

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

Jindera: Sunday 9 am

<i>Weekday Mass Times:</i>		<i>Lavington</i>	<i>Jindera</i>
Mon	27	St. Augustine C 7 am	7 am
Tues	28	Eastertide 7 & 9 am	7 am
Wed	29	St. Paul VI 7 & 9 am	8:30 am
Thurs	30	Eastertide 7 & 9 am	8:30 am
Frid	31*	Visitation BVM 7 & 9 am	9.20 am
Sat	1 *	St. Justin 9:15 am	8 am

This Weekend: 26th May - 6th Sunday Easter

6 pm Lect: M. Brosolo Cant. M. Brosolo
8 am Lect: M. Fletcher Cant. L. Amarant
9 am Lect: J. Wright Cant. M. Green
10amLect: C. Tingle Cant. Choir

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

Lavington Cleaners: Evans/Dawsons family

Jindera Cleaners: Woods, Barnes

Next Weekend: 2nd June - Ascension Sunday

6 pm Lect: Filipino Cant. Filipino
8 am Lect: M. Hensel Cant. L. Amarant
9 am Lect: L. Morgan Cant. S & J Chandraseg.
10amLect: K. Boyer Cant. Choir

Offert: 6 pm Filipino, 8 am volunteer, 10 am Mugomoka

Lavington Cleaners: Clergy

Jindera Cleaners: Christensen, Ebert, Lee

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: If you love me, keep my commandments, says the Lord, and I will ask the Father and He will send another Paraclete, to abide with you for ever, 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, Gerard Sullivan, Norma Oates, Barry O'Shea, Catherine Mahedy, Andrew Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, Ante & Medenka Vidovic, 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** - Ross Sanson, Noel Sparkes, Fr. Con Croese, John Kelleher, Frances Rohrich, Frank McCormack, Monica Brosolo, Miguel-Reyes, Sr Janet Heath OSC, Sr Norma McLeod OCDM, Bernadette Ryan, Christine Deegan, Bob Garratt, Sr. Pat Osborne

✠ **ANNIVERSARIES:** Robert Nicholson, Rose Packer, Andrew Scammell, Leslie Logue, Angelina Davis, Mitchell Stiler, Moya Hesford, Moya Parker, Mona Bohr, Sr. M. Bede RSJ, Maria Guffrida, James Carew, Bill Smith, Michael Ryan, Hilda Ryan, Donald Collins, Sephanie Kaliczynski, Antonio Guffrida, Damian Wright, Harold Dean



May is when we pray the Rosary



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26th May 2019 - Sixth Sunday of Easter



Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 162.

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 15:21

Some men came down from Judaea and taught the brothers, 'Unless you have yourselves circumcised in the tradition of Moses you cannot be saved'. This led to disagreement, and after Paul and Barnabas had had a long argument with these men it was arranged that Paul and Barnabas and others of the church should go up to Jerusalem and discuss the problem with the apostles and elders. Then the apostles and elders decided to choose delegates to send to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas; the whole church concurred with this. They chose Judas known as Barsabbas and Silas, both leading men in the brotherhood, and gave them this letter to take with them: 'The apostles and elders, your brothers, send greetings to the brothers of pagan birth in Antioch, Syria and Cilicia. We hear that some of our members have disturbed you with their demands and have unsettled your minds. They acted without any authority from us; and so we have decided unanimously to elect delegates and to send them to you with Barnabas and Paul, men we highly respect who have dedicated their lives to the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Accordingly we are sending you Judas and Silas, who will confirm by word of mouth what we have written in this letter. It has been decided by the Holy Spirit and by ourselves not to saddle you with any burden beyond these essentials: you are to abstain from food sacrificed to idols; from blood, from the meat of strangled animals and from fornication. Avoid these, and you will do what is right. Farewell.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: O God, let all the nations praise you.

Second Reading: Apocalypse 21:10

In the spirit, he took me to the top of an enormous high mountain and showed me Jerusalem, the holy city, coming down from God out of heaven. It had all the radiant glory of God and glittered like some precious jewel of crystal-clear diamond. The walls of

it were of a great height, and had twelve gates; at each of the twelve gates there was an angel, and over the gates were written the names of the twelve tribes of Israel; on the east there were three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. The city walls stood on twelve foundation stones, each one of which bore the name of one of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. I saw that there was no temple in the city since the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb were themselves the temple, and the city did not need the sun or the moon for light, since it was lit by the radiant glory of God and the Lamb was a lighted torch for it.



The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Alleluia, alleluia! All who love me will keep my words, and my Father will love them and we will come to them. **Alleluia, alleluia!**

A Reading from the holy Gospel according to John 14:23



Glory to You O Lord

Jesus said to his disciples: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him and make our home with him. Those who do not love me do not keep my words. And my word is not my own: it is the word of the one who sent me. I have said these things to you while still with you; but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all I have said to you. Peace I bequeath to you, my own peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. You heard me say: I am going away, and shall return. If you loved me you would have been glad to know that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. I have told you this now before it happens, so that when it does happen you may believe.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

■ WHAT'S HAPPENING!

Roster: new roster available in Holy Spirit Church.

