

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

Jindera: Sunday 9 am *1st Sunday 8 am Latin E.F.*

Weekday Mass Times: Lavington Jindera

Mon	26	St Mark	7 am	7 am
Tues	27	St Louis de Mont	7 & 9am	7 am
Wed	28	St Peter Chanel	7 & 9am	8.30am
Thurs	29	St Catherine	7 & 9am	8.30am
Frid*	30	Eastertide	7 & 9am	9:15am
Sat*	1	Eastertide	9:15 am	8 am

* Latin Mass E.F 5:30 pm on Friday, Saturday 7 am

Lavington: 25th April: Fourth Sunday of Easter

6 pm Lect: H.S.S Cant. B. Collins

8 am Lect: M. Fletcher Cant. Perrys

10am Lect: C. Tingle Cant. Choir

Cleaners: M. Katalinic & friends

Lavington: 2nd May: Fifth Sunday of Easter

6 pm Lect: Filipino Cant. A. Cramer

8 am Lect: M. Hensel Cant. L. Amarant

10am Lect: K. Boyer Cant. Choir

Cleaners: Tingle/Moriarty

Jindera: 25th April: Fourth Sunday of Easter

9 am Lect: C. Ryan Cant. Choir

Cleaners: Christensen, Ebert, Lee

Jindera: 2nd May: Fifth Sunday of Easter

9 am Lect: E. Simpson Cant. Choir

Cleaners: Murphy, Chandrasegaran, Clark

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

ST. VINCENT de PAUL alt. Monday 5.30 pm

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

LEGION of MARY - Tuesday 1pm, Wednesday 3:30 pm - lay missionaries.

MAJELLAN for MUMS - on Tuesdays 10.30

CATECHESIS of the Good Shepherd - Mondays contact Angela tel. 0427063934.

SACRAMENT PENANCE / CONFESSIONS

Saturday 8:20 - 9am, 5 - 6pm & 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, Annie Gosstray, Matt Kirwan, Jan Szakacs, Lorraine Mullavey, Greg Jackson, Pat McCormack, Linda Wilson, Margaret Smith, Joan Sattler, Marisa Bertazzo, Leo Sullivan, Clinton Northey, Frank Tynan, Grahame Miles, Kateri Byrnes, Des Ratcliffe, Jimmy Gavin, June Cox, Greg Wright, Carol Collins, Margaret Gawen, Helen Hurst, Norma Oates, Andrew Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, Sr. Frances Kennedy FCJ, Jackie Scull, Jovit Genato, Sime Ledenko, Barbara Skiba, Sheleagh Walker, Gary Harris, Matthew Mander, Anne Weisner, Suesanna Trevasakis, Owen Fallon, Jim Edmondson, Mary Cooper, Brian Cooper.

✠ **FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED** & *those whose anniversaries occur about now that they may be granted eternal peace, let us pray to the Lord* - Paul Fowles, Ros Rodrigues, Judy Dempsey, Kay Duel, Cathy Jones, Fr Mark Hagan, Patrick Lee, Myles Borg, Kazimierz Kaganowski, Gloria Thomas, Delma Kennedy, Fr Bernard O'Brien omi, Shirley Bevan.

✠ **ANNIVERSARIES:** Gerard Sullivan, Pearle Knoble, Cameron Thompson, Therese Penn, Frances Rohrich, Dren Pirstitz, Helaine Fitzpatrick, Fanny O'Grady, Phillip McFarlane, Eugene Dick, John Ries, Vider Mucchi, Claude Burke, Reg Kirley, Sheila Monahan, Milorad Vukovic, Joseph van der Linden, Bernard Brown, Moira O'Callaghan, Jim Franklin, Fanny O'Grady, Daryl Butler, Colleen O'Reilly, Barrie Hore, Geoff Milton, Joe Stephens, Irene Dale, Michael O'Callaghan, Arulsingam Chandrasegaran, Denis Ryan, Frances Woodland, Herbert Schneider, Hugo Barrett, Cyril Shenele, Lillian Dunn.



