

Boorowa

SUNDAY MASS TIME

Sunday 5.00pm (Church)

WEEKDAY SERVICES

TUESDAY: 10.00am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary- 11.00am Communion Service with Liturgy of the Word (Church)

WEDNESDAY: 11.00am Liturgy of the word with Communion (Hospital)

THURSDAY: 11.00am Communion Service with Liturgy of the Word (Burrowa house)

FRIDAY: 12.30pm Communion Service with Liturgy of the Word Mass (Church)

RECONCILIATION (SACRAMENT OF PENANCE) Sunday at 4.30pm, or any time by appointment

MARRIAGES: By appointment, giving at least 6 months' notice

BAPTISM: Sunday Mass - please email Parish Office for further particulars

Binalong/Galong

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

BINALONG Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion 9.00.am

Mass all Sundays in July 9.00am

GALONG MONASTERY

Sunday 19th July 9.00am Mass Sunday 26th July 10.30am

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday and Saturday 9.00am Mass

Reconciliations: anytime by appointment

ROSTERS for the week of **19/7/2026**

BOOROWA:

Reader – Teena McGrath

Prayers of the Faithful – Katrina McGrath

Altar Serving –

Offertory – Mary & Brenda

Flowers- Felicity McGrath

BINALONG:

Reader – Robyn Sykes

Church Cleaning – Colleen Glover

26/7/2026

BOOROWA:

Reader – Mark Smith

Prayers of the Faithful – Julie Poplin

Altar Serving-George Manion, Will Miller, Jack Corkhill

Offertory- Marg Carmody & Julie Harton

BINALONG:

Reader- Robyn Sykes

Cleaner-Colleen Glover

CATHOLIC PARISHES BOOROWA/BINALONG-GALONG

(Frogmore, Hovell's Creek, Kangiara, Murringo, Reids Flat, Rugby & Rye Park)

- Part of the Young Mission

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We Acknowledge the Traditional Custodians who have walked upon and cared for this land for thousands of years. We acknowledge the continued deep spiritual attachment and relationship of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples to this country and commit ourselves to the ongoing journey of reconciliation.



WINTER FOOD APPEAL

**PLEASE HELP US, HELP LOCALS IN NEED BY
DONATING NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS**

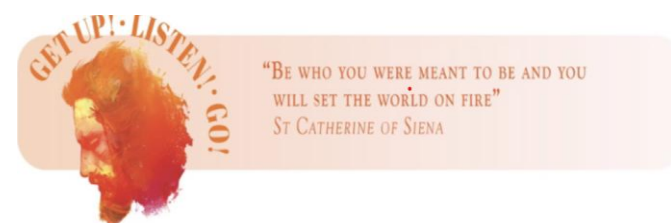
As part of our winter appeal the Boorowa conference of St Vincent de Paul will be having a non-perishable food drive for the month of July.

With the support of our IGA a trolley will be positioned at the checkout for non-perishable food items and toiletries. Thank you for your continued support and generosity.

Boorowa conference St Vincent de Paul.

22 August | THE ARCHDIOCESAN 2026 ASSEMBLY FESTIVAL-"GET UP! LISTEN! GO!" | 09:00 am

On Saturday, 22nd August, people will gather from 9am -4pm there will be a hub for this Assembly in Temora, Sacred Heart Catholic Church.



Parish Safeguarding Commitment: St Patrick'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 St Patrick's Safeguarding officer-Carmel Barnes boorowa.safeguarding@cg.org.au or IPPS@cg.org.au

Dear friends in Christ,

As you may be aware, The International Eucharistic Congress 2028 will be held in Sydney, welcoming pilgrims from around the world, including the Holy Father. This will be a moment of deep joy for the Church in Australia. In preparation, all are invited to prayer and reflection on the theme:

"This is My Body, Given for You."

The ACBC is also asking all the faithful to pray to the Lord for this event. The prayer card which is distributed to you through the parishes will help you to be in communion with the event and to renew our Eucharistic Faith.

Through the Eucharist—"the source and summit of our faith(CCC 1324)"—we are drawn into Christ's mystery and called to offer our lives to God and others. As we journey toward this Congress, may the Holy Spirit renew our hearts and minds, helping us live as witnesses of Christ's love.

Let these years of preparation be a time of spiritual renewal and unity, ensuring that 2028 becomes a truly transformative moment for our Church and nation. Many of the resources are also available digitally Via Website(eucharist28.org). Let us be ready to renew ourselves in Christ and formed more deeply as Eucharistic missionary disciples.

Fr. Rofin Raphael IvDei

Planned Giving Envelopes for 2026-2027 available at the back of the church.

Last Sunday's Mass was a joyful reminder of God's continuing call to serve. Our parish was blessed to welcome the new priests, Frs. Joe and Huy, who were the main celebrants on that day — their presence filled our hearts with Joy, hope and gratitude. Standing among them was Fr Allen, our senior priest, whose years of faithful ministry continue to inspire us all. His gentle wisdom and steady witness remind us that a vocation is not only a calling but a lifelong journey of love and dedication. We also had Fr Joshua Scott, ordained from our parish. His presence encourages us to build a community rooted in prayer and service.

When I received this photo from Fr. Allen, I thought of writing something about the vocation to our young generation: "do not be afraid to listen". The Lord may be inviting you to something beautiful — a life that gives hope, peace, and love. The Church needs your energy, your faith, and your willingness to serve.

The Church today needs more hearts willing to say "yes" to God's call. Jesus says, *"the harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few"* (Mt 9:38).

Vocations are born in families, nurtured in prayer, and strengthened by the example of priests like these. Dear friends, listen to the quiet voice of God. He may be calling you for something special — a life that brings His light to others. Let us pray that our parish may always be a place where vocations grow and faith flourishes. As faithful community let us pray each day for the vocations and services in our parish.

Have a wonderful week.

God Bless. Fr Rofin



I told my mother that I made a car out of spaghetti..... She didn't believe me at least not until I drove pasta.