

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Lavington: Sat.Vigil 6pm; Sunday 8 am, 10 am

Jindera: Sunday 9 am

Weekday Mass Times:		Lavington	Jindera
Mon	13	O. L. Fatima 7 am	7 am
Tues	14	St Matthias 7 & 9 am	7 am
Wed	15	Easter tide 7 & 9 am	8:30 am
Thurs	16	Easter tide 7 & 9 am	8:30 am
Frid	17	Easter tide 7 & 9 am	9.20 am
Sat	18	St John I 9:15 am	8 am

This Weekend: 12th May - 4th Sunday Easter

6 pm Lect: Sr Scholastica Cant. B. Dainer
 8 am Lect: L. Mercieca Cant. D. Hicks
 9 am Lect: L. Phegan Cant. S & K Lee
 10amLect: M. Katalinic Cant. Choir

Offert: 6 pm Church, 8 am Quinn, 10 am Dawson

Lavington Cleaners: Murphy family

Jindera Cleaners: Ryan, Carcarello, Garratt

Next Weekend: 19th May - 5th Sunday Easter

6 pm Lect: HSSchool Cant. Sr. Scholastica
 8 am Lect: L. Amarant Cant. L. Amarant
 9 am Lect: K. Murphy Cant. Volunteers
 10amLect: P. Murphy Cant. Choir

Offert: 6 pm HSS, 8 am Volunteer, 10 am Smith

Lavington Cleaners: Boyer family

Jindera Cleaners: Stewart, Green, Wright

ADORATION /NOVENA Saturday morning

- 8:00 am: Holy Rosary
- 8:20 am: Confessions
- 9:00 am: Novena & Benediction
- 9:15 am: Holy Mass

O'CONNELL GARDENS VILLAGE

Adoration: in the chapel every Monday 10-4 pm

Craft Work: Wednesdays at 1.30 pm.

ST. VINCENT de PAUL alt. Monday 1.30 pm

MOTHER'S GROUP meets to pray on Mondays at 7.30 pm - contact 60401690

LEGION of MARY - lay missionaries meet: on Tuesday 1 pm, Wednesday 3.30 pm.

MAJELLAN for MUMS - on Tuesday 10:45am.

CATECHESIS of the Good Shepherd - Monday Angela tel. 0427063934.

SACRAMENT PENANCE / CONFESSIONS

Saturday 8:20 - 9am, 5 - 6pm
 and before all Masses.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock. alleluia.

✠**FOR THE SICK** that they may be comforted and helped by God's healing power, let us pray to the Lord - Lisa Chandra, Harold Black, Faith Bell, Annie Gosstray, Reg Perry, Jeanne Palmer, Barry Nolan, Kerry Rohrich, Kay Duel, Jan Szakacs, Joan McLaurin, Lorraine Mullavey, Greg Jackson, Pat McCormack, Linda Wilson, Stan & Kathleen Lechmere, Carol Collins, Jenny Mannering, Tony Ratcliffe, Mick Dunkerley, Helen Hurst, Cathy Jones, Tim Davern, Marcia Northey, John Kelleher, Brian Schreiber, Gerard Sullivan, Norma Oates, Barry O'Shea, Catherine Mahedy, Andrew Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, Bart Harte, Ante & Medenka Vidovic, Fr. Con Croese, Helen Wright, Jovit Genato, Barbara Skiba, Sheleagh Walker, Gary Harris, Matthew Mander, Anne Weisner, Suesanna Trevaskis, Kim Dean, Mary Cooper, Fay, Brian Cooper, Ruth Witteveen

✠**FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED** & those whose anniversaries occur about now that they may be granted eternal peace, let us pray to the Lord - Frances Rohrich, Frank McCormack, Monica Brosolo, Miguel-Reyes, Sr Janet Heath OSC, Sr Norma McLeod OCDM, Bernadette Ryan, Christine Deegan, Bob Garratt, Girlie Costello, Sr. Pat Osborne

