**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. 11th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel NO 12.30 Mass at Boorowa Wed. 12th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel

NO 10.00am Mass at Grenfell

Thu. 13th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel

11.00am Mass at Boorowa

Fri. 14th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel

9.30am Mass at SCC (YRV) Sat. 15th Feb: 9.30 - 10.00am Reconciliation

6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Boorowa

Sun. 16th Feb: 9.00am Mass at Young 9.00am Mass at Grenfell

NB: A Funeral Mass usually replaces a Weekday Mass

VOCATIONS PRAYER GROUP: 8.30am in Chapel Thu

BAPTISMS: Sat/Sun. of month.

Ring Office first for all Baptism enquiries

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: (In Recess)

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

WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice.

# ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK 15//16 February 2020

READERS: **First Second** 6.00pm: Damian Collins Sr Rita Savage Caroline Devlin 9.00am: Joanne Garlick

ACOLYTE/ 6.00pm: Peter Mullany || SENIOR SERVER: 9.00am: Di McGregor

|| ALTAR SERVERS: 6pm: Grace Taylor, Eliza Taylor

| 9.00am: Volunteers needed

|| PLANNED GIVING: Sue Rolls and Trish Saines

CHURCH CLEANERS: Leanne Parkman and Team 7

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: To be Advised

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: John Rolls (Feb 2020) LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Bill, Chris & Brian (Feb 2020)

MAINTENANCE: Mick Dwyer (Feb 2020)

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

**GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT**: Trish Saines (February 2020)

LINEN ROSTER: Alison Pippard

II ROSARY STATUE: Helen Fowler, 8 Nasmyth Street **NEXT:** Miss Janice O'Reilly, 5 Sam Place

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Glenn Payne Jenny Hardy 6.00pm: 9.00am: Sharon Hibbert Tone Boldrini

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**: Sirach 15: 15–20; 1 Corinthians 2: 6-10; Matthew 5: 17-37



# St. Mary's Parish, Young We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 9 February 2020

Parish Pastor: Office Hours:

Phone:

Fr James Onoja / Associate Pastor: Fr Praveen Paul

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## **BUSHFIRE APPEAL THANK YOU**

On behalf of St Mary's Catholic Church Parish Council and Frs James and Praveen, I would sincerely like to thank you all for your most generous donations for the Bushfire Appeal. The affected parishioners of the Tumut Mission of our Archdiocese will benefit greatly from our small sacrifice.

Our Young Mission of Grenfell, Boorowa and Young have joined together and raised a magnificent total of \$15,000-00.

St Joseph's Parish, Grenfell - \$ 1,500-00 St Patrick's Parish, Boorowa - \$ 1,500-00

**St Mary's Parish, Young** - \$12,000-00

This is an extraordinary response to such a heartbreaking appeal. We continue to pray for the people of Tumut, Adelong and Batlow as they deal with this catastrophe.

Thank vou. Owen Pippard. (Pastoral Council Chairman)

**NOTE**: (Please go to the back of the church on the back bench to collect all your Bushfire receipts).

# **PLENARY COUNCIL MEETING**

All parishioners are invited to attend our next weekly session now on Tuesday, 11th February at 5-30pm in the Parish Centre.

Please come along.

**Topic - Inclusion and Participation.** Owen Pippard.

# GRACE - LENTEN PROGRAM 2020 BOOKS/CD'S

We are now taking orders for Grace - Lenten Program 2020 with options of a 76 page book (\$12-00) containing short daily reflections (from Ash Wednesday to Easter Sunday) or a CD Set (\$11-00) or a combined offer of the book and CD's for (\$17-00). Please write your name down on the list at the back of the church with what you would like ordered. (All orders will be sent next week to ensure delivery on time).

RECENTLY DECEASED: Sr Anne McRae, (PBVM), Larry McDonald (Husband of Helen, Father of David & Megan and Father-in-Law of Cath & Aaron), Margaret Kite, Wilma Walls (Korumburra - VIC), Shirley Outram (Newcastle), Michael Johnston (Husband of Judy), Burton (Burt) Laundess

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## NATIONAL PRAYER CAMPAIGN

(For the gift of rain, for people affected by drought, for support services)

Eternal God, in wisdom and love you created our earth to sustain us and give us life.

