

## SUNDAY MASS TIMES

**Lavington: 6 pm Vigil, Sunday 8 am, 10 am**

**Jindera: Sunday 9 am**

<i>Weekday Mass Times:</i>	<i>Lavington</i>	<i>Jindera</i>
Mon 16 Weekday	7 am	No Mass
Tues 17 St. Anthony	7 am	No Mass
Wed 18 Weekday	7 am	No Mass
Thur 19 Weekday	7 & 9 am	No Mass
Frid* 20 St. Sebastian	7 am	9:15 am
Sat 21 St. Agnes	9:15 am	No Mass

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

### Lavington: 15th January 2023 - Second Sunday

6 pm Lect: M. Moriarty Cant: M. Brosolo  
8 am Lect: L. Amarant Cant: L. Amarant  
10am Lect: P. Evans Cant: Richards Choir  
Cleaners: Tingle / Moriarty

### Lavington: 22nd January 2023 - Third Sunday

6 pm Lect: M. Brosolo Cant: B. Collins  
8 am Lect: M. Fletcher Cant: L. Amarant  
10am Lect: B. O'Brien Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Brosolo family

### Jindera: 15th January 2023 - Second Sunday

9 am Lect: J. Wright Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Wright / Price

### Jindera: 22nd January 2023 - Third Sunday

9 am Lect: Paul Voskullen Cant: Choir  
Cleaners: Simpson / Lee

### 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 1st & 3rd Mondays 5pm

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

**LEGION of MARY** - two groups: Tuesday 1pm and Wednesday 3:30 pm - lay missionaries.

**MAJELLAN for MUMS** - on Tuesday morning 10:45-12pm during school term.

**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

You have prepared a table for me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.

♦ **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, Jason Price, Jan Szakacs, Lorraine Mullavey, Anne Jones, Greg Jackson, Pat McCormack, Linda Wilson, John Fagan, Joan Sattler, Natasha Faanunu, Cosmas Darlow, Gary Cook, Fr. Reece Beltrame, Marisa Bertazzo, Alex Firmager, Max Hausler, Emma Meade, Ivan & Pat Hickman, Rebecca Moriarty, Leo Sullivan, Dot Higgins, Ray Byrnes, Sr. Stephen, Sr. Scholastica, Elizabeth Young, Melissa Moodie, Marko Ledenko, Sime Ledenko, Ruth Witteveen, Mrs Sobani, Stephen Hitchings, Grahame Miles, Liam Scott, Greg Wright, Carol Collins, Margaret Gawen, Helen Hurst, Norma Oates, Andrew Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, Sr. Frances Kennedy FCJ, Tracy Carter, Jovit Genato, Sheleagh Walker, Gary Harris, Matthew Mander, Anne Weisner, Suesanna Trevaskis, David Williams, Jim Edmondson, Mary Cooper, Brian Cooper.

♦ **FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED** *that they may be granted eternal peace, let us pray to the Lord* - Cardinal George Pell, Jed Oftana, Annie Trezise, Pope Benedict, June Cox, Fr. Andre Nahhas, Sr. Augustine, Sr. Macrina rsm, Greg Fraser, Mathys Joordens, Ron Low, June Kennedy, Margaret Scherleitner, John Quinn, Marie Lynch, Patricia Cooper

♦ **ANNIVERSARIES:** Kathryn Telford, Elizabeth Petrie, Emilio Lorenzo, Maria Le Compte, Harry Gordon, June Scott, Mato Marinovic, Jade Milsome, Polly Schneider, Nicholas Mullavey, Ian Miller, George Trotter, Lynette Haynes, Aldo Gamba, Winifred Collins, Val Harloff, Margaret Powling, William Clover, Betty Scott, Derek O'Brien, Kerry Bryan, Bill Cromarty, Wayne Muggleton, Bob Bakic, Sr. Monica, Bernard Rhynchart, Ethel Scammell, John Clancy, Elsie McDonald, Alexander Gale, Edmund Fritzowski



## Holy Spirit Parish, Lavington

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**15th January 2023 - Second Sunday (A)**



**Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128.**

### First Reading: Isaiah 49: 3, 5-6

The Lord said to me, 'You are my servant Israel in whom I shall be glorified'; I was honoured in the eyes of the Lord, my God was my strength. And now the Lord has spoken, he who formed me in the womb to be his servant, to bring Jacob back to him, to gather Israel to him: 'It is not enough for you to be my servant, to restore the tribes of Jacob and bring back the survivors of Israel; I will make you the light of the nations so that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth'.