✠**ANNIVERSARIES:** Sheree Harris, Mary Sullivan, Greg Thompson, Sergio Pidutti, George Davern, Des Plunkett, Kevin Wilson, Daniel McMahon, Maria Werhun, Daryl Butler, Pasqualino De Fazio, Phillip Carmody, Shannon Knobel, Terry McGoverne, Sue Lyons, Pauline Hart, Pat Flood, Thomas Lamb

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STAFF MEETING

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12th May 2019 - Fourth Sunday of Easter



Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 162.
First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 13:52
 Paul and Barnabas carried on from Perga till they reached Antioch in Pisidia. Here they went to synagogue on the sabbath and took their seats. When the meeting broke up many Jews and devout converts joined Paul and Barnabas and in their talks with them Paul and Barnabas urged them to remain faithful to the grace God had given them. The next sabbath almost the whole town assembled to hear the word of God. When they saw the crowds, the Jews, prompted by jealousy, used blasphemies and contradicted everything Paul said. Then Paul and Barnabas spoke out boldly. 'We had to proclaim the word of God to you first, but since you have rejected it, since you do not think yourselves worthy of eternal life, we must turn to the pagans. For this is what the Lord commanded us to do when he said: *I have made you a light for the nations, so that my salvation may reach the ends of the earth.*' It made the pagans very happy to hear this and they thanked the Lord for his message; all who were destined for eternal life became believers. Thus the word of the Lord spread through the whole countryside. But the Jews worked upon some of the devout women of the upper classes and the leading men of the city and persuaded them to turn against Paul and Barnabas and expel them from their territory. So they shook the dust from their feet in defiance and went off to Iconium; but the disciples were filled with joy and the Holy Spirit.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm:

We are his people the sheep of his flock.

Second Reading: Apocalypse 7:9 14-17

I, John, saw a huge number, impossible to count, of people from every nation, race, tribe and language; they were standing in front of the throne and in front of the Lamb, dressed in white robes and holding palms in their hands. One of the elders said, 'These are the people who have been through the great persecution, and because they have washed their robes white again in the blood of the Lamb, they now stand in front of God's throne and serve him day and night in his sanctuary; and the One who sits on the throne will spread his tent over them. They will never hunger or thirst again; neither the sun nor scorching wind will ever plague them, because the Lamb who is at the throne will be their shepherd and will lead them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away all tears from their eyes.'

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Alleluia! I am the good shepherd, says the Lord; I know my sheep and mine know me. **Alleluia, alleluia!**

A Reading from the holy Gospel according to John 10: 27-30



Glory to You O Lord
 Jesus said: 'The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me. The Father who gave them to me is greater than anyone, and no one can steal from the Father. The Father and I are one.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

"He is not here; he has risen!"



L u k e 2 4 : 6

■ **WHAT'S HAPPENING!**

Mother's Day: Wishing all mothers a most blessed day this Sunday. Thank you to the ladies of the Legion of Mary who crafted the flowers.

Good Shepherd Sunday: Leaving Collection this weekend to assist in the education of priests. So thank you for your support.

Election Candidate: Ben O'Brien is available after 10 am Mass today to speak about his DLP policies in the Meeting Room.

Comitium: for Legion of Mary members on Monday at 4 pm.

Men's Lectio Divina: this Thursday 7:30 pm in Presbytery on Letter of St Peter on formed.

Confirmation Lavington classes Tuesdays in Meeting Room 3:30 pm; Jindera Wednesdays at St Marys's hall 3:40 pm.

Holy League: holy hour for men at St Mary's this Friday 7:30 pm

Welder Wanted: CJ Perry P/L seeking fitter/welder & apprentice welder, please contact Con Perry 0427284514

Recollections with Fr Inigo on Wed. 22nd May for men 7:30 Jindera and Thurs 23rd after 9 am Mass, Lavington.

