

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Lavington: 6 pm Vigil, Sunday 8 am, 10 am  
Jindera: Sunday 9 am

Weekday Mass Times:		Lavington	Jindera
Mon	7	Weekday 7 am	7 am
Tues	8	St Josephine 7 am	7 am
Wed	9	Weekday 7 am	8:30 am
Thur	10	St Scholastica 7 am, 9 am	8:30 am
Frid*	11	O.L. Lourdes 7 am	9:15 am
Sat	12	Weekday 9:15 am	8 am

\* Latin Mass E.F Friday 5:30 pm Lavington

### Lavington: 5th Sunday Ord Time: 6th Feb 2022

6 pm Lect: Filipino Cant: Ann C  
8 am Lect: M. Fletcher Cant: L. Amarant  
10am Lect: P. Evans Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Tingle / Moriarty

### Lavington: 6th Sunday Ord Time: 13th Feb 2022

6 pm Lect: HS School Cant: Sr Scholastica  
8 am Lect: L. Mercieca Cant: Perry Ladies  
10am Lect: B. O'Brien Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Brosolo family

### Jindera: 6th Feb 2022: 5th Sunday Ord Time

9 am Lect: K. Murphy Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Ryan, Carcarello, Garratt

### Jindera: 13th Feb 2022: 6th Sunday Ord Time

9 am Lect: J. Richards Cant: Choir  
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

**ST. VINCENT de PAUL** alt. Monday 5 pm

**MOTHER'S GROUP** meets to pray on  
Wednesdays at 2 pm - Barb 0419617101.

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

**MAJELLAN for MUMS** - in recess

**CATECHESIS** of the Good Shepherd - Mondays  
contact Cathy or the parish.

**SACRAMENT PENANCE / CONFESSIONS**

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

## COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy,  
his wonders for the children of men, for  
he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the  
hungry he fills with good things.

✠ **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, Jan Szakacs, Jackson Davis, Lorraine Mullavey, Greg Jackson, Pat McCormack, Linda Wilson, Joan Sattler, Marisa Bertazzo, Tony Falk, Emma Meade, Rebecca Moriarty, Leo Sullivan, Elizabeth Young, Melissa Moodie, Marko Ledenko, Sime Ledenko, Elizabeth Ryan, Ruth Witteveen, Stephen Hitchings, Grahame Miles, Kateri Byrnes, Des Ratcliffe, Liam Scott, June Cox, Greg Wright, Carol Collins, Margaret Gawen, Helen Hurst, Norma Oates, Andrew Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, Sr. Frances Kennedy FCJ, Jackie Scull, Jovit Genato, Barbara Skiba, Sheleagh Walker, Gary Harris, Matthew Mander, Anne Weisner, Suesanna Trevaskis, David Williams, 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 - Bernie Weiss, Jean Willis, Margaret Smith, Bob Bakic, Lil Hancock, Wal Morrison, June Ward, Julius Lunanga, David Beale, Olga Gerathy, Grace Bowden, Fr. Jim Esler, Patricia Daniel, Margaret Rooney, Tina Egan, Tony MacLeod, Patrick Fallon, Margaret Galvin, Mary Hickey, Simun Kristo, John Keen, Fr Noel Oliver

✠ **ANNIVERSARIES:** Leonardo Juntong, Irene Thomas, Patrick Miller, Kazimierz Kaganowski, Percy Doyle, Kathleen Senczak, Ann Maree Percy, Mary Allen, Noreen Brooker, Julia Moir, Stephen Ratcliffe, Geoffrey Allen, Graeme Cruickshank, Rose Harbridge, Bob Cox, David Guy, Iva Mihajevic, Deidre Leddin, Joan Bruton, Marie Hanrahan, Francesco Bertazzo, Eileen Thomson, Geoffrey Allen, Reg Sparkes, Francizka Mastalerz, Esmá Newton, Betty Clarkson, Jack Sullivan, Mona Cook, George Trotter, Verna Joyce, Robert Hogg, Mary Riddington



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6th February 2022 - Fifth Sunday Ord Time



### Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128. First Reading: Isaiah 6: 1-8

In the year of King Uzziah's death I saw the Lord of Hosts seated on a high throne; his train filled the sanctuary; above him stood seraphs, each one with six wings. And they cried out to one another in this way, 'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts. His glory fills the whole earth.' The foundations of the threshold shook with the voice of the one who cried out, and the Temple was filled with smoke. I said: 'What a wretched state I am in! I am lost, for I am a man of unclean lips and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have looked at the King, the Lord of Hosts.' Then one of the seraphs flew to me, holding in his hand a live coal which he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. With this he touched my mouth and said: 'See now, this has touched your lips, your sin is taken away, your iniquity is purged.' Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying: 'Whom shall I send? Who will be our messenger?' I answered, 'Here I am, send me.'