Visit: of the relics of St. Louis de Montfort and the Statue of Our Lady of Fatima to St. Mary's Church, Jindera next Friday at the 9:20 am Mass; courtesy of the Legion of Mary.

Thurgoona Visitation: we pray and support the Legion visitation/census of the Thurgoona Parish this week - may it bear much fruit.

Saint Peg Workshop: Sat 8th June 2:30 pm Esencia for mums & daughters Year 6 up (Confirmation candidates) to craft a saint \$25 mums, \$20 daughter - all is supplied in two sessions. Contact Peta 0427254809

Latin Mass* E.F. on next Friday 5:30 pm & Saturday at 7 am at Holy Spirit Church.

Confirmation in the Parish for HS children on Saturday 15th at 6 pm Vigil Mass; other children on Sunday 16th June at 10 am Mass: please pray for the confirmands and their families.

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

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

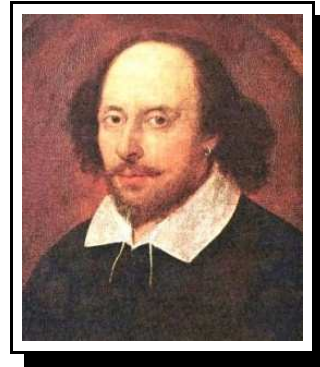
By The Book on 3/326 Griffith Rd. open Tues -Sat morning. A **large range** of Christian books available. Ideal present for everyone.

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

Accounting: *Suryan* Chandrasegaran of Albury Accounting Pty Ltd for all tax and accounting needs on 60412010

William Shakespeare 400th anniversary Who was he?



Author Joseph Pearce in his Quest for Shakespeare claims that he was a 'closet' Catholic. Claire Asquith in her book Shadowplay asserts likewise and that his work Hamlet is a parody of the political religious ethos of the day. Here are some facts of 16th century England.

1. The Protestant police of the state persecuted, fined and imprisoned Catholics who refused to attend the Anglican services [N.B. Attending Mass was illegal].
2. Catholics went underground. Shakespeare's parents were both Catholics. His mother, Mary Arden, was from a renowned Catholic family who suffered much for holding on to the faith.
3. Shakespeare's marriage was perhaps clandestine - for Catholic Weddings were illegal.
4. His children were baptized Catholic but registered in the normal manner (Anglican).
5. He purchased at some cost 'Blackfriars' a once Catholic residence which was known as a 'safehouse' for believers and clergy.
6. In his Will he left his estate to his daughter Susanna, a faithful Catholic.
7. Some Protestants claimed that it was well known that William Shakespeare died a 'papist' - that is, with the Last Rites.

Do not let your hearts be troubled ...

Let us trust in God lest we become fearful. Any and every form of trust implies a source of reliance or dependence. Children trust their parents. We only trust a person or institution that bears the hallmark of authentic authority. The greater the voice of authority the more likely one is to trust, listen and obey. Do people trust the Church today? Does the Church still have authority?

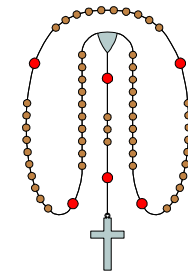
The historical foundations of the Church cannot be shaken nor moved. The Church today is the Church of the twelve Apostles, founded by Christ, who is its Head, guided by the Holy Spirit, who is its Heart, to praise and give glory to the Father, who is its Origin. Of all the thousands of communities that claim Christ to be their Lord, only one Church can claim to have an unbroken chain that links us to Jesus, the King of kings.

The more one studies Church history the more Catholic one becomes. When one probes the trials and tribulations of the Church over the centuries the greater one's conviction that this Church is not of human origin or design. So learn your history, steep yourself in the past, so as to be convinced of the future and be able to trust in God, and not be afraid.



Mary Had a Little Lamb

Mary had a little lamb, his fleece was white as snow.
And everywhere that Mary went, the lamb was sure to go.
He followed her to school each day, twasn't on the rule.
It made children laugh and play, to have a lamb at school.
And then the rules all changed one day & illegal it became
To bring the Lamb of God to school or to speak his Name.
Everyday got worse and worse & days turned into years.
Instead of hearing children laugh, we had gunshots & tears
What must we do to stop the crime that's in schools today
Let's allow the Lamb to return & teach our kids to pray.



Secret of the Rosary

by St Louis de Montfort

The short book discusses the views and power of the Rosary. It consists of a number of short sections each being one or two pages long. Each Rose discusses a separate viewpoint about the Rosary and may be addressed to a different section of the prayers said. Hence, although the book is highly readable and unassuming on the surface, it is based on a well structured "multi-perspective analysis" of the Rosary. The fifty three sections are intricately connected and clearly thought out. Hence the term "secret" is quite becoming, for the book reveals these interconnections in terms of a coherent theme. The book has been read by Catholics worldwide for over two centuries and continues to be a great spiritual resource.



KID'S HUMOUR

A little boy was playing in the back yard in the dirt and went inside to his mother and asked: "Who am I?" The mother, thinking it was a joke, replied: "I think you are Tarzan!" The boy shrugged his shoulders and said: "So he was right!"
"Who?" asked the mother. "The neighbour" said the boy. "He said that I was so dirty that not even my mother would recognize me!"