

May They Rest in Peace :Len Humphries, Michael Navybox, Peter Hogg, Joyce Nord, Barbara Basely, Ralph Dunncliff, Sheila Crooks, Sr John Keenan RSM, Neville Yeadon, Agnes Woodward, William Kemp, Joan Sloman, Isabella Campbell,
Anniversaries: Pam Nader, Luke Fife, Bevan Evans, Harold Falk, Ray Eggleston, Gillian McAuliffe, Graham White, Tony Gardner, Frank Heaton,
Prayer List: Louise Wakefield, Pat Ryan, Kevin King, Marianne Barling, Bobby Harrington,

Parish Diary

Mon 16/9	Confirmation lesson 4-5pm St Brigids *Confirmation lesson 4-6pm St Brigids
Tues 17/9	7.30am Mass. StJ Conv.Chapel 11am Nursing Home Warrigal Mass
Wed 18/9	7.30am Morning Mass StJ Conv.Chapel 11am Exploring The Sunday Gospel 2.pm Legion of Mary meet presb. Mtg rm 1.30pm Craft group meet OLOF mtg rm 7.30pm baprisem Enrolment night
Thur 19/9	7.30am Mass. StJ Conv.Chapel Confirmation lesson 4-6pm Crookwell 7pm Rosary at St Michael's Bungonia
Fri 20/9	12n Mass SPP Old Cathedral 3pm Eucharistic Adoration STJ Chapel
Sat 21/9	9am Mass at OLOF

Readings next week: 25th Sunday Ord.
 1 / Amos 8:4-7
 2/ 1 timothy 2:1-8
 Gospel: Luke 16:-13

Planned Giving contributions:

Ways you can support THE PARISH

Credit Card- call /ph /email the office

Direct Debit- call /ph /email the office

EFT: Direct Payment details as follows –
 Bank details – BSB 062 786
 A/c 000014927 MQA Parish.

Use p/g +Surname / or envelope No. number to identify your contribution.

You can set your own EFT transfer, using the above bank details to deposit your planned giving into the parish account. (2nd Collection)

**Please contact Sharon for a p/g number.

The Goulburn Mission Mass Times:

Ss Peter & Paul's:	Sat. 6.00pm Sept-April 5.00pm (May- Aug.)
Our Lady of Fatima:	7.00am Sunday
Ss Peter & Paul's:	10.00am Sunday
Taralga:	Sat. 6.00pm Sept-May 5.00pm (Winter June-Aug.)
Crookwell:	Sun. 9.am
Binda (1,2,3)	Sun 10.30am
Tuena (5)	Sun 11.30am
St Patrick's, Marulan, 8.00am (2/4 Sun. month)	
St Joseph's, Tarago 8.00am (3 Sun. Month)	
St Laurence O'Toole, Spring Valley	
St Michael's, Bungonia, St Bartholomew's, Collector	

ROSTER 21/22 Sept. 2019

Mass	6.00pm	7. 00am	10 .00am
Acolyte			M Imbens
Snr Server	A Oberg		
Readers 1	R Forsythe	C Hallam	A Anable
2	M Casey	D Green	P Heaton
MHC	J Coe M Mullins Y Reardon H Condylis	B Sciberras E Sciberras	B Cudaj M Mullen R Vial T Anable
*Infirmid	P Smith	MPrevedello	A Dorsett
Alt. Server	Joshua Bella, Bobby		Darien
Music	Bruce Parish choir		
Prayers	Sept	Lance	Goulburn

Clergy: Fr D McDermott, Parish Priest
 Fr Lolesio Gisa, Ass. Priest

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Tues.-Thurs- 7.30am St J Convent Chapel
 Fridays **12n** SPP Old Cathedral
 Saturday: 9.00am OLOF
 Waminda- 11.00am **1** Tuesday month
 Masonic 11.00am **2** Wed month
 Warrigal 11.00am **3** Tues month

RECONCILIATION TIME:

Saturday 9.30-10.00am OLOF
Saturday 4..30 SPP – Verner St side.

Secretary: Sharon Cashman

Office hours: 8.30-12.30pm Mon-Fri

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THE GOULBURN MISSION

[Mission Established 2012] 14/15 Sept 2019
 [Parish Established 1839]

MARY QUEEN OF APOSTLES

24 Sunday Ordinary Time Yr C

Entrance Antiphon: Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

Responsorial Psalm: 50:3-4. 12-13. 17. 19. R. Lk 15:18

Response: I will rise and go to my father.

Right: Have mercy on me, God, in your kindness. In your compassion blot out my offence.
 O wash me more and more from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin.

Left: A pure heart create for me, O God, put a steadfast spirit within me.
 Do not cast me away from your presence, nor deprive me of your holy spirit.