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25th April 2021 - Fourth Sunday of Easter



Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128.

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:8

Filled with the Holy Spirit, Peter said: 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy, here in your presence, today. This is the stone rejected by you the builders, but which has proved to be the keystone. For of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved.'

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone.

Second Reading: St John 3:1-2

Think of the love that the Father has lavished on us, by letting us be called God's children; and that is what we are. Because the world refused to acknowledge him, therefore it does not acknowledge us. My dear people, we are already the children of God but what we are to be in the future has not yet been revealed; all we know is, that when it is revealed we shall be like him because we shall see him as he really is.

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!**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 10:11-18



Jesus said: 'I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd is one who lays down his life for his sheep. The hired man, since he is not the shepherd and the sheep do not belong to him,

abandons the sheep and runs away as soon as he sees a wolf coming, and then the wolf attacks and scatters the sheep; this is because he is only a hired man and has no concern for the sheep. 'I am the good shepherd; I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father; and I lay down my life for my sheep. And there are other sheep I have that are not of this fold, and these I have to lead as well. They too will listen to my voice, and there will be only one flock, and one shepherd. 'The Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me; I lay it down of my own free will, and as it is in my power to lay it down, so it is in my power to take it up again; and this is the command I have been given by my Father.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



■ **WHAT'S HAPPENING!**

Together: newspaper - please take home.
Anzac Day: today we pray for those in the armed services; both the living and the dead and those in need of God's healing grace.
Good Shepherd Sunday: leaving collection for vocations this Sunday at the end of Mass.
CGS Atrium: open for viewing after 10 am Mass with morning tea.
Deb Ball: Info night for Catholics in Y11-12 from all schools in Sacred Heart Hall Tuesday 27th at 7:30 pm, contact Toerre 0428432732
Confirmation: by Bishop Mark on May 29-30 at Holy Spirit Church.
The Chosen: documentary series on the life of Christ on **Youtube** - its free & faithful!
Memorial Wall: at St Mary's Cemetery, Jindera, ideal location for one's beloved remains: inexpensive yet dignified place of rest for the **ashes**. It is a requirement of the Church that the remains are respectfully interred. Contact the parish for details.
Missions-Palms: for overseas missionaries work experience in Timor Leste, contact Kevin 02 95605333.
Esencia Cafe: open for business on Tuesday and Saturdays - great coffee & food.
Adoration Chapel: needs extra volunteers. Please be generous with your prayer-time, take up a Holy Hour once a week, tel. 0478416635.
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
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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
- ◆ Laity - God's flock.

N.B. Shepherds should tend their flocks.



Church Matters

Magisterium = Magister (Latin) is the teaching office of the Church.

The Pope, the Holy Father, is our teacher and spiritual guide.

The Church is our spiritual Mother to nurture us.



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.



Meeting God

Story found on the body of an American soldier during WWII

Look, God, I have never spoken to you; But now I want to ask you: "What should I do?" You see, God, they told me you didn't exist. And like a fool, I believed all of this. Last night from my bunker, I beheld your sky, I figured right then and there they had told me a lie. Had I taken the time to see the things you've made, I'd have known they weren't calling a spade a spade. I wonder, God, if you'd shake my hand? Somehow I feel you would understand; Funny I had to come to this hellish place before I had time to see you face to face. Well I guess there isn't much more to say. But I'm sure glad God that I met you today. I guess the zero-hour will soon be here, but I'm not afraid since you're so near. The signal! Well God, I'll have to go. Lord, I do love you - this I want you to know. Look now - this may be an ugly fight. Who knows I might even come to your place tonight! Though, I wasn't friendly with you before, I wonder, God, if you'd wait at your door. Look, I'm crying, me! Shedding tears! I wish I had known you all these years. Well, I have to go now God, so goodbye! Strange, now that I've met you I'm not afraid to die.

It is a good and noble act to pray for dead soldiers! Lest we forget them.

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STAFF MEETING

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!"

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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