

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 Night Vigil 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 8/3/2026

BOOROWA:

Reader – Pat Dwyer

Prayers of the Faithful – Sarah Rose

Altar Serving –

Offertory – Felicity McGrath

Flowers- Felicity McGrath

BINALONG:

Reader – Robyn Sykes

Church Cleaning – Colleen Glover

15/3/2026

BOOROWA

Reader – Luke Miller

Prayers of the Faithful – Ollie Miller

Altar Serving- Roxy Taylor & Charlotte Corcoran

Offertory- Julie & Raymond Poplin

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

69-71 Queen Street (Church) PO Box 30, BOOROWA 2586

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Fr Jiss Sunny –Young Phone 6382 2222

Deacon Patrick Whale **Mob:** 0429 463 583

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

If you would like to contribute, please contact Parish office via Email or Phone for account details.

Thankyou

Please add name & add envelope number.

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

Dear Parishioners,

I am pleased to share the joyous news of the upcoming ordination of Deacon Joe, who has been with us since September 2025 for his pastoral placement. Throughout his time in our vibrant community, he has gained invaluable experiences and deepened his commitment to the priesthood, preparing to serve his religious order, the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer (CSsR), and to embrace a wider ministry. Deacon Joe's ordination will take place on May 23rd at 10 Am at Holy Eucharist Parish, located at 1A Oleander Drive, St Albans VIC 3021. This sacred occasion marks a significant milestone in his journey of faith, and he warmly invites each of you to join in this celebration.

Let us come together in prayer for Deacon Joe, his family, and especially his parents and siblings, that they may all be present to witness this momentous event. Your support through prayer and blessing means the world to him, and I am confident that he will cherish the presence of our parish community on this special day.

With heartfelt gratitude and love,
Fr. Jiss

Holy Week Easter Timetable

**Second Rite of Reconciliation-
Thursday 26th of March**

- For all the Young Mission Young: 6.30pm

**Palm Sunday- Saturday 28th & Sunday
29th March**

-Saturday in Young: 6.00pm

-Sunday in Grenfell: 8.00am

-Sunday in Young:10.00am

-Sunday in Boorowa: 5.00pm

Holy Thursday- Thursday 2nd of April

-Boorowa: 6.00pm

-Young: 6.00pm

Good Friday- Friday 3rd of April

Stations of the Cross (outdoors)-
Arboretum Park Young: 10.00am

-Galong Monastery: 3.00pm

-Young: 3.00pm

-Boorowa: 3.00pm

Holy Saturday- Saturday 4th of April

-Young:7.00pm

Easter Sunday- Sunday 5th of April

-Boorowa: 8.00am

-Grenfell: 8.00am

-Galong Monastery: 9.00am

-Binalong: 10.00am

-Young: 10.00am



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

Fr Jiss & Deacon Joe's Farewell Dinner – will be held at the Ex-Services Club Boorowa on the 15th March after Fr Jiss last mass on Sunday. If you would like to attend please RSVP by the 8th March to the Parish office boorowa@cg.org.au

World Day of Prayer 2026 Focus on Nigeria

Friday 13th March 2026

Boorowa Uniting Church Corner of Farm St &
Brial St

2-4pm Afternoon Tea Provided

Contact Bron Fickel 0410506173

FR ROFIN RAPHEL (NEW PARISH PRIEST)

I am pleased to share a brief introduction to our new parish priest, Fr. Rofin Raphel IVDei. Hailing from Kerala, India, Fr. Rofin brings with him a wealth of experience and a deep commitment to serving the community. After completing a decade of formation, he was ordained a priest in 2014 and has served in various parishes in his home state before embarking on an exciting new chapter in his journey to Australia.

Fr. Rofin recently joined the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn, where he has been enriching his ministry. His association with the Institute of Voluntas Dei inspires him to follow the will of God, guided by the example of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

We would like to announce that Fr. Rofin's appointment will commence on April 10, 2026. As we embrace this new phase in our Young Mission, let us welcome him with open hearts and support him in his mission to serve our community.

Many blessings,

Fr. Jiss

Practical Things to Do During Lent:

1. Sorrow for sin and doing an Act of Contrition as a sign of repentance.
2. Making peace with anyone we may have crossed or offended or who may have offended us.
3. Fasting in some small or big way, like fasting from food and drink, fasting from speaking ill of others, or fasting from time spent on social media, etc.
4. Trying to live the call to holiness of life day by day.
5. Doing some act of charity to others in small or big ways (spiritual or corporal work of mercy).
6. Being of service to humanity or to the Church.
7. Contributing to the task of evangelization.
8. The daily habit of reading the Bible or spiritual books.

