

**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. 18th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel  
NO 12.30 Mass at Boorowa  
Wed. 19th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel  
NO 10.00am Mass at Grenfell  
Thu. 20th Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel  
11.00am Mass at Boorowa  
Fri. 21st Feb: 8.00am Mass in Chapel  
9.30am Mass at SCC (YRV)  
Sat. 22nd Feb: 9.30 - 10.00am Reconciliation  
6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young  
6.00pm Vigil Mass at Boorowa  
Sun. 23rd 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: 5.30pm Wednesday

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

WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice.

### ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK 22/23 February 2020

**READERS:** **First** **Second**  
**6.00pm:** Brian Hislop Carmel Price  
**9.00am:** Jade Presser Sally McFadyen

**ACOLYTE/** **6.00pm:** Tony Fowler  
**SENIOR SERVER:** **9.00am:** Eris Gleeson

**ALTAR SERVERS:** **6pm:** Beth Payne, James Payne,  
Liam Payne

**9.00am:** Reagan Griffin, Millie Hyam

**PLANNED GIVING:** Bill Lang and Pauline Watson

**CHURCH CLEANERS:** Mig Smith and Team 8

**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:** Helen Ricketts

**ROSARY STATUE:** Miss Janice O'Reilly, 5 Sam Place

**NEXT:** Mrs Pauline Parkman, 2 Hills Street

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

**6.00pm:** Sue Rolls Mark Birks  
**9.00am:** Ursula Sewell Denise Dwyer

**NEXT WEEK'S READINGS:** Leviticus 19: 1-2,  
17-18; 1 Corinthians 3: 16-23; Matthew 5: 38-48



## St. Mary's Parish, Young

*We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people*  
**6th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 16 February 2020**

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### BUSHFIRE APPEAL THANK YOU

Fr George and Fr Namora at the church of the Immaculate Conception in Tumut would sincerely like to thank the Young Mission of St Mary's, St Joseph's in Grenfell and St Patrick's in Boorowa for the most generous donation following the Bushfire Appeal.

The congregation was most welcoming during our visit on the weekend. The funds are being prudently distributed. Two homes of parishioners in Batlow were entirely lost to the fires. At this stage, there have been 7 recipients of funds.

### PLENARY COUNCIL MEETING

All parishioners are invited to attend our next weekly session on Wednesday, 19th February at 5-30pm now in the Hennessy Hospitality Dining Room. Please come along.  
Third Session - Humble, Healing and Merciful.  
Owen Pippard.

### 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.

### 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 which will be provided by St Mary's Parish.

### OPENING SCHOOL MASSES IN CHURCH

Mon.24th Feb. at 12 noon - Hennessy Catholic College  
Tue.25th Feb. at 9-00am - St Mary's Primary School

### 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).

**1st Year Anniversaries of death for this week is:**  
**Dulcie Wells.**  
**Please keep this family in your prayers.**

### 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.

### CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

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



### 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.

### 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-protection-code-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).

PLEASE EMAIL ANY MESSAGES FOR THE BULLETIN TO THE PARISH OFFICE NO LATER THAN 1-30 PM WED.  
AS THIS IS THE CLOSE OFF TIME FOR ALL ENTRIES.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Phillip Braddon - Cowra (Brother of Allan), 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

The first meeting for 2020 for the Mercy Associates will be held on Monday, 17th February at 11-00am in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend.

### 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.

### 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.

### 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.

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).

### 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.

### BAPTISM

We welcome Stella Szanto, daughter of Christopher and Taiane into our parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



### 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.

