

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. 7th Mar: 5.45pm Mass in the CHURCH
 Wed. 8th Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
 Thu. 9th Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
 Fri. 10th Mar: 8.00am Mass in the CHURCH
 6.00pm Stations of the Cross-Chap.
 Sat. 11th Mar: 5.00pm-5.30pm Reconcil. Young
 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young
 Sun. 12th Mar: 8.00am Mass at 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

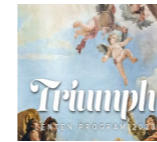
2nd Sunday of Lent - 5 March 2023

Parish Priest: Fr Jiss Sunny
 Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday (9.30 am - 1.30 pm)
 Phone: (02) 6382 2222 Fax: (02) 6382 2667
 Office Address: Campbell St. YOUNG NSW 2594 (P.O.BOX 6)
Email: young@cg.org.au **Web site:** www.cg.org.au/young



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 from 7.00pm - 8.00pm.



All welcome.

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.

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.

BAPTISMS



I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

We welcome Kiva Ellis, daughter of Aaron and Casey into the Parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

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 Wednesday, 22nd March at 10-00am.

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

RECENTLY DECEASED: Pauline (Peggy) Lang, Gordon (Sid) McGlynn - Husband of Shirley, 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

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.

ROSARY STATUE

Please contact the Parish office if you or anyone you know may be interested in having the Rosary Statue at their place for one week at a time.

It is only from Monday to Friday and you can host at any time of the day.

1st Year Anniversary of death for this week are: Scott Curtis and Sr Monica Purcell. Please keep these families in your prayers.

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: 11/ 12 Mar. 2023

READERS: **6.00pm:** First Tara O'Brien Second Mary Wright
10.00am: St Mary's Primary St Mary's Primary

ACOLYTE/ SENIOR SERVER: **6.00pm:** Trish Saines
10.00am: Owen Pippard

ALTAR SERVERS: **6.00pm:** Joshua & Micah Reeves

10.00am: Ayon & Diyon Peiris

PLANNED GIVING: Trish Saines

CHURCH CLEANERS: Trish Hill and Team 4

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: Trish Saines

ROSARY STATUE: Bill & Mary Kearney, 111 William St.

NEXT: Helen Mulcahy, Unit 12, Catherine View Gardens

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Lois Terry Jenny Hardy
10.00am: Ursula Sewell Dianne McGregor

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Ex 17: 3-7;
 Rom 5: 1-2, 5-8; Jn 4: 5-42:

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.

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.

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.

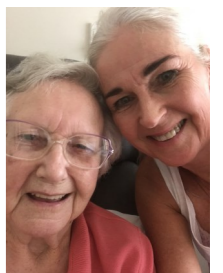
(The Year of Walking Together)

Keep up the good work!

SR PHIL

Rachel had a lovely catchup with Sr Phil in Wagga recently. Doesn't she look good!

So does Rachel! Ha ha! What a great photo!



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!