

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.28th July: 8.00am Mass in Chapel (4sqm)
12.30 Mass at Boorowa (4sqm)
Wed.29th July: 8.00am Mass in Chapel (4sqm)
NO 10.00am Mass at Grenfell
Thu.30th July: 8.00am Mass in Chapel (4sqm)
NO 11.00am Mass at Boorowa
Fri.31st July: 8.00am Mass in Chapel (4sqm)
NO 9.30am Mass at SCC (YRV)
Sat.1st Aug: 9.30-10.00am Reconciliation(Chapel)
6.00pm Vigil Mass Young Chur-4sqm
6.00pm Vigil Mass Boorowa (4sqm)
Sun.2nd Aug: 9.00am Mass at Young Chur (4sqm)
9.00am Mass at Grenfell (4sqm)

NB: A Funeral Mass usually repl.a weekd.mass (4sqm)

BAPTISMS: Sat/Sun. of month. (4sqm/person rule)
Ring Office first for all Baptism enquiries

SALVATION & LIFE PRAYER: 8.30am in Chapel Tue
CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: Wed (Suspended)
VOCATIONS PRAYER GROUP: 8.30am in Chapel Thu
ADORATION: 4.00pm to 5.00pm in the Chapel Fri.
(4sqm per person rule)
WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice
(4sqm per person rule)

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK 1 / 2 August 2020

READERS: **First** **Second**
6.00pm: Vicki Muller Andrew Casey
9.00am: Caroline Devlin Sharon Hibbert

ACOLYTE/ **6.00pm:** John McRae
SENIOR SERVER: **9.00am:** Owen Pippard

ALTAR SERVERS: **6.00pm:** James Payne, Liam Payne

9.00am: Grace Taylor, Eliza Taylor

PLANNED GIVING: Sue Rolls and Trish Saines

CHURCH CLEANERS: St Mary's School and Team 1

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: John Rolls (August 2020)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Mike Mercer (August 2020)

MAINTENANCE: S Woolford / A Reimer (August 2020)

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

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Trish Saines (August 2020)

LINEN ROSTER: Joan Napier

ROSARY STATUE: Suspended

NEXT: Suspended

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Mark Birks Glenn Payne

9.00am: Christine Smith Carmel Hardcastle

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Is 55: 1-3; Rom 8: 35, 37-39; Matthew 14: 13-21



St. Mary's Parish, Young

We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people
17th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 26 July 2020

Parish Pastor: Fr James Onoja / Associate Pastor: Fr Praveen Paul
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**CATHOLIC DIOCESAN PROTOCOLS (YOUNG MISSION)
RE: THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)**

(Latest protocols for NSW parishes, effective WED.1 JUL 2020)

Weekday Masses/Weekend Masses/Weddings/Funerals/
Baptisms/Private Prayer and Social Gatherings are all to be
celebrated respecting the new 4sqm per person rule
(excluding clergy and liturgical ministries).

Communion in the hand only.

Sacred Host, not the Precious Blood, to be offered.

No touching at the sign of peace.

No collection plates/bags are to be used, but money/envelopes
placed at collection points. (Before or after Mass)

MASS will be available on the Catholic Voice website online.
You can watch this anytime at a time that suits you best.
Please visit: www.catholicvoice.org.au

A PRAYER AT A TIME OF THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC
(Archbishop Christopher Prowse)

Heavenly Father,
We praise and thank you for your loving presence, especially in the
Lent/Easter season.
We offer heartfelt thanks, dear Lord, particularly for our recent rains.
Once again, we come to you in our need. As your children we are in need of your
healing and protection.
Just as we have been recovering from our dangerous bushfire summer, we have
now been thrown into a fearful coronavirus (COVID 19) autumn.
We are tired and frightened.
We feel a sense of panic and future uncertainty on a global scale.
Be with us now, Loving Master. Without you all is nothing – only empty hearts
and a total reliance on our own feeble resources.
But with you “there is mercy and fullness of Redemption” (Psalm 130/7).
With you there is “the loving mercy of the heart of our God (who) will give light
to those who sit in darkness, those who dwell in the shadow of death, and guide
our feet into the way of peace” (Luke 1/79).
It seems that so many public gatherings are now postponed or cancelled.
There is virus death, the sick, and the anxious. We are spending more time on
our own, or with family or friends.
We pray for the sick and those looking after them. Help us to offer
practical help to those who struggle.
Let us use these times, O Lord, for your greater glory, especially during Lent
and Easter. Let us pray more, and truly listen to you more in loving silence,
stillness and simplicity.
Almighty Father, you always journey with us in life's challenges.
Help us to meet you often in the scriptures and our sacraments.
Increase in us faith, hope and trust.
Protect us from this coronavirus. Remove it from our common home.
Heal those who are sick and dying.
Mary, Help of Christians, as always we fly to you in our need. Be close to us and
point out your Son, Jesus, to us in this pandemic. St Therese of Lisieux and her
parents, Saints Louis and Zelig Martin, pray for us.
We make this and all our prayers through Jesus, Our Lord and Saviour, who lives
and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever,
AMEN.