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

**Responsorial Psalm:** Here I am Lord, I come to do your will.

### Second Reading: 1st Corinthians 1: 1-3

I, Paul, appointed by God to be an apostle, together with brother Sosthenes, send greetings to the church of God in Corinth, to the holy people of Jesus Christ, who are called to take their place among all the saints everywhere who pray to our Lord Jesus Christ; for he is their Lord no less than ours. May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you grace and peace.

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

**Alleluia, alleluia!** The Word of God became flesh and dwelt among us. He enabled those who accepted him to become the children of God. **Alleluia**



**A Reading from the holy Gospel according to John 1: 29-34**  
**Glory to you O Lord**

Seeing Jesus coming towards him, John said, 'Look, there is the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world. This is the one I spoke of when I said: A man is coming after me who ranks before me because he existed before me. I did not know him myself, and yet it was to reveal him to Israel that I came baptising with water.' John also declared, 'I saw the Spirit coming down on him from heaven like a dove and resting on him. I did not know him myself, but he who sent me to baptise with water had said to me, "The man on whom you see the Spirit come down and rest is the one who is going to baptise with the Holy Spirit". Yes, I have seen and I am the witness that he is the Chosen One of God.'

**The Gospel of the Lord.**

**Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.**

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

**Holidays:** clergy on holidays so fewer Masses.

**Wanted:** *House to Rent* for a young family with child. Contact James: 0431281256

**Concert:** *Irish Traditional Music* at the Jindera Theatre Hall, by JP Sweeney & Jodie Moran, 23rd, 24th Jan. at 8 pm; tickets at door.

**St. Pat's Aged Care:** 2 bdrm unit available, central Albury, excellent condition, new carpet, \$310,000 contact Susan BUR Real Estate 0407061058.

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

**Missions Palms:** be a mentor, share your skills and experience (e.g. Agric. Health, Education, Admin) overseas in Africa, Asia, Pacific Islands, tel. Kevin 95605333; www.palms.

**New Catholic TV Website:** free resource for all the family: <https://romansky.tv/> check it out during the **holidays!**

**Holy Face Devotions:** St. Mary's Jindera on Tuesdays at 3:25 pm

**Memorial Wall:** *St. Mary's Cemetery*, Jindera - ideal place to intern one's beloved ashes in a respectful yet inexpensive manner.

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

**Sacramental Candles:** ideal as special gifts, check out the website: [sacredcandles.com.au](http://sacredcandles.com.au) tel. 0403619044

**By The Book** on 3/326 Griffith Rd. open Tues-Sat morning. A **large range** of books. Ideal present for everyone; tel. 60253132.

**Jindera Storage Sheds:** spaces available. Contact Ian Ritchie Real Estate 60259260.

**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.

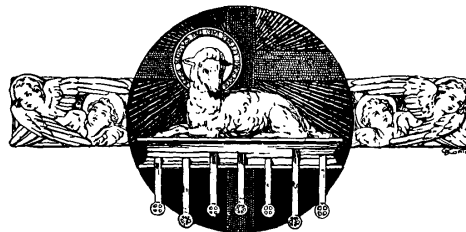
**Planned Giving:** Direct Deposit to Hume Bank BSB 640000. 1st Collection: Holy Spirit Presbytery 111031654. 2nd Collection: Holy Spirit Parish 111056699.

