VINCENT de PAUL CENTRE

Have you been along to see the new Vinnies Centre at 120 Lovell Street? It is a real asset to Young, and even before the Grand Opening on 6 May we have had a wonderful response from the Young community who have come in early. The stock has been literally "flying out the door". Everyone at Vinnies is extremely pleased we are able to provide such a service for our area. However, what we need now are more volunteers to come along and help out to continue to meet the current demand. It is a very large shop that we have been blessed with, the second largest centre in the Canberra/Goulburn Archdiocese, and it needs a lot of people with various skills to keep it looking beautiful and well stocked. We need administrative people, shop assistants, donation sorters, specialists to price the various categories of goods, drivers and strong people to lift and carry stock. We seek your commitment to whatever it is you can offer but most convenient would be for volunteers to give up a few hours once a week or fortnight. Our Vinnies Centre in Young is a great place to make new friends, get work experience or just to give back to our community. If you could offer some of your time to assist your community you would be warmly welcomed. Your assistance is especially needed over the next couple of weeks while demand is so high. Please contact our centre manager, Bronwen Grovenor, on 02 6234 7445 or drop into the centre and meet her. Thank you for your consideration.

1st Year Anniversaries of death for this week is:
Colleen Douglas.
Please keep this family in your prayers.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Acts 6:1-7; 1 Peter 2: 4-9, John 14:1-12

(CLAIM THE DATE)

2017 MARIAN PROCESSION AND YOUTH PILGRIMAGE

Over many decades the Archdiocesan Marian Procession at St Clement's Monastery, Galong has gathered tens of thousands of Catholics from across Australia. As we have journeyed with Mary to the heart of Jesus many lives have been changed for the good through this event. You are welcome!

MARIAN PROCESSION

DATE: Sunday, 8th October 2017

PLACE: St Clement's Monastery, Galong

CONFESSION: 10-30am

MASS: 11-30am Mass with main celebrant, Archbishop Christopher Prowse

LUNCH: 12-30pm BYO lunch

YOUTH Pilgrimage (with cross & icon of The Holy Family)

DATE: Saturday, 7th October 2017

PLACE: St Patrick's, Binalong to St Clement's Mon., Galong

DETAILS: To be advised

For more information, please contact: (02) 6201-9800



FOOD BANK

(Roster for May 2017 - GROUP 4)

For any further information, please feel free to contact either Louise on (0477) 380 795 or Mary-Louise (Tootsie) on (0429) 811 081.

PLEASE EMAIL ANY MESSAGES FOR THE BULLETIN TO THE PARISH OFFICE NO LATER THAN 1.30 PM WEDNESDAY, AS THIS IS THE CLOSE OFF TIME FOR ALL ENTRIES. THANKS.

SPECIAL MINISTERS NEEDED

It would be greatly appreciated if anyone is able to help out at Southern Cross Care once in every 5 weeks on a Tuesday morning to give Holy Communion to the residents. Please contact Brenda Cummings on (0448) 436 791 if you can provide some assistance. Thank you.

WEDDING

Congratulations to Jessica Saines and Andrew Glasheen who celebrated their Wedding at St Mary's Church this weekend. May the Lord's blessings rest on them.



PRAYER SERVICES

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Christian Meditation is held every Wednesday, in St Mary's Chapel at 5.30pm. It is a contemplative prayer in the ancient Christian tradition.

MUSIC MINISTRY FORMATION DAY

Saturday, 13th May

A worship and liturgy formation day for leaders of music ministries and youth ministries in parishes and movements across the Archdiocese. Come and hear from Archbishop Christopher Prowse, Jaki Kane, Steven Kirk and others on how you can bring music and worship to life in the Church. 11-00am to 6-00pm at Mary, Help of Christians Pearce on Saturday, 13th May. Cost: \$15-00. If you play an instrument, make sure to bring it along. For further information, please contact: Huw Warmenhoven on: huw.warmenhoven@cg.org.au or cgyouthministry.org.au/musicfromtheheart

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN MAY

Please note St Vincent de Paul meetings will now be held at the new Conference Room in the new St Vinnies Centre near Woolworths. The dates for the next meetings are Monday, 15th May & Monday, 29th May at 10-00am.

50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY (6/5/17)

Guess who has a 50th Wedding Anniversary this weekend?

Yes, it is BARB and BRIAN HISLOP.

Congratulations to both of you on your very special year. We hope you have many more happy years together.



"Catechist Day"

Aboriginal Pastor, Tim Edwards will lead the participants in Indigenous Education and Spirituality from a Christian perspective on Friday, 12th May at the Parish Centre in Young. 10.00am – 3.00pm unless otherwise notified.

RSVP to Chris Emmett on (0487) 479 307 or matt.ransom@cg.org.au

All welcome

GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY APPEAL (6-7 MAY) Collection for Formation of our Seminarians

Currently the Archdiocese has eight young men in training to be our priests of the future. It is a time to celebrate this blessing and to encourage the community to financially support these young men. As many of you will know, university education is an expensive commitment. Likewise, seminary formation is also a substantial financial cost, covering both tuition and board for at least six years. The appeal will be held at all Masses this weekend. All donors will be issued with receipts.

Please give generously.