SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Lavington: 6 pm Vigil, Sunday 8 am, 10 am Jindera: Sunday 9 am						
Week	eday Mass Times:	Lavington	Jindera			
Mon 3	St. Thomas	7 am	7 am			
Tues 4	St. Elizabeth	7 am	7 am			
Wed 5	St. Anthony Z	7 am	7 am 8:30 am			
Thur 6	St. Maria Goretti	7 & 9 am	8:30 am			
Frid* 7	Weekday	7 am	9:15 am			
Sat 8	Weekday	9:15 am	8 am			
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Lavington: 2nd July 2023	- 13th Sunday O.T
6 pm Lect: Filipino	Cant: Anne C.
8 am Lect: R. Scott	Cant: L. Amarant
10amLect: K. Boyer	Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Murphy family	
Lavington:9th July 2023 -	 14th Sunday O.T
6 pm Lect: M. Brosolo	Cant: B. Collins
8 am Lect: M. Fletcher	Cant: L. Amarant
10amLect: P. Evans	Cant: Green Choir
Cleaners: Boyer family	

Jindera: 2nd July 2023 -	13th Sunday O.T				
9 am Lect: H. Taylor	Cant: Choir				
Cleaners: Clark / O'Hea					
Jindera: 9th July 2023 -	14th Sunday O.T				
9 am Lect: J. Richards	Cant: Choir				
Cleaners: Shaw & Green					

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 Monday 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.

<u>COMMUNION ANTIPHON</u> Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all within me, his holy name.

• 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, Anthony Green, Kerry Kirley, Jan Szakacs, Lorraine Mullavey, Anne Jones, Greg Jackson, Pat McCormack, Rodney Blatchford, Frances Blatchford, Natasha Faanunu, Garv Cook, Fr. Reece Beltrame, Emma Meade, Sr. Janice, Leo Sullivan, Fr. Terence Mahedy, Fr. Gerald Quinn, Ray Byrnes, Kathleen Horsfall, Sr. Stephen, Elizabeth Young, Melissa Moodie, Marko Ledenko, Sime Ledenko, Ruth Witteveen, Mrs Sobani, Stephen Hitchings, Grahame Miles, Liam Scott, Greg Wright, Carol Collins, Margaret Gawen, Norma Oates, Andrew Rvan, Jeffrev Dean, Sr. Frances Kennedy FCJ, Tracy Carter, Jovit Genato, Sheleagh Walker, Gary Harris, Matthew Mander, Anne Weisner, Suesanne 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 for - George Dosenko, Doug Rolls, Rod Taylor, Debbie Davis, Ray Gabriel, Pauline Murphy, Marie Fury, Betty Clancy, Felicisima Toledo, Brian Heath, Maree Heath, Joseph Ratcliffe, Marisa Bertazzo, Joan Sattler, Joel Juntong, Mary Keane, John Sandral, Dot Higgins, Ivan Hickman, Max Hausler, John Fagan

• ANNIVERSARIES: Belen Lorenzo, Ryan Lorenzo, Frank Gaynor, Clyde Munk, James Dynan, Des Thistleton, Carmel O'Keeffe, Mary Bulman, Lionel West, Pat Plunkett, Val Leyden, Dorothy Triffitt, John Strauss, Bill Box, Ronald Purtell, Kelvin Hagerty, Ross Lighton, Walter Higginson, Stephen Booth, Daphne Lee, Braedon Hensel, Kathleen Thistleton, Barrie Pascoe, Norma McCormack, John Riley, Leonard Cassidy, Kathleen McFarlane, Ross Lighton, Bruce Hill, Frank Fiske, John Cresser, Wardieh Tamer, Yvonne Henderson, Audrey Westall



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2nd July 2023 - Thirteenth Sunday (A)

Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128. First Reading: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 13-16

One day as Elisha was on his way to Shunem, a woman of rank who lived there pressed him to stay and eat there. After this he always broke his journey for a meal when he passed that way. She said to her husband, 'Look, I am sure the man who is constantly passing our

way must be a holy man of God. Let us build him a small room on the roof, and put him a bed in it, and a table and chair and lamp; whenever he comes to us he can rest there.' One day when he came,

he retired to the upper room and lay down. He said to his servant Gehazi, 'Call our Shunammitess. Tell her this: "Look, you have gone to all this trouble for us, what can we do for you? Is there anything you would like said for you to the king or to the commander of the army?" But she replied, 'I live with my own people about me.' 'What can be done for her then?' he asked. Gehazi answered, 'Well, she has no son and her husband is old.' Elisha said, 'Call her.' The servant called her and she stood at the door. This time next year,' he said 'you will hold a son in your arms.' **The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.**

Responsorial Psalm 88

For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord. **Second Reading: Romans 6:3-4, 8-11**