**The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

**Responsorial Psalm:** In the sight of the angels I will sing your praises, Lord.

### Second Reading: 1st Corinthians 13:4-13

Brothers, I want to remind you of the gospel I preached to you, the gospel that you received and in which you are firmly established; because the gospel will save you only if you keep believing exactly what I preached to you - believing anything else will not lead to anything. Well then, in the first place, I taught you what I had been taught myself, namely that Christ died for our sins, in accordance with the scriptures; that he was buried; and that he was raised to life on the third day, in accordance with the scriptures; that he appeared first to Cephas and secondly to the Twelve. Next he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers at the same time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died; then he appeared to James, and then to all the apostles; and last of all he appeared to me too; it was as though I was born when no one expected it. I am the least of the apostles; in fact, since I persecuted the Church of

God, I hardly deserve the name apostle; but by God's grace that is what I am, and the grace that he gave me has not been fruitless. On the contrary, I, or rather the grace of God that is with me, have worked harder than any of the others; but what matters is that I preach what they preach, and this is what you all believed.

**The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!** Come follow me, says the Lord, and I will make you fishers of my people. **Alleluia, alleluia!**



### A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 5: 1-11.

**Glory to You O Lord**

Jesus was standing one day by the Lake of Gennesaret, with the crowd pressing round him listening to the word of God, when he caught sight of two boats close to the bank. The fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. He got into one of the boats - it was Simon's - and asked him to put out a little from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. When he had finished speaking he said to Simon, 'Put out into deep water and pay out your nets for a catch.' 'Master,' Simon replied, 'we worked hard all night long and caught nothing, but if you say so, I will pay out the nets.' And when they had done this they netted such a huge number of fish that their nets began to tear, so they signalled to their companions in the other boat to come and help them; when these came, they filled the two boats to sinking point. When Simon Peter saw this he fell at the knees of Jesus saying, 'Leave me, Lord; I am a sinful man.' For he and all his companions were completely overcome by the catch they had made; so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were Simon's partners. But Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on it is men you will catch.' Then, bringing their boats back to land, they left everything and followed him.

**The Gospel of the Lord.**

**Praise to You Lord Jesus Christ.**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING!

**Word of God Sunday:** the Word is God's Son who teaches us through the written word of Scripture and the magisterial teachings of the Church.

**Atrium:** Catechesis of the Good Shepherd begins on Monday 7th February: please contact Cathy or the parish.

**Day for the Sick:** we pray on Friday on the feast day of Lourdes for those who are sick in our community.

**Comitium:** of the Legion of Mary on Monday 14th at 4 pm in Meeting Room.

**Tonga Appeal:** emergency response via Caritas; visit caritas website or call 1800024413.

**Hospital Visitation:** anyone who would like a priest to visit a family member in Hospital, at any time, please contact the parish directly

**Covid Restrictions:** NSW Government rules on the website. Pray for those who are sick in our community.

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

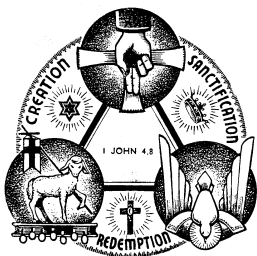
**By The Book** on 3/326 Griffith Rd. open Tues-Sat morning. A **large range** of Christian books available. Ideal present for everyone.

**Dawsos** for all electrical needs; Electrical Contracting, tel. Daniel 0438732976.

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

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

**Planned Giving:** Direct Deposit to Hume Bank BSB 640000. 1st Collection: Holy Spirit Presbytery 111031654. 2nd Collection: Holy Spirit Parish 111056699.



