

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. 8th Dec: 12.30 Mass at Boorowa (4sqm)
 Tue. 8th Dec: 12.30 Mass -Young Church (Fr Tony)
 NO 5.45pm Mass in Church (4sqm)
 Wed. 9th Dec: 8.00am Mass in Church (4sqm)
 10.00am Mass at Grenfell (4sqm)
 Thu. 10th Dec: 8.00am Mass in Church (4sqm)
 Fri. 11th Dec: 8.00am Mass in Church (4sqm)
 5.00pm Adoration in Chapel (4sqm)
 Sat. 12th Dec: 9.30-10.00am Reconciliation (Chur)
 6.00pm Vigil Mass Young Chur-4sqm
 6.00pm Vigil Mass Boorowa (4sqm)
 Sun. 13th Dec: 9.00am Mass at Young Chur (4sqm)
 9.00am Mass at Grenfell (4sqm)

NB: A Funeral Mass usually repl.a weekd.mass (4sqm)
 (up to 100 people)

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

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: Wed (Suspended)

VOCATIONS PRAYER GROUP: 8.30am in Chapel Thu
ADORATION: 5.00pm to 6.00pm in the Chapel Fri.
 (4sqm per person rule)

WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice
 (4sqm per person rule) - up to 150

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: 12 / 13 December 2020

READERS: **First** **Second**
6.00pm: Mark Birks Ethan Birks
9.00am: Rob Cullen Tracey Cullen

ACOLYTE/ **6.00pm:** Trish Saines
SENIOR SERVER: **9.00am:** Owen Pippard

ALTAR SERVERS: 6.00pm: Letitia Tyrrell
 Riley Noakes

9.00am: Volunteer needed

PLANNED GIVING: Paddy Sewell and Brian Hislop

CHURCH CLEANERS: Pat Nowlan and Team 3

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Barb & Brian Hislop (Dec 2020)
LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Damian Minehan, John White,
 Graham Adams (Dec 2020)

MAINTENANCE: Darrin Bear and A Maguire (Dec 2020)
 Contact for Maintenance: Don Smith - (0427) 410-422

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Joy & Bill Cameron (Dec 2020)

LINEN ROSTER: Emma Taylor

ROSARY STATUE: Suspended

NEXT: Suspended

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Michelle Maloney Robyn Major
9.00am: Denise Dwyer Ursula Sewell

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Is 61: 1-2, 10-11;
 1 Thess 5: 16-24; Jn 1: 6-8, 19-28



St. Mary's Parish, Young

We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people
2nd Sunday of Advent – 6 December 2020

Parish Administrator: Fr Jiss Sunny / Assistant Priest: Fr Joseph (Joe) Neonbasu
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CATHOLIC DIOCESAN PROTOCOLS-YOUNG MISSION RE: THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

(Latest protocols for NSW parishes, effective FRI. 23 OCT 20)

Weekday Masses/Weekend Masses/Weddings/Funerals/
 Baptisms/Private Prayer and Social Gatherings are all to be
 celebrated respecting the 4sqm per person rule **(300 people
 maximum for Masses only), inside or outside** excluding clergy
 and liturgical ministries.

You need to **record your name and number in the register**
 provided. This way we will have a contact if a health risk is
 posed within our community in relation to COVID-19.

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) after the Priest exits.

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)

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 Young office (on 6382-2222) and either Fr Jiss
 or Fr Joe will visit you at a time that suits you best.

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

(FEEL FREE TO VISIT THE CATHOLIC VOICE WEBSITE FOR
 THE LATEST UPDATES)

SECOND RITE OF RECONCILIATION

Will be held before Christmas on the following dates:

Thursday, 17th Dec. at 6-00pm - Boorowa
 Friday, 18th Dec. at 6-00pm - Young

Sunday, 20th Dec. at 10-00am - Grenfell (normal Recon)

THANK YOU BBQ



Fr Jiss and Fr Joe would like to say a huge thank
 you to all the generous volunteers who have helped
 in our Parish in any way during the year.
 A "Thank You" BBQ will be held at the Parish Centre lawns
 after Mass on Saturday, 12th December. (Next weekend).

Food and drinks provided.

SIGNING IN BEFORE MASS

Just a reminder, even if you are part of the Eucharistic
 Team i.e. Acolyte, Reader, Altar Server, Eucharistic
 Minister, you must sign in when you enter the church so
 that it can be used for contact tracing if needed. **NOTE:**
 Families only need to sign in as 1 family. eg SMITH x 2

Just a little note

When you enter the church for Mass and pickup a wipe,
 a little trick to keep your wipe moist is, if you fold it into
 a small square for the duration of the mass, it should
 still be damp enough to wipe down your pew after mass.