## Jesus = Lamb of God means VICTIM and which means HOSTIA = HOST

*Then I saw a LAMB looking as if it had been slain, standing at the centre of the throne, encircled by the four living creatures and elders.*

Revelation 5:6

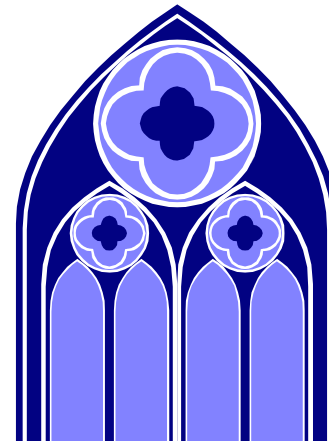
## BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD WHO TAKES AWAY



## THE SINS OF THE WORLD

Saint John reminds us that Christ is the ultimate sacrificial lamb that concluded the Old Covenant.

Now that God's divine Son has shed his precious blood on the Cross of Calvary we are blessed to possess the greatest Sacrifice and act of love the world has ever seen. No wonder Catholics have treasured the Mass - the re-presentation of Calvary in time and space forever and ever.



## HEAVEN'S GROCERY STORE

I was walking down life's highway a long time ago  
One day I saw a sign that read "Heaven's Grocery Store"

As I got a little closer, the door came open wide  
And when I came to myself, I was standing inside.

I saw a host of angels; they were standing everywhere.  
One handed me a basket and said: 'My child, shop with care'  
Everything a Christian needed was in that Special Store.

And what you couldn't carry was left upon the floor.

First I took some patience, love was in the same row.

Further on was understanding, needed everywhere you go

I found a box of wisdom and a bag or two of faith

I couldn't forget joy for it was all over the place

I stopped for some strength & courage to help me in the race.

My basket was becoming full, yet I needed some peace

I can't forget the key to salvation for it's free

So I took two one for both you and me.

Then I went to the counter to pay the special bill

For I thought I had everything to do my Lord's Will

Going up the aisle I saw prayer and just had to put some in

For I knew that when I stepped outside, I would run into sin

Knowledge and Kindness were plentiful on the last shelf

Actual graces were hanging near, so I helped myself

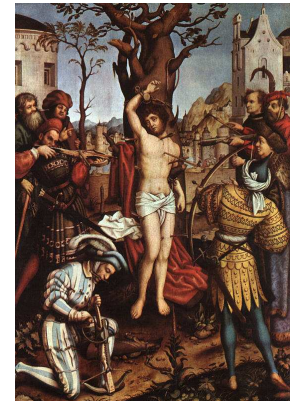
Then I said to the Angel: 'Now how much do I owe?'

He just smiled and said: 'Just take them everywhere you go'

Again, I said: 'How much do I really owe?'

He smiled and said: 'Child, He paid the debt, a long time ago!'

## SAINT SEBASTIAN



the Martyr was buried in Rome along the Appian Way, where the basilica bearing his name now stands.

Sebastian was a young nobleman who commanded a company of the Praetorian Guards, the special bodyguard of Roman emperors. His

Christianity was discovered when, during the persecution, he encouraged two of his fellow officers to die rather than renounce their religion. Informed of this, Emperor Diocletian commanded Sebastian to offer sacrifice to the pagan gods, but he refused. He was then bound to a stake and shot by archers. Finding him half dead, Irene, a widow nursed him back to health. Sebastian was now determined to declare his faith openly. When he saw the emperor, he fearlessly rebuked him for persecuting the Christians. Startled by Sebastian's appearance, the emperor ordered him to be seized and beaten to death with clubs and his body thrown into the sewers.

The traditional date of martyrdom is 287.

## WEDDING HUMOUR

During the wedding ceremony, the minister asked if anyone had any reason why this couple should not be united as husband and wife. It was the last time before the vows that one could talk or forever hold their peace. The moment of utter silence was broken when a young beautiful woman carrying a child started to walk towards the altar. Everything suddenly turned to chaos. The bride slapped the groom, The groom's mother fainted. The groomsmen started to take sides. The minister asked the young woman: "Can you tell us why you came forward? What do you have to say?" The woman replied: "I can't hear in the back!"