## Leave me Lord...I am a sinful man!

Before divinity we are all sinners. When confronted with holiness we are all guilty. Only after Simon had learnt the hard lesson of humility was he able to follow the Lord. Being humble means to be aware of who you really are as contrasted to who you think you are or would like to be. Our perceived place or status is often not aligned with the divine Will. This early miracle clearly manifested to Simon and the others the authority and power of the Lord Jesus which enabled them to take a reality check on who they were in his presence. Later, Simon when appointed as the first pope would have his name changed to Rock or Cephas (in English Peter). Note in the first reading that St Paul reminds us that the risen Lord first appeared to Cephas or St Peter, then the other apostles and later 500 others. Pope Peter, thus, after St Mary Magdalen was the first witness among the apostles. His papal authority, as visible head of the early Church was built upon his testimony or witness to Christ risen. He would teach or preach only those truths that Christ had entrusted to him.

## What matters is that I preach what they preach!

The greatest evangelizer, Saint Paul never physically met the Lord. He did spiritually encounter him, as we can in prayer, yet he claims equal authority with the apostles who had followed Christ and witnessed to his miracles. How is that possible? The spiritual trumps the physical. His spiritually intimacy was far greater than any physical discipleship. All that matters is that I preach what they (apostles) preach.

Yet today we find some members of the Church claim an authority they do not have and do not preach what the Church teaches. This dilemma of doctrinal pluralism is over fifty years old. After the Second Vatican Council dissident voices claimed to speak in the 'spirit' of the Council about how this has changed and now we don't believe that... So Saint Pope Paul VI issued a document called Credo on what we do believe and then to stem

the flow of dissent invoked a Synod on Catechetics in 1977. After which, his successor Saint John Paul II wrote Catechesi Tradendae, clearly stipulating regarding each dissident that: "He will not try to inculcate his personal opinions and options as if they expressed Christ's teaching..." no.6



## FAMILY HUMOUR

A woman in a supermarket was following a grandfather and his poorly behaved grandson. He had his hands full with the child screaming for lollies and biscuits. The grandpa said in a controlled voice: "Easy, William, we won't be long... easy, boy." The boy had another tantrum and the grandpa calmly said: "It's ok, William. Just a few more minutes and we'll be out of here." At the checkout the little horror was throwing items out of the shopping cart. The woman said: "It's really none of my business, but I have to compliment you. I don't know how you do it. The whole time you have kept your composure. "William is very lucky to have you as his grandpa." "Thanks lady," said the grandpa. "But I am William. The kid's name is Kelvin."

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## FIND THE WORD:

Pope, Hosts, Paul, Simon, Sancta, Chaste, Uzziah, Peter, Catholic, Church, Nuns, Vows, Lourdes, Twelve, Preach

## Our Lady of Lourdes

is a Shrine in France that has been visited by millions... where many are healed and helped.

Our Lady of Lourdes appeared to Saint Bernadette from February 11 to July 16, 1858. As we consider the apparitions, we realize that the first three apparitions were like an introduction. The first three visits deal with faith, hope and charity. That is our invitation also as we say the first three "Hail Marys" in the Rosary. At the third apparition Our Lady answered: "Would you do me the favor of coming here for fifteen days? In that way you will know who I am." Only after Bernadette began the recitation of the Rosary that Mary appeared. Lourdes is the land of the Rosary. It is by means of the Rosary that we learn what heaven wants us to do and how we can best help the sick.



## Always ask... never assume!

His request approved to survey the recent fires, the SBS News photographer quickly used a mobile to call the local airport to charter a flight. He was told a twin-engine plane would be waiting for him at the airport. Arriving at the airfield, he spotted a plane warming up outside a hanger. He jumped in with his bag, slammed the door shut, and shouted, 'Let's go!'. The pilot taxied out, swung the plane into the wind and took off. Once in the air, the photographer instructed the pilot, 'Fly over the valley and make low passes so I can take pictures of the fires on the hillsides.' 'Why?' asked the pilot. 'Because that's my job', he responded, 'and I need to get some close up shots.' The pilot was strangely silent for a moment, finally he stammered, 'So, what you're telling me, is . . . You are NOT my Flight Instructor.'