BLESSING & UNVEILING OF PRESENTATION CHAPEL FOUNDATION STONE AND COMMEMORATIVE MASS

We are in the process of restoring the Presentation Chapel
 Foundation Stone which
 was originally laid on 8th December 1920.
 This will be completed in time for a special Mass
 where the main Celebrant will be Fr Tony Percy
 (Vicar General).

The Centenary Mass (incorporating the Feast of
 The Immaculate Conception of The Blessed Virgin Mary)
 will be celebrated on Tuesday, 8th December at 12.30pm at
 St Mary's Church followed by Fr Tony blessing and unveiling
 the restored Foundation Stone.

All most welcome.

**(IF ANY PARISHIONERS HAVE ANY OLD PHOTOS OF THE
 CHAPEL FROM 1920 ONWARDS, COULD YOU PLEASE
 DROP THEM INTO THE PARISH OFFICE BEFORE
 DECEMBER, 8TH FOR US TO COPY. THANKS)**

WANT SINGING AGAIN DURING MASS?

We thought it might be a good idea if parishioners would like
 to ring, email or write to Steph Cooke about allowing NSW to
 sing in Church again. If enough people ask, we might have
 better luck of it changing back, like the ACT rules.
 Steph Cooke's Young office telephone number is: 6382-2399.
 The email address is: cootamundra@parliament.nsw.gov.au
 The mailing address is: P.O. Box 50, Young

GOD'S WORD 2021 DAILY REFLECTIONS BOOK

God's Word 2021 Daily Reflections Books have arrived.
 Please pay and pickup your book at the Parish Office.
 Thank you for your orders.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Anthony O'Connor (Tony -
 previously Murringo), Greg Worthington CBR (Brother of
 Chris), Kenneth (Reg) Hayes, Joan Black (Sister of Maureen
 Wells), Raymond Hoerler, Robert (Bob) Perkins, Marie
 Webb (Mother of Maurice and Michael), Stanley Drage,
 Tony Patterson (Brother of Fr Bernie Patterson), Maria
 Pullin (Sister of Bishop Pat Power), Terrence (Splinter)
 Mulquiney, Brett Cowan, Brian Slattery

VINNIES CHRISTMAS APPEAL

St Vincent de Paul will be holding their Vinnies Christmas
 Appeal this weekend, 5th & 6th December.
 All donations greatly appreciated.

VISIT FROM VINNIES

If there is anyone who would like Vinnies to visit (or know
 someone else who could do with a visit), please contact SVDP.

GARAGE SALE

Fr Allen is holding a Garage Sale at 3 Dundas Street on the dates
 below. There is some great Christmas present ideas at cost price.
 (Original artwork and photographs etc).
 Sat. 12th & Sun. 13th December (9-00am to 4-00pm)
 Thur. 17th & Fri. 18th December (10-00am to 4-00pm)
 Sat. 19th & Sun. 20th December (9-00am to 4-00pm)
 Please ring Fr Allen on 6382-2263 if you have any enquiries.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN DECEMBER 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, 9th & 23rd December at 10-00am.

COLUMBAN CALENDARS



We are taking orders for anyone who is interested
 in purchasing a 2021 Columban Calendar.
 The price will be \$10-00 each which includes post-
 age and handling. Please write your name and number
 on the sheet located at the back of the church if you
 would like to obtain one of these beautiful calendars.

CHRISTMAS VIGIL MASS

A planning meeting to discuss the Christmas Vigil Mass will
 be held at 5-30pm on Tuesday, 8th December in the Parish
 Centre. All welcome. Please bring your ideas.

CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH

With great sadness the Christmas Lunch group has decided that this
 year's Christmas Day Lunch will not take place.
 Despite the decreasing risks associated with Covid, and the easing of
 restrictions for certain sections of the economy, the Government
 rules and requirements regarding Covid are simply too difficult for
 a small group of volunteers to comply with. It would also mean
 many of our guests would miss out anyway.

Your generosity since 2011 will not go amiss however. The group has
 decided, instead, to share some of the monetary donations we have
 received in the past with the Food Hall. We hope and pray this small
 gesture will make Christmas more enjoyable for those who are alone
 or lonely at this time of year.

Thank you for your care and assistance.

ST MARY'S PARISH CHRISTMAS EVE MASS

Please be advised that there will be a Christmas Eve Mass held
 outside at 6-00pm this year. To make it a wonderful
 experience for all, we need your help. If your children would like to
 participate, we would love to have them. We will need Angels,
 Shepherds, Kings, Mary, Joseph and Readers.
 If any parents can assist with the Mass setting up, packing away or
 helping in any way, please put your name down.
 There will be sheets located at the back of the church.
 (Don't forget to bring your own chair).
 If you have any enquiries, please contact Vicki Muller on
 6382-2361 or email: gregmuller@westnet.com.au

YOUNG MISSION CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES

Christmas Eve Vigil - 6-00pm Young (outside)
 Boorowa and Grenfell
 9-00pm Young

Christmas Day - 9-00am Young and Grenfell



NOVEMBER MASSES