

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 Jul: 5.45pm Mass in the CHAPEL
 Wed. 19th Jul: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Thu. 20th Jul: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Fri. 21st Jul: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Sat. 22nd Jul: 5pm-5.30pm Reconciliation at Young
 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young
 Sun. 23rd Jul: 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

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: 22 / 23 July 2023

READERS: **First** **Second**
6.00pm: Mary Wright Oscar Wright
10.00am: Warren Ziebowski Maria Henriquez

ACOLYTE/ SENIOR SERVER: **6.00pm:** Trish Saines
10.00am: Paul Parker

ALTAR SERVERS: **6.00pm:** Sebastian Silk, Jack Willis, Monica Taylor
10.00am: George Presser, Sam Presser

PLANNED GIVING: Pat Sewell and Brian Hislop

CHURCH CLEANERS: St Mary's Primary and Team 1

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Barb & Brian Hislop (July 2023)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Bear Family (July 2023)

MAINTENANCE: Mick Dwyer / Darrin Bear (July 2023)

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

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Trish Saines (July 2023)

LINEN ROSTER: Joan Napier

ROSARY STATUE: Bob & Heather Martin, 47 Fontenoy St.

NEXT: Mrs Pauline Parkman, 2 Hills Street

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Josie Johnson Glenn Payne
10.00am: Ursula Sewell Tone Boldrini

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS - (16th Sun.inOrd.Ti):

Wis 12: 13, 16-19; Rom 8: 26-27; Mt 13: 24-30:



St. Mary's Parish, Young

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

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 16 July 2023

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A PRAYER FOR OUR CATECHISTS

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.

Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word. Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.

Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them the wisdom to know what to teach; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son.

We pray this through Christ, our Lord.

Amen.



SCAM TEXT MESSAGES

We have received an email from Canberra to advise that several parishioners have received scam text messages that say – "Hello, this is Fr (correct name of priest), I'm in a meeting right now, can't talk on phone but text me back when you get this message. I need you to assist me quickly. Blessings".

The messages all appear to be coming from an overseas number. Unfortunately, some parishioners have replied to the text and then been inundated with requests for Amazon gift cards for "cancer patients". Please know that this is a **SCAM** and to **NOT REPLY**.

MONSTER MEAT RAFFLE

St Mary's Parish will be holding another Monster Meat Raffle to raise some money to assist with some major Church expenses.

We have received a generous donation of two dressed pigs (donated by Rachael and Tom Jubb) and we will have 10 prizes of similar value for some lucky winners.

Books of tickets (10 tickets in a book) will be available from the back of the church after Mass.

Tickets sell for \$5.00 each. The winner will be drawn during Mass on Saturday, 19th August.

Funds raised will see replacement of some Church gutters and the beginning of some new comfortable Pew cushions for the parishioners to sit on in the Church.

Your valued support would be welcomed.



MERCY ASSOCIATES MEETING

The next Mercy Associates meeting is on Monday, 17th July at 11.00am in the Parish Centre. Please contact Joy on (0498) 147-231 if unable to attend.

BAPTISM



We welcome Ryu Carmody, son of Matthew and Toshiko into the Parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.

1st Year Anniversary of death for this week is: Denise Dwyer. Please keep this family in your prayers.

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

RECENTLY DECEASED: Brian Tierney, Michele Richens, Moya Patterson, Bernadette Curtis, Wynne McKenna, Brad Cross (Husband of Fay), Len Goode (Husband of Pat), Frances Fisher - Lane Cove (Sister of John and Tony Fowler), Roselen Vaughan, Michael Shepherd (Eden), Sr Gai Cass, Doreen McGovern (Mother of Jenny Hardy), Jim Tubb - formerly of Young (Husband of Pat), Barbara McNamara, Regina Cootes (Belmont), Gerry Bailey, John Ferris - QLD (Brother of Mary Wark)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING IN JULY 2023

St Vincent de Paul meetings will be held at the Conference Room in the St Vinnies Centre. The date for the next meeting is Wednesday, 26th July at 10-00am.



DO YOU KNOW...
 the meaning of the Saint Vincent de Paul Logo?



The hand of Christ blesses the cup



The hand of love offers the cup



The hand of suffering receives the cup

DO YOU KNOW....
 The St Vinnies Conference is a group of dedicated volunteers, who are responsible for helping locals in need of a hand up. These volunteers (separate to the volunteers who work in the shop) are in need of more helpers.

5 August
ST MARY'S PARISH
 Youth Group
 Contact the Parish Office or Mary Wright
 mary.wright@cg.catholic.edu.au for catering by
 the 3rd of August

JOKE CORNER

MAN: What is a million years like to you?

GOD: Like one second.

MAN: What is a million dollars like to you?

GOD: Like one penny.

MAN: Can I please have a penny?

GOD: Just a second.

