

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/MEETINGS

Tue. 30th Jul: 5.45pm Mass in the CHAPEL
 Wed. 31st Jul: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Thu. 1st Aug: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Fri. 2nd Aug: 8.00am Mass in the CHAPEL
 Sat. 3rd Aug: 5.00pm-5.30pm Reconcil. at Young
 6.00pm Mass at Young
 Sun. 4th Aug: 8.00am Communion Serv - 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: 3 / 4 August 2024

READERS: First Second

6.00pm: Tara O'Brien Oscar Wright
10.00am: Jade Presser Alex Presser

ACOLYTE/ SENIOR SERVER: 6.00pm: Tony Fowler
 10.00am: Tony Fowler

ALTAR SERVERS:
6.00pm: Eliza Taylor, Monica Taylor, Annabelle Carson
10.00am: George, Sam & Alex Presser, Toby Price

MUSIC: 6.00pm: Peita Payne
 10.00am: Alphonse

PLANNED GIVING: Bill Lang & Pauline Watson

CHURCH CLEANERS: Mig Smith & Team 6

CHURCH OPEN/CLOSE: Bill Kearney (August 2024)

LAWN/GARDEN ROSTER: Mike Mercer (August 2024)

MAINTENANCE: Radish Patterson & M Mercer (Aug 2024)
 Contact for Maintenance: Don Smith - (0427) 410-422

GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT: Barb & Brian Hislop (Aug 24)

LINEN ROSTER: Emma Taylor

ROSARY STATUE: Di McGregor, 6 Samuel Court
NEXT: Mrs Pauline Parkman, 2 Hills Street

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

6.00pm: Robyn Major Trish Cant
10.00am: Tone Boldrini Volunteer needed

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS-(18th Sunday in OrdTi)

Ex 16: 2-4, 12-15; Eph 4: 17, 20-24; Jn 6: 24-35



St. Mary's Parish, Young

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

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 28 July 2024

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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.

YEAR OF THE HOLY SPIRIT (August 2023 - August 2024)

CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to all the children who received the Sacrament of Confirmation this weekend.

We welcome Archbishop Christopher Prowse and all our visitors to St Mary's Parish and thank them for their participation in this special celebration.



FAKE EMAILS NOTICE
 There are a range of spam emails circulating again. These emails have addresses which look similar to clergy, parish or religious addresses and request money, gift cards or similar and often mention someone who is very sick or dying. Please DO NOT respond to any emails, texts, WhatsApp etc of this kind.

A PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE RENOVATION OF ST MARY'S CHURCH

“The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.”
 Psalm 118:22
 Heavenly Father,
 We thank You for the blessings poured on St Mary's Parish, Young.
 Thank you for uniting our faith community in love. Send Your Holy Spirit to guide us in beautifying and renovating our Church. May our hearts be open to Your Divine Will, so we can respond in charity to create a holy place of worship. Bless all involved in this work, that it may glorify Your Name.



We ask this through Jesus, in unity with the Holy Spirit, forever and ever. Amen.

(3 x Hail Mary)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL MEETINGS IN AUGUST

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, 7th and Wednesday, 21st August at 10-00am.

BAPTISMS

We welcome Ida Wright, daughter of Daniel and Chelsea into the parish community through the Sacrament of Baptism this weekend.



What would Jesus do? "I heard about a little boy who got into a heated argument with his sister about who was going to get the last brownie. Their mother overheard this discussion and came in to try to resolve the fuss. Her two children, both extremely upset, each wanted that last brownie. So sensing the opportunity to teach a deeper spiritual truth, the mother looked at her children and asked that very relevant question... "What would Jesus do?" Well, that little boy immediately answered, "That's easy. Jesus would just break that brownie and make 5,000 more!"

RECONCILIATION (PLEASE NOTE NEW DATES)

Please be advised that Reconciliation will NOW be held on the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month at 5.00pm.

FREE TO A GOOD HOME

The old Gem Church organ is looking for a new home. If you are interested in collecting this time-honoured special musical instrument, please either ring the Parish Office on (02) 6382-2222 or email: young@cg.org.au to register your interest.



Prayers are requested for Pauline Smith, Steve Watkin, Sandra Rolfe, Vinh Dang (Deacon Mark's Mum), Maria (Pixie) Martens, Pat Richens, John Commins, Pat Maloney and Sr Phil who are unwell at the moment.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Fr Peter Gannon, Peter McGlynn, Tim Tierney, John Hamblin (Husband of Janet), Sr Marie Stanley s.c, Michael Hart - June (Brother of Sr Margaret), Justina Holland (Wife of Grant), Ron Lynch - Rugby League Great (formerly of Young), Margaret Smyth (formerly Watkin and Maroney), Emma Gibson (Daughter of Trish & Tony Bolger), Gemma Lowe

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD OF DEACON MARK HA

Parishioners are cordially invited to celebrate with Deacon Mark Ha for his Ordination to the Priesthood.

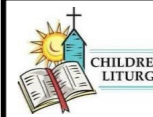


This will be held on Thursday, 17th October commencing at 5.00pm at St. Christopher's Cathedral in Canberra.

We are organising a bus trip to Canberra and back for this special occasion. To assist us in making the necessary arrangements and to determine the cost per person, we kindly ask those interested to provide their name and contact number on the sheet available at the back of the church.

Your presence and support would be greatly appreciated.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY



Children's Liturgy will be held at St Mary's Parish during the 10.00am Mass each Sunday. (Except during School Holidays).

--- NO CHILDREN'S LITURGY 28/7/24 ---
 Will return on Sunday, 4th August

(For School aged children from 5-12 years).
 Come and join us to explore God's word through the Gospel reading along with hands on craft activities.

PRAYER FOR THE FOURTH WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

(Sunday, 28 July 2024)

Lord, faithful God,
 You who created us in Your image,
 You who never leaves us alone
 and who accompanies us through every season of life,
 Do not abandon us, take care of us,
 And grant us, once again,
 The ability to discover ourselves
 and recognise that we are Your children.

Renew our hearts with your Word
 And do not allow anyone to be cast aside.
 May your Spirit of love fill us with Your tenderness
 And teach us to say:
 "I will not abandon you!"
 To those we meet on our journey.

With the help of your beloved Son,
 may we not lose the taste for fraternity
 And may we not conform to the sadness
 of loneliness.
 Help us to look to the future with renewed hope,
 And make the World Day for Grandparents
 and the Elderly
 A day without loneliness, and a day abundant
 with the first-fruits of Your peace.
 Amen.