We turn to you now in faith, hope and love, asking you to look with favour on our drought-stricken land, on our starving animals, on our failing crops.

Strengthen, sustain and give new heart to our farmers and to all who are affected by drought; be with those who support them.

In your loving providence, send abundant rain and restore our parched earth.

Father of all compassion, hear our prayer through Jesus Christ your Son, in whom the promise of new life has dawned, and through the power of the Holy Spirit, the Lord the giver of life: Renew your faithful people;



Renew the face of the earth. Our Lady of the Southern Cross, Mary, help of Christians - Pray for us. St Mary of the Cross MacKillop - Pray for us.

#### PICK UP YOUR ROSTER

There are Rosters at the back of the Church for Readers, **Eucharistic Ministers, Linen and Lawn.** (Please check and take what is applicable to you). Thank you.

#### **NEW ROSTER FOR EMOC**

Please be advised that there is new copies of the EMOC Roster available at the back of the church for volunteers to pick up.

Revised Rosters and Recipients' lists are available at the back of the Church for collection by Special Ministers who visit the Village and homes.

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# **LINEN AND CLEANING ROSTERS**

The new Linen and Cleaning Rosters have been prepared, so anyone wishing to collect a paper copy can pick them up at the back of the church.

# **READER ROSTER**

A new Reader Roster has been prepared from Jan-Apr. 2020. Copies of this Roster can be picked up at the back of the church.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING IN FEBRUARY 2020 St Vincent de Paul meetings will be held at the Conference Room in the St Vinnies Centre. Please be advised that Vinnies meetings will now be held on alternate Wednesdays at 10-30am. The date for the next meeting is Wednesday, : 19th February.

# PRESENTATION ASSOCIATES MEETING

The "Ravages of Time" have finally caught up with our group. Our group has been providing Morning Tea after mass on the second Sunday of each month for twenty-one (21) years. A number of reasons have brought about this decision e.g. age of our members and a reduction of our numbers. It has been an honour for us to have served our fellow parishioners and visitors over such a long period.

#### CHRISTMAS LUNCH DEBRIEF MEETING

We will be having a Christmas Lunch Debrief Meeting on Monday, 10th February at 5-30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome to come along.

If you can't make it, that's ok, but please still let Darrin Bear know if you have any suggestions for improvement. Thanks.

# ..... FOOD BANK

## (Roster for February 2020 - GROUP 1)

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

#### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

Please be advised that our next Parish Pastoral Council Meeting will be held on Thursday, 20th February at 5.30pm in the Parish Centre.

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#### COMBINED COUNCIL MEETING FOR THE YOUNG MISSION

We are going to have a Combined Council Meeting for the Young Mission on Saturday, 22nd February at 10-00am in the Parish Centre. This shall be followed by a light lunch.

#### **CHRISTIAN MEDITATION**

Christian Meditation will be held every Wednesday at 5-30pm in the Chapel. Everyone welcome.

Please be informed that there is a HEARING AID LOOP SYSTEM installed in this church for all Hearing Aid

Wearers. Please use the "T" Switch on your Hearing Aid when you enter the church and you will hear everything quite clearly.

(The OPTIMUM sitting area is in the MAIN BODY of the church).

#### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

All volunteers working with our children (i.e. Acolyte/Senior Server/ Children's Liturgy or Catechists) must have a valid Working with Children Check (WWCC).

If your WWCC has expired, or you haven't had one, please address this as a priority.

If you do have a current WWCC, please ensure Cath at the Parish office has your WWCC numbers asap. Your date of birth will also be required.

(Just google Working with Children Check NSW).

**IN ADDITION** - All Parish volunteers, regardless of whether they work with children, are to read the Archdiocesan Child Protection Code of Conduct, then sign and return the acknowledgment form.

This should be done as soon as possible.

More information is available from the following link:

http://cgcatholic.org.au/professional-standards/child-protectioncode-of-conduct/

(Alternatively, if you don't have access to a computer, you can read the Code of Conduct form located on the back bench of the church and then sign the Acknowledgement form and return it to the office while you are near the church).