When we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father's glory, we too might live a new life. But we believe that having died with Christ we shall return to life with him: Christ, as we know, having been raised from the dead will never die again. Death has no power over him any more. When he died, he died, once for all, to sin, so his life now is life with God; and in that way, you too must consider yourselves to be dead to sin but alive for God in Christ Jesus. **The Word of the Lord.** *Thanks be to God.*



Alleluia, alleluia: You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy people. Praise God who call you out of darkness and into his marvellous light. **Alleluia, alleluia.**

A Reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 10:37-42 *Glory to you O Lord.*



Jesus instructed the Twelve as follows: 'Anyone who prefers father or mother to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who prefers son or daughter to me is not worthy of me. Anyone who does not take his cross and follow in my footsteps is not worthy of me. Anyone who finds his life will lose it; anyone who loses his life for my sake will find it. 'Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those who welcome me welcome the one who sent me. 'Anyone who welcomes a prophet will have a prophet's reward; and anyone who welcomes a holy man will have a holy man's reward. 'If anyone gives so much as a cup of cold water to one of these little ones because he is a disciple, then I tell you solemnly, he will most certainly not lose his reward.'

The Gospel of the Lord. *Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.*

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Peter's Pence: special collection at the door this weekend for the Holv See.

Envelopes: available for the Church Collection. any new givers would be most welcome.

Winter Appeal: St. Vincent de Paul, to assist the poor in the region: envelopes at door & box. H.Sp. Deb Ball: all are invited to join a table for a grand night & pro-life fundraiser Sat 8th July; bookings: www.trybooking.com/CIBJJ.

Sound of Freedom: new film against child trafficking with Jim Caviezel, contact the Regent Cinema for public viewing.

Lost & Found: box at Church entrance: clothes, toys, etc. collect now or Vinnies tomorrow!

Palms Mission: professional trades wanted in Africa, Asia, Pacific - 35 positions available for generous workers, 0295605333. see the website. Memorial Wall: at St Mary's Cemetery, Jindera, ideal location for one's beloved remains: inexpensive vet 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.

Christian Counsellor: local Natalie Sobolewski 0448758294, natsob45@gmail.com

Natural Family Planning: easy to learn with a friendly tutor via zoom; www.billings.life CleanHeartOnline: to assist families for tech.

addiction: https://eanheart.online/resources. Dawsos 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 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.

What is the Church?

The Church is the Kingdom of God. Its perfection awaits us in heaven as the eternal Jerusalem.



Which Church did **Jesus establish?**

Christ is the Head of His Body, the Catholic Church, which has four hall marks or characteristics. We profess in the Creed these 4 marks: the Church is one, holy, catholic & apostolic.

• **One:** the unicity or oneness of the Church refers to <u>unity</u> in (a) doctrine, (b) government - one Pope, (c) worship - one Mass. [Until the Protestant reformation in the 16th century there was only one Christian Church and one Bible.]

• **Holy:** the Church's goal is to form future saints, or holy ones, for heaven. Sanctity or holiness requires grace and the seven channels of divine grace are the seven Sacraments.

• **Catholic:** the Church is *catholic* which is Greek for universal. As membership, via Baptism, is open to all, irrespective of age, gender or nationality.

• Apostolic: the Church is apostolic in 2 ways: (a) by origin: founded on the twelve apostles & (b) by manner: it is on the mission, striving to save souls.

Peace on earth is our goal but its perfection awaits us in heaven. What we can achieve here is peace of soul. This inner peace comes from Christ alone. At Mass we hear: I leave you peace, my peace I give you. Look not on our sins, but on the faith of your Church, and grant us the peace and unity of your kingdom where you live for ever and ever.

We can claim that peace of soul as ours when we are one with the faith of the Church.



St Maria Goretti

(1890-1902) was the third of seven children of a poor family in Italy who shared a house with another family who had two sons, one was Alessandro. Maria's father died

when she was ten.

Alessandro was besotted with Maria's beauty and sought to seduce her. When she refused, in blind rage, he stabbed her fourteen times. Before her death a day later, she forgave him. He was sentenced to thirty years in jail, and for the first seven was unrepentant and bitter. After Maria appeared to him in a dream, he changed and was a model prisoner for twenty

years. Maria was canonized in 1950. Alessandro died in 1970 after entering a monastery.

PETER'S PENCE - WHERE DOES IT GO? Normally Peter's Pence - special collection - amounts globally to \$100 million. The money is given to people in need.



TAKE TIME

Take time to THINK... it is the source of power. Take time to PLAY... it is the secret of youth. Take time to READ... it is the fountain of wisdom. Take time to LAUGH... it is music of the soul. Take time to GIVE... it fends of selfishness. Take time to WORK... it is the source of success. Take time to LOVE... so you become beloved. Take time to do CHARITY... it is the **key** to heaven.

BULLETIN BLOOPERS

+Ladies, don't forget the white elephant sale. It's a chance to get rid of those things not worth keeping around the house. Bring your husbands.

Don't let worry kill you off - let the Church help.

At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be 'What Is Hell?' Come early and listen to our choir practice.

