

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 14 St Maximilian	7 am	7 am
Tues 15 Assumption	7, 9:15 am, 5:30	7 am, 12
Wed 16 St Stephen	7 am	8:30 am
Thur 17 Weekday	7& 9 am	8:30 am
Frid* 18 Weekday	7 am	9:15 am
Sat 19 St John Eudes	9:15 am	8 am

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

Lavington: 13th August 2023 - 19th Sunday

6 pm Lect: V. Mertens Cant: B. Collins
8 am Lect: M. Fletcher Cant: L. Amarant
10am Lect: K. Boyer Cant: Green Choir
Cleaners: Tingle / Moriarty

Lavington: 20th August 2023 - 20th Sunday

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

Jindera: 13th August 2023 - 19th Sunday

9 am Lect: P. Elias Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Wright / Price

Jindera: 20th August 2023 - 20th Sunday

9 am Lect: C / L Gillespie 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 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.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord, who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

♦ **FOR THE SICK** *that they may be comforted and helped by God's healing power, let us pray to the Lord* - Lisa Chandra, Annie Gosstray, Kaye Hallcroft, Pat Murray, Anthony Green, Kerry Kirley, Jan Szakacs, Lorraine Mullavey, Anne Jones, Greg Jackson, Sean Morgan, Pat McCormack, Rodney Blatchford, Frances Blatchford, Natasha Faanunu, Gary Cook, Fr. Reece Beltrame, Emma Meade, Sr. Janice, Leo Sullivan, Fr. Gerald Quinn, Ray Byrnes, 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 Ryan, Jeffrey Dean, 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* - Morna Faehrmann, Kathleen Moore, James Firmager, John Cooper, Fr Terence Mahedy, Sharon Hague, Fr Ron Donoghue, Anne Smith, Harold Black, Jim Lee, Jan Brunner, George Dosenko, Margaret Hunt, Doug Rolls, Rod Taylor, Debbie Davis, Ray Gabriel, Pauline Murphy, Marie Fury, Betty Clancy, Felicisima Toledo, Brian Heath, Maree Heath, Joseph Ratcliffe, Marisa Bertazzo

• **ANNIVERSARIES:** John Matthews, Eileen Mitchell, Sr. Margaret Watson, Sr. Ellen Quinn, Bob Barclay, David Crowe, Joseph Boyer, Edith Ballardini, Richard Bulman, Hans Peter Bobisch, Lawrence Daley, Fiorina Di Bisceglie, Letita Minogue, Alberto Gonzalez, Jan Dutkowski, Iris O'Brien, Michael Mullins, Anna Linde, John Flynn, Piert Pizzolato, Robert Allen, Pietro Priori, Archibald Kelly, Denis Kane, Siobhan Harte, Dorothy Thompson, Frank DeFazio, Flora Conchita, Sr Mavis Hanlon, Nils Sheridan



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13th August 2023 - Nineteenth Sunday (A)

Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128.

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:9-13

When Elijah reached Horeb, the mountain of God, he went into the cave and spent the night in it. Then he was told, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord.' Then the Lord himself went by. There came a mighty wind, so strong it tore the mountains and shattered the rocks before the Lord. But the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind came an earthquake. But the Lord was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake came a fire. But the Lord was not in the fire. And after the fire there came the sound of a gentle breeze. And when Elijah heard this, he covered his face with his cloak and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave.

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

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, show us your mercy and love and grant us your salvation.

Second Reading: Romans 9:1-5

What I want to say is no pretence; I say it in union with Christ - it is the truth - my **conscience** in union with the Holy Spirit assures me of it too. What I want to say is this: my sorrow is so great, my mental anguish so endless, I would willingly be condemned and be cut off from Christ if it could help my brothers of Israel, my own flesh and blood. They were adopted as sons, they were given the glory and the covenants; the Law and the ritual were drawn up for them, and the promises were made to them. They are descended from the patriarchs and from their flesh and blood came Christ who is above all, God for ever blessed! Amen.

The Word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God*
Alleluia, alleluia! I hope in the Lord, I trust in his word. **Alleluia!**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 14:22-33

Jesus made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side while he would send the crowds away.