Right: O Lord, open my lips and my mouth shall declare your praise. My sacrifice is a contrite spirit; a humbled, contrite heart you will not spurn.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!
 God was in Christ, to reconcile the world to himself; and the Good News of reconciliation he has entrusted to us.
 . Alleluia!

Readings: 1 / Exodus 32:7-11.13-14
 2 / Timothy 1:12-17

Gospel: Luke 15:1-10

Communion Antiphon:

(only to be said if there is **NO MUSIC during the Mass**)

How precious is your mercy, O God!
 The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

Prayer for Vocations:

God of all creation,
through Baptism you gift us with new life.
You call each of us to live that life in a unique
way,
So that we may truly become the witnesses of
your love.
Bless all those you call: all single and married
people
All priests and deacons, all sisters and
brothers
May we all become builders of your kingdom
and sacraments of your love.
As we live out the mission of Jesus Christ
through living our baptismal call
We make this prayer through Christ our Lord.
Amen

Prayer of Commissioning:

Take to our absent brothers and sisters the bread
which we have broken a sharing in the body of the
Lord.

Vigil Mass – Saturday 21 Sept. SPP Confirmation
will be Celebrated with the Archbishop. Please keep
these children & families in your prayers.

Mission Sacramental Program Update;

CONFIRMATION: Sept.21/22 2019

Books and cards will be checked this week.

Classes this week- only 2.

Glb Monday 16/9 4-6pm. St Bridgids Ctr.

Crookwell Thurs. 19/9 4-6pm St Marys Ctr

Please note only Mon/Thurs. and the time.

This afternoon will consist of reflection,

Reconciliation, group gathering, rehearsal.

***Parents will join us in the Cathedral for the
rehearsal at 4.45pm***

**All enquiries/ question re Sacramental please
send email to-mqa.sacramental@gmail.com**

Mission News:

The Mission office in Goulburn will only be
open Mondays & Wednesday 8.30-12.30pm
until end of October.

Janet (from the Crookwell office will be in to
keep the wheels turning). Sharon is on the
Pilgrimage and travelling on further.

Rome Pilgrimage: there are 31 in the group of
pilgrims travelling to Rome to commence on the 26
Sept. Please keep the group in your prayers.

RITE of INITIATION OF ADULTS

Following inquiry, I would like to assemble a team to
assist anyone journeying into the Catholic Church.
If you would like to join the team please notify the
Parish office.

If you know of anyone interested in becoming a
Catholic please let them know about the RCIA so that
they can contact the office and leave your details.

Catechists End of Term Lunch will be held at the
Railway Bowling Club on Tuesday, 24th September.
All welcome.

Goulburn Combined Churches: **Christian SRE**
Spring Event. Movie screening, ministry updates,
supper 6.45-9.00pm Mon. 23 Sept. Christian Life Ctr.
Slane St. All youth very welcome.

Operation Christmas Child: is a program of gift
giving to help children in need who live in
impoverished countries. The idea is to gather
together small gifts which will fit into a 'Shoe Box' to
help brighten the lives of these children Some gift
suggestions include – something to wear, something
to love, something special, something for school,
something to play with, something for person
hygiene. You may also include a short note or a
photo. Alternatively, donations may be made to assist
with the postage of the filled boxes. Each box costs
\$10 to post. It would be appreciated if all donations
are finalized by the 27th October. Boxes and
brochures are available at the back of the church

Exploring The Word

Today's gospel consists of
parables about that which
was lost being found. The
image of God presented in
these parables challenges
some popular notions of
God



being omnipotent and removed from his creation.
Instead, Jesus tries to portray something of his own
intimate relationship with a God whom he knows as
Father.

The images of a shepherd who is prepared to risk the
safety of the flock in order to go to search out just
one sheep, of a woman who puts a great deal of time
and energy into the recovery of one small coin tell of
the extravagance of God's love for all, especially
those who are the lost ones of society. The great
rejoicing at the culmination of each parable speaks to
us of the unconditional love of God and his pleasure
at our positive response to his invitation to the feast.

The gospels abound with instances of Jesus spending
time with and showing special concern for those who
were regarded as outcasts in the society of his time.
This special concern for the poor and the
disadvantaged has become a cornerstone of Catholic
Social Teaching. The dignity of the human person is
founded in the creation of humans in the image of
God.

Human dignity is not diminished by age, gender,
economic circumstance, ethnicity or occupation. We
are called to work for those in need 'in ways that
neither humiliate them nor reduce them to mere
objects of assistance but which help them escape their
precarious situation by promoting their dignity as
persons' (Pope John Paul II, *Centesimus Annus*, §49).
Similarly, in his 2015 encyclical *Laudato Si*, Pope
Francis appeals 'to everyone throughout the world
not to forget this dignity which is ours. No one has
the right to take it from us.'

(The Summit)