

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

Tue. 29th Jan: 8.30am Mass in the Chapel
 Wed. 30th Jan: 8.30am Mass in the Chapel
 Thu. 31st Jan: 8.30am Mass in the Chapel
 11.00am Mass at Burrowa House
 Fri. 1st Feb: 8.30am Mass in the Chapel
 NO 9.30am Mass at SCC (YRV)
 Sat. 2nd Feb: 9.30 - 10.00am Reconciliation
 NO 11.00am Mass at MSJ
 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young
 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Boorowa
 Sun. 3rd Feb: 9.00am Mass at Young
 9.00am Mass at Grenfell

NB: A Funeral Mass usually replaces a Weekday Mass

VOCATIONS PRAYER GROUP: 9.00am in Chapel Thu

BAPTISMS: During Masses on the second Sat/Sun. of month- Ring Office first for all Baptism enquiries

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: 5.30pm in Chapel Wed

ADORATION: 5.00pm to 6.00pm in the Chapel Fri.

WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK 2/3 February 2019

READERS: **First** **Second**
6.00pm: Glenn Payne Beth Payne
9.00am: Tracey Cullen Rob Cullen

SENIOR SERVER: **6.00pm:** Tony Fowler
9.00am: Peter Mullany

ALTAR SERVERS: **6pm:** Madeline Wegmann,
 Charlotte Wegmann, Dominic Moran
9.00am: Reagan Griffin, Luke Jewitt, Jesse Jewitt,
 Harper Cronin

PLANNED GIVING: Bill Cameron and Jenny Howell

CHURCH CLEANERS: Ned Barry & Team 2

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: To be advised

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Trish Saines (February 2019)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: B Maloney/C Maloney (Feb 19)

MAINTENANCE: S Woolford/A Reimer (February 2019)

Contact for Maintenance: Don Smith - (0427) 410-422

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Trish Saines (Feb 2019)

LINEN ROSTER: Robyn Armstrong

ROSARY STATUE: Mrs Louise Mugridge, 59 Fontenoy St.

NEXT: Mr & Mrs W Causer, 62 Wombat Street

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Mark Birks Trish Saines

9.00am: Trazel Scott Sharon Hibbert

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Jer 1: 4-5, 17-19;

1 Cor 12: 31 - 13:13; Luke 4: 21-30



St. Mary's Parish, Young

We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time - 27 January 2019

IN EMERGENCY ONLY - FR. TOM (0408) 623 303

Parish Priests: Fr Tom Thornton PP and Fr Trenton van Reesch (Assistant Priest)
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YOUNG FINANCE COUNCIL MEETING

Young Finance Council meets at 5-30pm on Tuesday, 5th February at the Parish Office.

YOUNG PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Young Parish Council meets at 5-30pm on Thursday, 7th February at the Parish Centre.

QUESTIONS ? - "The Profession of Faith" - 2019

Our first session for 2019 will be Friday, 8th February at 11-00am. Please have read pages 19 - 29 of Catechism of Catholics Church, prior to meeting at Parish Centre.

ST MARY'S PARISH, YOUNG (SACRAMENTS 2019)

Catholic parents who wish to enrol their children in the sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion have to attend a meeting on Monday, 11th February in the Parish Centre at 7-00pm where registration forms and details will be provided.

Please note this is not for children and this is the only night on which registration may take place.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Robert (Bob) O'Brien (Brother of Jan Ryan), Donald Close, David Brayshaw, John Elms, Doreen Oakes, Moya McIntyre, Sr Marie Duffy RSM, Joe Uren, Ron Marketo (formerly of Young), Margaret Anderson - Townsville (Mother of Bev McVeigh), Darrell Pratt, Noel Kennedy (Brother of Sr Helen)

PRESENTATION ASSOCIATES MEETING

The next Presentation Associates Meeting will be held on Monday, 4th February at 1-00pm in the Parish Centre.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Christian Meditation will re-commence for 2019 on Wednesday, 6th February at 5-30pm in the Chapel.

ADORATION

Please be advised that Adoration in the Chapel on Fridays will be from the hours of 5-00pm to 6-00pm.

COLUMBAN CALENDARS

There is still some 2019 Columban Art Calendars available for purchase if you missed out earlier.

If you are interested, please pay \$10-00 at the Parish office between 9-30am and 1-30pm from Tuesday to Friday.

WEBSITE

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

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN FEBRUARY 2019

St Vincent de Paul meetings will be held at the Conference Room in the St Vinnies Centre. The dates for the next Meetings are Monday, 4th February and Monday, 18th February at 11-00am.

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.

FOOD BANK

(Roster for January 2019- GROUP 6) For further information, please feel free to contact either Louise on (0484) 596 998 or Mary-Louise (Tootsie) on (0429) 811 081.

POPE FRANCIS - LATEST NEWS

Vatican City, Jan 20, 2019 / 06:46 am (CNA/EWTN News).- Pope Francis launched an app Sunday called "Click to Pray," which connects Catholics to a global network to share prayer intentions via their smartphones. (In your App Store or Google Play Store).

The pope opened the new app using an iPad during his Angelus address Jan. 20 and encouraged young Catholics, in particular, to download the smartphone app to pray the "Rosary of Peace" ahead of World Youth Day.

"Click to Pray" allows users to post prayer intentions and view other prayer requests in six languages. After posting on the social network, one can track how many Catholics around the world have prayed for their request.

The Android and iOS app includes the pope's monthly prayer intentions, all of the mysteries of the rosary, and daily prayers for morning, afternoon, and night. In each of these sections, users can click a box to indicate that they have completed the prayer and view how many others also prayed.

This month's prayer intention is "for young people and the example of Mary." In his Angelus address, Pope Francis reflected on Mary's role in Sunday's Gospel narrative of the wedding feast at Cana.

"Let us look at Mary: the words that Mary addresses to the servants come to crown the spousal framework of Cana, 'Do whatever he tells you,'" Francis said. "These words are a precious inheritance that our Mother has left us."

"To serve the Lord means to listen and practice His word. It is the simple, essential recommendation of the Mother of Jesus, it is the program of life of the Christian," he continued.

Pope Francis explained that "it is not accidental that at the beginning of Jesus' public life there is a wedding ceremony, because in Him God has married humanity."

Jesus' transformation of water into wine was also symbolic, Francis noted, "Water is necessary to live, but the wine expresses the abundance of the banquet and the joy of the party."

He joked, "It would have been bad to continue the party with water! ... A party without wine? I don't know."

The pope encouraged Catholics to turn to Our Lady when facing difficult situations, and to echo her words, "They have no wine."

Francis explained, "When problems occur that we do not know how to solve, when we often feel anxiety and anguish, when we lack the joy, go to Our Lady and say, 'We have no wine. The wine is finished: look how I am, look at my heart, look at my soul.' Tell Mother, and she will go to Jesus to say, 'Look at this, look at this: they have no wine.' And then, she will come back to us and tell us, 'Do whatever he tells you.'"