

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 Feb: 9.00am Opening School Mass HCC
NO 5.45pm Mass in the CHURCH
Wed. 1st Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
Thu. 2nd Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
Fri. 3rd Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
6.00pm Stations of the Cross-Chap.
Sat. 4th Mar: NO 5.00pm-5.30pm Reconcil. Young
6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young
Sun. 5th Mar: 8.00am Communion Service-Grenfell
10.00am Mass at Young
5.00pm Mass at Boorowa

NB: A Funeral Mass usually replaces a weekday mass

BAPTISMS: Saturday/Sunday of month.
Ring Office first for all Baptism enquiries.

ADORATION: Before all weekday Masses

WEDDINGS: By appointment at least 6 mths notice



St. Mary's Parish, Young

We sincerely acknowledge the traditional owners of this land, the Wiradjuri people

1st Sunday of Lent - 26 February 2023

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HCC COLLEGE OPENING SCHOOL MASS

Please be advised that there will be no evening mass on Tuesday, 28th February as you are all invited to Hennessy College Opening School Mass at 9.00am instead.

TRIUMPH LENTEN PROGRAM 2023

St Mary's Parish is inviting you to the "Triumph" Lenten Group Program that will be held in the Parish Centre every Thursday during Lent, commencing Thursday, 2nd March from 7.00pm - 8.00pm. All welcome.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Please be advised that Stations of the Cross will be held every Friday in the Chapel at 6-00pm, commencing Friday, 3rd March. All welcome.

NEXT ANOINTING MASS

The next Anointing Mass will be held on Friday, 10th March commencing at 1.30pm in the Young Church.

It has been decided that Anointing Masses will occur in Young on the 2nd Friday of each month. (Please note there will not be 8.00am Mass this day)

It is only through our prayers and masses that can help our beloved ones.

Please save the date and let anyone you know who would like to attend and bring them along.

Please join our new programme of "Walking Together" and have a cuppa together after the Anointing Mass in the Parish Centre. All welcome.

PARISH OFFICE NOTICE

The weekly parish bulletin will be available in the church plus on the website each week. Please feel free to go to: cg.org.au/young and download view.

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.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Just letting everyone know that we have a new Facebook page for Catholic Mission of Young (includes Young, Grenfell and Boorowa Parishes).

If you have any notices that you would like included, please email Megan at: boorowa@cg.org.au (with at least one week's notice) and she will enter it for you.

PALM CROSS MAKING

Palm Cross Making will be held on a Wednesday from 10.00am to 12.00pm in the Parish Centre.



Please come along if you are interested in helping out to cut the branches or make the crosses.

(If any men are available, could you please meet at the Presbytery on Saturday mornings at 10.00am and Fr Jiss will show you how to strip the palms). Tim Tams will be served as your payment! Ha ha!

It is a great social atmosphere catching up with everyone and having a cuppa at the same time.

(The Year of Walking Together)

Keep up the good work!

Prayers are requested for Sr Phil Sewell, Carmel Price, Sr Gai Cass & Steve (Chuck) Norris who are unwell at the moment.

RECENTLY DECEASED: John Rolls, Ashleigh Edwards Wheeler, Brian Wall, Greg Fogg (Husband of Mary), John Anderson (Brother of Margaret Rose), Cardinal George Pell, David Holmes, Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, Noel McKenna (Father of Sally McFadyen), Betty Taylor, John Quirk (Father of Louise Grant), Sr Macrina, Michael Boland, Tony Kelly, Harry Rowe, Rita Pearsall, Helen Prest, Ben Silk (Husband of Amy), Kath Carroll, Ernesto de Guzman - Philippines (Brother of Josie Johnson), Vincent Hurley, Irene Ricketts (Wife of Jim), Trevor Green (Husband of Laurelle), Brian Maroney, Jeanette Murrell (formerly of Young), Doug Palmer (Husband of Denise), Ron Snedden, Pam Powderly, Sr Roberta Robertson RSM

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Parish is planning to start Children's Liturgy again during Saturday night Mass.

If anyone is interested in helping out in this great ministry during the faith formation of our younger generation, please ring or email the Parish office with your details.

We're sure that your energy and name would imprint in the hearts of all these upcoming children.

RECONCILIATION

Please be advised that Reconciliation will be held on the 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month at 5.00pm.

The next date will be Saturday, 11th March.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN MARCH

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, 8th March and 22nd March at 10-00am.



What to Give Up:

A Lenten Reflection

- Give up complaining—focus on gratitude.
- Give up pessimism—become an optimist.
- Give up harsh judgments—think kindly thoughts.
- Give up worry—trust Divine Providence.
- Give up discouragement—be full of hope.
- Give up bitterness—turn to forgiveness.
- Give up hatred—return good for evil.
- Give up negativism—be positive.
- Give up anger—be more patient.
- Give up pettiness—become mature.
- Give up gloom—enjoy the beauty that is all around you.
- Give up jealousy—pray for trust.
- Give up gossiping—control your tongue.
- Give up sin—turn to virtue.
- Give up giving up—hang in there!

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: 4 / 5 Mar. 2023

READERS: First Sr Rita Savage Brian Hislop
6.00pm: Helen Fowler Warren Ziebowski
10.00am:

ACOLYTE/ SENIOR SERVER: 6.00pm: Owen Pippard
10.00am: Di McGregor

ALTAR SERVERS: 6.00pm: Liam Payne, Jack Willis

10.00am: Sofie Minehan, Bonnie Cronin

PLANNED GIVING: Pat Sewell & Brian Hislop

CHURCH CLEANERS: Pat Nowlan and Team 3

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Barb & Ross King (Mar 2023)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Mike Mercer & Darren O'Brien (March 2023)

MAINTENANCE: Bill Lang / Laurie Rooney (Mar 2023)

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

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Barb/Brian Hislop (March 2023)

LINEN ROSTER: Joan Napier

ROSARY STATUE: Pat Gurney, 17 Elizabeth Street

NEXT: Bill & Mary Kearney, 111 William Street

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Glenn Payne Trish Cant
10.00am: Carmel Hardcaste Tone Boldrini

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Gen 12: 1-4;
2 Tim 1: 8-10; Mt 17: 1-9;