CHURCH OPEN DURING THE WEEK

Our church is now open during the week for private prayer.
Please write down your contact details and only sit where
allocated plus ensure that you sanitise everything that you use

MASS ATTENDANCE (4sqm per person rule)

The new 4sqm per person rule will take place in all churches from
1st July, 2020 (excluding clergy and liturgical ministry).
(VISIT THE CATHOLIC VOICE WEBSITE FOR THE LATEST INFO).

There is no need to book in for masses now, but you still need to
record your name and number in the register provided.

Everyone will need to use hand sanitiser when entering and exiting
the church (provided), plus wipe your pew down after use with the
wipes (provided).

Collection boxes will be located on the steps of the Altar, near the
Offertory table and near the Baptism Font.
(Please come forward after the Homily in orderly fashion).

Those who have restrictions from their Doctor are not to attend
mass, but you are invited to ring and leave your name and number
at the office (on 6382-2222) and either Fr James or Fr Praveen will
visit you at a time that suits you best.

Welcome to St Mary's Parish!

We hope you enjoy your time here.
As part of our commitment to maintain a safe and healthy
environment for visitors and attendees, it is a conditional on entry
that you provide your details on the St Mary's Parish Registration
form. In this way we are able to keep the doors of our sacred space
open and also contact users if a health risk is posed within our
community in relation to COVID-19.

On behalf of our Parish community, thank you for your support and
co-operation and many blessings upon you and your family.
Fr. James.

(Please use this prayer for Spiritual Communion)

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are
present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were
already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

NEW WEEKDAY MASS TIME

Fr James was thinking of changing the morning masses from 8-00am
to 9-00am during the week.
Please ring the office on 6382-2222 and give your opinion if you
would like this later time or preferably an earlier time. eg. 8-30am.
(The new agreed time will take effect from next week).

RECENTLY DECEASED: Keith Cootes, Walter Briggs,
Peter Powderly (Arncliffe), Barbara Anderson - Blayney (Mother of
Adele Bear), Sr Maureen Hummerston RSM, Bernie Bailes
(Husband of Yvonne), Kerry Payne (Mother of Glenn), Mila Zubac,
Jack Forbutt (Husband of Ann), Greg Grounds, David Howell, Una
Holmes (Sister of Phemie Fogarty)

1st Year Anniversary of death for this week are:
Mary Dixon and Una Newham.
Please keep these families in your prayers.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

Planned Giving Envelopes for the new financial year is
available to pick up at the back of the church.
We are recording your contributions to your old number
again (if you would like a yearly receipt total) so please collect
a box and contact the office to get your old number to write
on your new set of envelopes each week or contact the office
to request a new number if you don't have a number
from previous times.
(Alternatively, please continue to contribute by Direct Debit).
Thank you to all parishioners who continue
to support our parish.

ST MARY'S PLANNED GIVING

Please be advised that if you cannot do electronic banking
and want your normal 1st or 2nd Collection monies banked
instead of holding onto it, that you can drop it into the parish
office during office hours.
(Tuesday to Friday 9-30am to 1-30pm).

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION

Due to concerns about community transmission of Covid-19 and the
majority of people attending being in the vulnerable age group, the
National Co-Ordinator of Christian Meditation has advised that
Meditation Groups should be suspended until further notice.
I apologise for any disappointment this causes.
Kerry Ray (Group Co-Ordinator)

VOLUNTEERS FOR LINEN AND CLEANING ROSTER

As our numbers have dropped quite substantially, we desper-
ately need some new volunteers to join the Linen and Clean-
ing teams. If you are able to help out, could you please contact
Monique Griffin on (0428) 488-927 to add you on the Roster.

BANNERS

The green banners represent Ordinary Time.
In ordinary time, through the readings, we follow Jesus'
journey through His public life.
They also represent our own journey as we follow in His footsteps.
In Year A we read from the gospel of Luke symbolised
here by an angel.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN AUGUST 2020

St Vincent de Paul meetings will be held at the Conference
Room in the St Vinnies Centre. The dates for the next
Meetings are Wednesday, 5th & Wed.19th August at 10-00am.

UPDATING PARISH RECORDS

We are in the process of updating our Parish records and
would be very grateful if all parishioners over 18 years could
fill in a new Parish record card.

We realise that you may have already completed a card in
previous years, but your circumstances could have changed
and we possibly have old addresses, phone numbers and
emails.

There will be cards available at the back of the church or in
the parish office. When the card is completed, please drop it
in the collection box after mass or drop it into the parish
office at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

CHAPEL CENTENARY

The foundation stone for the Parish Chapel (formerly the
Presentation Sisters Chapel) was laid on 8 December 1920.
The Parish Pastoral Council felt that the occasion of the
Centenary should be celebrated considering the Presentation
Sisters taught in our schools for 103 years.
If anyone would like to be part of a group to organise a
celebration please contact Vicki Muller on:
gregmuller@westnet.com.au or Phil Mitchell on:
phillip.mitchell@cg.catholic.edu.au
(Parish Social Activities Team)