

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

COMMUNITY ROSARY: 4.30pm Sunday

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 10.00am

Mass on the 4th Sunday 10.00am

GALONG MONASTERY

Sunday 9.00am Mass

Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday and Saturday 9.00am Mass

Reconciliations: anytime by appointment

ROSTERS for the week of 5/4/2026

BOOROWA:

Reader – Julie Poplin

Prayers of the Faithful – Carmel Barnes

Altar Serving –Bonny & Peter Bromham

Offertory – Marg Carmody & Julie Harton

Flowers- Teena McGrath

BINALONG:

Reader – Robyn Sykes

Church Cleaning – Colleen Glover

12/4/2026

BOOROWA

Reader – Felicity McGrath

Prayers of the Faithful – Patrick Dwyer

Altar Serving-

Offertory- Corkhill & Evans Families

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.

DIRECT CREDIT

1st COLLECTION:

Goes to supporting the priests & retired priests

If you would like to contribute, please contact Parish office via

Email or Phone for account details. Thankyou

2nd COLLECTION:

Pays for costs for running the Parish

WEEKLY PLANNED GIVING Tax Receipts

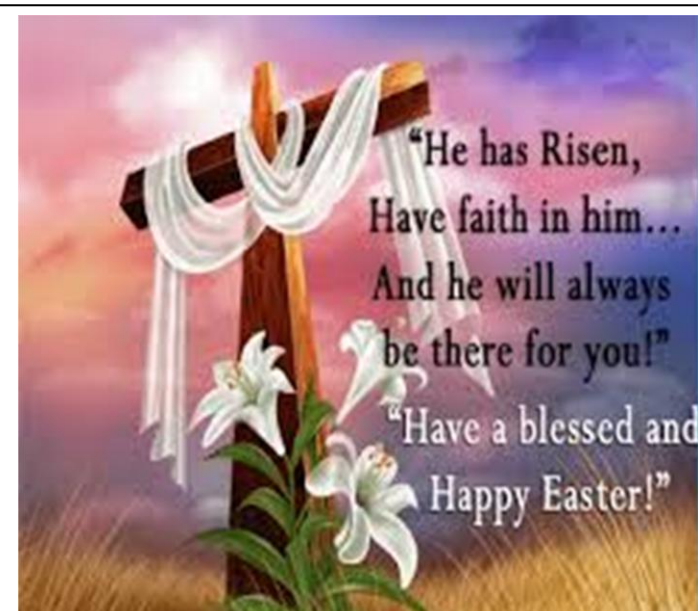
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Please add name & add envelope number.

It is very important that individuals put the Reference information in, that way money can be allocated correctly.

We congratulate Karen Smith on her decision to become a full member of the Catholic Church community and promise her our prayers as they continue their journey of faith in the Young Mission.



EASTER 2026

The Silences of Easter

Easter greetings! We all come to Easter with a sense of joy and hope in our very troubled world.

One way of deepening the joy of Easter in our hearts is to reflect on some of the great Easter Biblical texts. A possibility is to read quietly the direct speech of the Risen Jesus in the Scripture and to omit the narratives. These are the parts that largely talk about the background details.

For example, in John 20 there is the encounter of the Risen Lord with Saint Mary Magdalen. We listen to the following, "Woman why are you weeping? Tell me where have you put him? (V.15) ...Mary...Rabboni (V.16)."

By doing so two aspects emerge. First, is to savor even more deeply the words of the Risen Jesus to those who are realising gradually that He has Risen from the Dead. Secondly, this requires from us a great deal of silence between the different direct words. These silences are not just any sort of silences. These are silences of attentive listening to the Living Word of God in the Easter Gospels. By listening carefully, we allow the Word of God to "Easter in us."

The Silences of Easter can help us compare the noisiness of what is happening in the world today. The noise of missiles hitting buildings and innocent people. The noise of people talking on and on about political strategies. The talk of warfare and belligerence.

All of this is replaced with the great inner strength of silently listening to the Lord and for Jesus to strengthen us deep within. We can then go out into the world and truly be joy and hope. We will try not to use threatening language or words that scatter rather than unite.

In this Easter Season, let us therefore penetrate, more deeply than ever, the hidden Silences of the Gospel texts of Easter.

Allow these Silences to give us greater inner strength to be people of great hope and joy in a noisy world filled with hurtful words and actions.

Archbishop Christopher Prowse
Catholic Archbishop of Canberra and Goulburn

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 Beloved Parishioners,
As we gather to celebrate this joyous Easter season, I want to extend my heartfelt wishes for a happy and blessed Easter to each of you. This year, our Archdiocese has embraced the theme of "Get Up, Listen, and Go," inviting us to reflect on the profound messages of Easter. At this special time, let us contemplate the three essential elements that resonate from our Easter table: the table, the towels, and the time.

-The Table: The Last Supper stands as a beautiful reminder of Jesus' gift of the Eucharist, where He shared His body and blood with us, establishing a profound connection among us as a community of faith.

- The Towels: Through His passion, Christ exemplified true servanthood. By washing the disciples' feet, He demonstrated the humility and love that we are called to embody in our lives. His ultimate sacrifice on the cross illustrates the depth of His love for humanity, showing us the true meaning of service.

- The Time: In this season of resurrection, we are reminded of the gift of eternal life that awaits each of us. Each resurrection moment inspires us to rise, to listen to God's call, and to go forth with renewed purpose and determination.

May this Easter inspire all of us to embrace these themes in our daily lives, encouraging us to get up, listen to one another, and go out into the world as bearers of Christ's love.

Wishing you all a joyous Easter filled with hope and renewal.

With Love and Blessings

Fr Jiss

Not all the Spice Girls can carry petrol.

But Geri can!