MACE Sisters: on annual retreat 13-20 May.

FORMED Catholic Netflix is free for the year. Login; <https://formed.org> code VJ3GHW

Young Adults: for faith discussion meet at Esencia Cafe on Wednesday nights from 7 pm. tel. Jo 0468546969

St. Vincent de Paul: any unwanted furniture at home please contact Tony 0429674933

Dawso's for all electrical needs; Electrical Contracting, tel. Daniel 0438732976.

Sacramental Candles: ideal as special gifts, check out the website: sacredcandles.com.au tel. 0403619044

By The Book on 3/326 Griffith Rd. open Tues -Sat morning. A large range of Christian books available. Ideal present for everyone.

Autoscreen: Buy your next windscreen from Brosolo Brs, Lavington, tel. 60252443

SJM Computer Tutoring & Support: one-on-one in your home call Sean McDermott 60250506 or 0419146406.

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Good Shepherd Sunday

Christ is the Good Shepherd who has appointed shepherds for His Church.

The structure of the pastoral scene is:

- ◆ Pope - visible head shepherd
- ◆ Bishop - local chief shepherd
- ◆ Priest - parish shepherd
- ◆ Deacon - trainee shepherd
- ◆ Laity - God's flock

N.B. Shepherds tend their flocks. Be tuned into formed.org. or EWTN or the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (CCC) to ward off flawed teachings.

Shepherd Alert: *Be warned about wolves in Shepherd's clothing.*



May is when we pray the Rosary

HUNGRY HUMOUR

A man walked into a lonely restaurant in a strange town and the waiter came to take his order. Feeling alone, the man said:

“meat loaf please, and a kind word.”

When the waiter returned with the meatloaf, the man said, “Where is the kind word?” The waiter bent down low and whispered, “Don't eat the meatloaf!”

Mother's Day Blessing

God the Father, through his Son, the Virgin Mary's child, has brought joy to all Christian mothers, as they see the hope of eternal life shine on their children. May he bless the mothers of children. As they now thank God for the gift of their children, may they be one with them in thanking him for ever in heaven, in Christ Jesus our Lord.

CATECHESIS of the GOOD SHEPHERD

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is rooted in the Bible, the liturgy of the church, and the educational principles of Maria Montessori. Children gather in an "Atrium," a room prepared for them, which contains simple yet beautiful materials they use to help them absorb the most essential proclamations of the Christian faith. You may be wondering how these materials help the religious life of children? If an adult hears a beautiful passage from the Bible, he or she might read it slowly again and again, think deeply about the words and perhaps utter a thankful or hopeful prayer.

A little child, too young to read, needs another way. In an Atrium the child can ponder a biblical passage or a prayer from the liturgy by taking the material for that text and working with it - placing wood figures of sheep in a sheepfold of the Good Shepherd, setting sculpted apostles around a Last Supper table, or preparing a small altar with the furnishings used for Mass. The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a sensorially rich experience for children from the ages of 3-6 years that gives children the opportunity to grow in love and knowledge of God through the Christian tradition. If you have a child who might be interested speak to one of the Catechists.



Think about it!

- ◆ I used to eat a lot of natural foods until I learned that most people die of natural causes.
- ◆ Gardening Rule: When weeding, the best way to make sure you are removing a weed and not a valuable plant is to pull on it. If it comes out of the ground easily, it is a valuable plant.
- ◆ The easiest way to find something lost around the house is to buy a replacement.
- ◆ Never take life seriously. Nobody gets out alive anyway.
- ◆ Whenever I feel blue, I start breathing again.
- ◆ All of us could take a lesson from the weather. It pays no attention to criticism.

FIND THE WORD PUZZLE

Forgiveness, Ten, Spirit, Sorrow, Matthew, Enemy, Francis, Exodus, Vengeance, Christ, Patience, Pope, Church, Love, Pray, Confession, Catholic, Peace

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