

St Mary's Star of the Sea Parish, 23 Parade Place, PO Box 69 Corowa 2646. **Phone-** 0260331927. **Email:** corowa@wagga.catholic.org.au **Website:** <http://www.stmaryscorowa.com> **Wagga Wagga Safeguarding Office:** safeguarding@wagga.catholic.edu.au **Parish Safeguarding Officer-**Roz Willett-0419015898:
Parish Priest -Fr John McGrath-St Mary's School Principal-Cheryl Brigden-60331183: Country Church-St Pius X at Coreen



Mass Intentions

Remember in prayer:

Recently deceased: "We have loved them in life, let us not forget them in death. May they live in God's love forever."

Brian Packer (Roma, Robert's brother)
 Shane Terry (Wagga) Simon Phillips (Berrigan) Margaret Saunders (Berrigan)

Anniversaries: Peter and Anne Carroll, Hugh Drum (14/6) Anne Aquilina (29/6) Alec Ross-Anderson (28/5) Jan Regan (28/5)

St Pope Paul II indicated St Thomas More is a witness for political leaders to revere and an intercessor under whose protection to place their work. He was faithful to his civic responsibilities, a perfect servant to the state precisely because of his faith, which lead him to view politics not as a profession but as a mission for the spread of truth and goodness. He "placed his public activity at the service of the person, especially the weak and poor: he handled social disputes with an exquisite sense of justice; he protected the family and defended it with strenuous commitment; and he promoted the integral education of youth."

The courage he showed by his readiness to sacrifice his life rather than betray the truth makes him a martyr for freedom and for the primacy of conscience. May his example be a source of inspiration and guidance for each of you!

Pope Leo XIV 21 June 2025

**** Save the date for the closing of the Coreen Church.** Bishop Mark will celebrate a final Mass on July 19th at 11.30. After the Mass on the 19th there will be a gathering at the Coreen Fire Station for a light luncheon. To assist with catering could you contact Cathy Ross-0427358518
 Kathryn McKenize-0408921051
 Carmen Hanrahan-0437350277

There have been 45 baptisms in the Coreen Church. The first baptisms were Rebecca Collins (daughter of Arthur and Helen) "The Oaks, Coreen and Peter O'Halloran (son of John and Valda) "Maybrook" Coreen. They were baptized on the 17th May 1964 by Fr R Bartlett. The last baptism was Ashton Ross Few (son of Bryce and Melissa) on 21st September 2025.

Parish Diary

St Vincent de Paul Conference. Meeting on July 6th at 5pm at the Vinnie's Centre
****Parish Rosary** will be held at Nora Kingston's at 24 Alfred St on Wednesday at 4.30. All welcome.
****Wrap with Love** is in the parish hall on Mondays from 9am-12noon. All are welcome.
**** Ministers' Association meeting** on Thursday at 12.30pm

Mon 29th
 Tues 30th
 Wed 1st
 Thurs 2nd
 Fri 3rd
 Sat 4th
 Sun 5th

Mass times

Mass at 9am
 Mass at 9am
 Mass at 9am
 Novena at 11.40
 Mass at 12noon
 Mass at 9am
 Service at Karinya
 Mass at 6pm
 Mass at 9am

Liturgy roster -June 27th-28th

Lectors

6pm Jan Lowden
9am Bill O'Brien
Special Ministers
6pmTerry Drum
9am Brendan Christy

Welcomers

6pm Sandral fm
9am John Taylor/Cathy O'Shea
Counters: Peter and Bernadette Ridge

Liturgy roster -July 4th-5th

Lectors

6pm Sandra Drum
9am Mary Milthorpe
Special Ministers
6pm Jan Lowden
9am Paul Lemmon
Welcomers
6pm Volunteers
9am Brian and Cathy O'Shea
Counters Ian Brooks/Robert Packer

Parish Finances

Bank A/C s for St Mary's parish.
The presbytery is 206110498-BSB 066-789. The church is 206110290-BSB 066-789

***** We have a collection after the Prayers of the Faithful.** This collection supports the clergy of the diocese. The support for the parish can be given through the envelope system, direct debit or tap and go.

**** Another way to assist our parish is to consider a gift in your will.**

Parish Safeguarding Commitment

St Mary's Parish is committed to safeguarding and upholding the dignity and rights of all our children and vulnerable people. If any person has any concerns about the above, please contact the Parish Safeguarding Officer - **Roz Willett 0419015898**

