

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. 29th Aug: 5.45pm Mass in the CHAPEL
 Wed. 30th Aug: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Thu. 31st Aug: 8.00am Mass in CHURCH w/-HCC
 8.30am Father's Day Breakfast
 Fri. 1st Sep: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Sat. 2nd Sep: NO 5.00pm-5.30pm Reconcil. -Young
 6.00pm Vigil Mass at Young
 Sun. 3rd Sep: 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

ROSTERS FOR NEXT WEEK: 2 / 3 September 2023

READERS: **First** Tara O'Brien
6.00pm: Tracey Cullen
10.00am: **Second** Brian Hislop
 Rob Cullen

ACOLYTE/ SENIOR SERVER: **6.00pm:** John McRae
10.00am: Di McGregor

ALTAR SERVERS: **6.00pm:** Sarah Webber, Sebastian Silk, Freya Silk
10.00am: Ayon Peiris, Diyon Peiris, Archie O'Brien, Henry O'Brien

PLANNED GIVING: Bill Lang and Pauline Watson

CHURCH CLEANERS: St Mary's Primary and Team 1

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Bill Kearney (Sep 2023)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: M Edgerton/P Moran (Sep2023)

MAINTENANCE: Michael Keir / Silvio Livolsi (Sep 2023)

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

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Trish Saines (Sep 2023)

LINEN ROSTER: Trish Saines

ROSARY STATUE: Helen Mulcahy, Unit 12, Cath. View Gar

NEXT: Mr & Mrs Don Smith, 36 Toompang Street

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Lois Terry Jenny Hardy
10.00am: Carmel Hardcastle Jade Presser

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS - (22nd Sun. in Ord.Ti)

Jer 20: 7-9; Rom 12: 1-2; Mt 16: 21-27:



St. Mary's Parish, Young

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

21st Sunday in Ordinary Time - 27 August 2023

Parish Priest: Fr Jiss Sunny
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Parish Safeguarding Commitment: St Mary's Parish is committed to safeguarding and upholding the dignity and rights of all of our children and vulnerable people. If any parishioner has any concerns about the above, please email Fr Jiss or the Parish Office.



PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS (27th August 2023)

Lord of the Harvest, help men and women to hear the call and to serve in the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn.

Our needs are great and our people thirst for your presence.

Open the hearts of many, raise up faithful servants of the Gospel, dedicated, holy priests, sisters, brothers and deacons, who will spend themselves for your people and their needs.

Bless those who are serving now with courage and perseverance. Grant that many will be inspired by their example and faith.

We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Help of Christians *Pray for us*

St Joseph *Pray for us*

St John Vianney *Pray for us*

St Mary of the Cross *Pray for us*

God has a plan for your life.
 Contact the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn's
 Vocations Office: vocations@cg.org.au
 www.cgatholic.org.au/vocations/

OFFICE CLOSED WEDNESDAY, 30/8/23

The Parish Office will be closed on Wednesday, 30th August due to the Priests and Secretaries attending a Deanery Meeting in Temora all day. (Open again on Thursday and Friday).

MONSTER MEAT RAFFLE WINNERS

The Meat Raffle was drawn last weekend with 10 lucky winners receiving pork packs.

They are: Jo Maloney, Martin Sullivan, Pat Hambilton, Kerry Ray, Ken Langton, Lester Sheather, Judy Mercer, Chris Twyford, Fr Jiss and Yvonne Bailes.

A huge thank you to everyone for your valued support to help raise \$6,630-00 less butcher costs and raffle tickets - \$1218.22. Balance = \$5,411.78. What a great effort! We will now be able to fix the Church gutters that have been leaking for so long.



CHURCH NOTICE

Please be advised that the Church won't be available on Friday, 1st September as there will be some workers fixing some of the lights inside the Church. Sorry for any inconvenience.

HENNESSY CATHOLIC COLLEGE
 INVITES ALL
 Fathers, Grandfathers, Carers, Uncles, and Special Men in our community to the



MASS AND BREAKFAST

THURSDAY 31st OF AUGUST
 8AM MASS AT ST MARY'S PARISH
 FOLLOWED BY BBQ BREAKFAST ON THE PARISH LAWN
 Please RSVP for catering purposes by the 28th of August via Google Form on Compass or by contacting the Front Office

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

RECENTLY DECEASED: Glenn Anderson, Pam Martens (Grenfell), Fay Gruber, Keith Hardy, Maureen O'Leary, Mary Frost, Jan Foreman, Judith Jackson, Ted Oakley, Brian Tierney, Michele Richens, Moya Patterson, Bernadette Curtis, Wynne McKenna, Brad Cross (Husband of Fay), Len Goode (Husband of Pat)



THE NATIVITY OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY AND ANOINTING MASS (FRIDAY, 8TH SEPTEMBER)



On Friday, 8th September, the Church celebrates the feast of the birth of the Mother of God, Mary, who is also the Patroness of our Parish at St Mary's.

It has been a long standing tradition to honour Our Lady in our Church with the recitation of a number of Rosaries on her Birthday. Because both Our Lady's Birthday and the Anointing Mass fall on the same day, it has been decided to commence from 12.15pm to 1.15pm for Our Lady's Birthday with a Continuous Rosary in front of Our Lady's statue in St Mary's Church, followed by the monthly Anointing Mass at 1.30pm together with a cuppa at the Parish Centre afterwards. Since it is Mary's Birthday, you have the privilege and freedom to light a candle for free and pray for your family. All welcome.

(Please be advised that there will be **NO Mass at 8.00am** on this day).

FETE MEETING

Our yearly Parish Fete will be held on the Parish lawns on Saturday, 28th October from 10-00am to 4-00pm this year.

We would like to invite everyone who is interested in helping out at the Fete to a meeting on Thursday, 31st August at 5-15pm in the Parish Centre to workshop any ideas.

BAPTISM

We welcome Fraser Hamilton, son of Thomas and Alexandra into the Parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



CHURCH TAP MACHINE

The Tap Machine is not working in the Church at the moment as our old machine is deceased. We need to order a new one. Please feel free to place your donations in the collection bag during Mass or drop it down to the office. Thanks for your understanding.

CONFIRMATION / RECEPTION FOR VICAR GENERAL, FR RICHARD THOMPSON (9th September at 6.00pm Mass)

Please keep the Candidates and their families in your prayers over the next 2 weeks as they make their final preparations to be confirmed in the Catholic faith.

You are warmly invited to attend a reception following the Mass in the Parish Centre. If you would like to contribute food (finger food) or a donation (\$), please place your name on the sheets at the entrances to the Church.

The Vicar General, Fr Richard will be the celebrant.

The Sacramental Team 2023