After sending the crowds away he went up into the hills by himself to pray. When evening

came, he was there alone, while the boat, by now far out on the lake, was battling with a heavy sea, for there was a head-wind. In the fourth watch of the night he went towards them, walking on the lake, and when the disciples saw him walking on the lake they were terrified. 'It is a ghost' they said, and cried out in fear. But at once Jesus called out to them, saying, 'Courage! It is I! Do not be afraid.' It was Peter who answered. 'Lord,' he said 'if it is you, tell me to come to you across the water.' 'Come' said Jesus. Then Peter got out of the boat and started walking towards Jesus across the water, but as soon as he felt the force of the wind, he took fright and began to sink. 'Lord! Save me!' he cried. Jesus put out his hand at once and held him. 'Man of little faith,' he said 'why did you doubt?' And as they got into the boat the wind dropped. The men in the boat bowed down before him and said, 'Truly, you are the Son of God.' **The Gospel of the Lord.**

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Assumption: Holy Day in honour of the Blessed Virgin Mary on Tuesday - one is obliged to attend Mass: *Lavington:* 7am, 9:15am HSS, 5:30pm; *Jindera:* 7 am & 12 noon.

Requiem Mass: Fr Terence Mahedy at Culcairn 24th Aug 12 noon; Memorial Mass Holbrook 21st Aug. 5:30 pm - may he rest in peace.

Hospital Visitation: if someone is sick or in need ask one of the priests to visit.

Ordination: of Deacon Michael Perry to the priesthood on Sat 13th Oct at Cathedral.

Piano Lessons: by Lucy Triffett, experienced, gentle, nurturing approach in Nth Albury or can travel to you tel. 0493576822.

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 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.

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://cleanheart.online/resources>.

Dawsons 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.

GODLY RECOGNITION

To recognise someone is to re-know them. For the word cognition means to know. Sometimes we are unaware of the presence of someone, we fail to recognise them because their appearance has changed. Sometimes we ourselves hide our appearance so that we are not recognised. Jesus hid his divine Nature or Godhead behind his humanity. Do you always recognise his Presence in your life?

ASSUMPTION of the BVM

We believe that Mary at the end of her earthly life was assumed body & soul into heaven. This teaching can be traced back to the sixth century - although the idea was implicit in earlier writers when they spoke of Mary's immunity from sin. The Eastern Emperor Mauritius (582-602) introduced the feast of the Koimesis (Falling Asleep) of the Virgin and ordered its celebration annually throughout the Byzantine Empire on August 15. In the West, the earliest extant testimony is the statement of Gregory of Tours (d. 596), that "The Lord commanded the holy body [of Mary after her death] to be borne on a cloud to Paradise, where, reunited to its soul, and rejoicing with the elect, it enjoys the never ending happiness of eternity." In recent times, Pope Pius XII taught the Dogma of the Assumption in 1950.

• WHY was Our Lady ASSUMED? *Here are 3 reasons*

1. Since the dissolution of the body is a result of sin, and Mary was sinless, she must have been exempt from the corruption of the grave.
2. She was the Mother of God. So that as Christ's body took its existence from her body she shared in His bodily glorification.

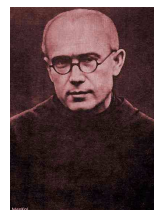
3. As Christ's mother she was involved in his redemption of the world. She took a most active part in all that he did on earth and thus deserved, as no one else, to share in the full fruits of the redemption, which consists in the glorification of soul as well as body.



Saint Maximilian Kolbe

A saint for difficult times!
Witnessed to love and life where there was only hate and evil at a Nazi Prison Camp during WW II.

His feast day is August 14th - the day before the Assumption.



MEMORANDUM

Learn to write your hurts in the sand and to carve your benefits in stone. When somebody hurts us we should write it down in sand, where winds of forgiveness can erase it away. But when somebody does you some good engrave it in stone where no wind can ever erase it. They say, 'It takes a minute to find a special person, an hour to appreciate them, a day to love them, but then an entire life to forget them.' So do not value **THINGS** you have in your life, but value **WHO** you have in your life!



High Humour

- ☆ We don't change the message - the message changes us.
- ☆ The task ahead of us is never as great as the Power behind us.
- ☆ The Will of God never takes you to where the grace of God will not protect you.
- ☆ Best maths equation: 1 cross + 3 nails = 4 given.

FIND THE WORD PUZZLE

Prayer, Adore, Worship, Assumption, Mary, Dogma, Doctrine, Commandments Discipline, Sacrament, Church, Holy, Catholic, Francis, Luke

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