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# Happy Mother's Day

Dear Parishioners,

Happy Mother's Day, to all the mums. It's a beautiful day to remember our mums. A mother is not just a word, it is, perhaps the single strongest force in nature and in family.

I have got my mum in India. I remember her and pray for her not only today but every day because what I am now is mostly because of her faith and prayer. She always know what I need in my life. I am sure, you all will have many experiences of love, care and support of your mother.

Let us sincerely thank God for the gift of mothers. As Pope Francis says "To be a mother is a great treasure. Mothers, in their unconditional and sacrificial love for their children, are the antidote to individualism..."

On this Mother's Day we honour and pray for every mum. May you always be blessed with good health and happiness and know our love and gratitude for you.

Yours in Christ, Fr Joshy

## **IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE**

St Vincent de Paul Welfare may be able to help you with food, power bills, clothing vouchers, blankets etc. At the moment we are open Mondays and Fridays 1-3pm, and Wednesdays 9.30-12 noon.

Please ring 4828 5971 to make an appointment, or call in at 27 Verner Street

## Recently Deceased:

Kevin Todkill, Noel Plumb, Glenda Smith, Leone Corrigan, Bert Steenbergen, James Cooper, Neil George Webb, Patrick Leonard, Keith McLaughlin, Aileen O'Donoghue, Colleen Sieler, Jean Reardon,

## Anniversaries: Val McKavanagh

#### Prayer List:

Andrew and Jocelyn Raunjak and their daughters Michelle, Rebecca and Samantha-Jocelyn is very ill. The family is a part of our SPP School Family.

Michael Cole, Mary Douven, Pauline Taylor, Dawn Cummins, Ian Clune, Robyn Smart, Terry Druett, Marianne Barling, Patrick McCormack, Michelle O'Regan, Dorothy Kennedy, Penny Zwarenkant NZ (Victoria Gray's Sister) Russell Lynham, Gypsy Eldridge,

Intention: Fr Brannelly celebrated his 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday

## Prayer of the Faithful (SUN 5 Easter 2020)

Celebrant: Jesus is our Way, Truth and our Life, with confidence, let us bring our needs to him.

For the Church, and its leaders: that they may always walk humbly, act justly and love tenderly: We pray to the Lord.

For our World: that the leaders will always act with integrity and justice for the wellbeing of their people. We pray to the Lord.

For family life: that true peace may reign in our homes and all will be cared for and loved, no matter their age or state of health. We pray to the Lord.

For those whose employment has ceased during this Covid-19 pandemic: that they will soon receive the assistance which they need. We pray to the Lord.

For all mothers across Australia as we celebrate Mothers' Day: that in these anxious times they may enjoy the respect of their families and be able to be a source of calm and hope for others. We pray to the Lord.

For our Community: that we may all choose to let ourselves be grounded in Christ's forgiving and loving presence in not only ourselves but in everyone we meet this coming week. We pray to the Lord

For the Sick: that they may find refuge in Christ's presence and in caring family and friends. We pray to the Lord.

For all our departed brothers and sisters, especially all our departed mothers and grandmothers: May our hope of being reunited with our loved ones in heaven, be strengthened by our faith in Jesus Christ. We Pray to the Lord

Celebrant: Loving God, enfold our world in your tender embrace and give us the grace to be tender to one another. Through Christ our Lord. Amen



Two children ordered their mother to stay in bed one Mother's Day morning. As she lay there looking forward to breakfast in bed, the smell of bacon floated up from the kitchen. But after a good long wait she finally went downstairs to investigate. She found them both sitting at the table eating bacon and eggs. "As a surprise for Mother's Day," one explained, "We decided to cook our own breakfast."

For regular updates on **Websites**: (Google) The parish website cg.org.au/Goulburn/home.aspx cg.org.au/Taralga/home.aspx cg.org.au/Crookwell/home.aspx

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