

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

	<i>Weekday Mass Times:</i>	Lavington	Jindera
Mon 2	Guardian Angels	7 am	8 am
Tues 3	Weekday	7 am	7 am
Wed 4	St Francis	7 am	8:30 am
Thur 5	St Faustina	7 am	8:30 am
Frid* 6	St Bruno	7 am	9:15 am
Sat 7	O. L. Rosary	7 am	cancelled

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

Lavington: 1st October 2023 - 26th Sunday

6 pm Lect: Filipino Cant: Anne Cramer
8 am Lect: R. Scott Cant: L. Amarant
10amLect: P. Evans Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Clergy

Lavington: 8th October 2023 - 27th Sunday

6 pm Lect: M. Brosolo Cant: B. Collins
8 am Lect: Volunteer Cant: Wall family
10amLect: B. O'Brien Cant: Green Choir
Cleaners: O'Brien family

Jindera: 1st October 2023 - 26th Sunday

9 am Lect: K. Williams Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Blood / Carcarello

Jindera: 8th October 2023 - 27th Sunday

9 am Lect: D. Moore Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Voskullen / Griffin

ADORATION / NOVENA

- 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

Remember your word to your servant, O Lord,
by which you have given me hope. This is my
comfort when I am brought low.

♦ **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, Bishop Frank Carroll, Jan Szakacs,
Lorraine Mullavey, Anne Jones, Greg Jackson,
Shaun Morgan, Pat McCormack, Rodney
Blatchford, Frances Blatchford, Natasha Faanunu,
Gary Cook, Fr. Reece Beltrame, Emma Meade,
Sr. Janice, Catherine Stewart, Leo Sullivan, Fr.
Gerald Quinn, Ray Byrnes, 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 - Sr. Stephen Mary, Denise
Geraghty, Fr. Steve Bohan, Bert Fletcher, Don
Falk, Morna Faehrmann, Kathleen Moore, James
Firmager, John Cooper, Fr Terence Mahedy,
Sharon Hague, Fr Ron Donoghue, Anne Smith,
Harold Black, Jim Lee, Jan Brunner.

• **ANNIVERSARIES:** Ina King, Bert Eddy,
Marie Hulse, John Bennie, Liam Davern, Daphne
Mills, Leigh Scammell, John Hassarati, Elizabeth
Hausler, Frank Chambers, Emma Roauer, Ross
Tingle, Mary McCarthy, Jean Geary, Mario Grelli,
Annette Fallon, Robyn Haberecht, Michelle Barr,
Terry Cullen, Evelyn Elridge, Vivien Randall,
Kathleen Packer, Frank Higgins, Audrey Lyons, Fr
Laurie McCarthy, Sr Margaret Schmetzer, Alfred
Jeffery, Alois Nussbaumer, Jean Rhynehart, Molly
Bulliman, Jamie Boswell, Irene Shenele



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1st October 2023 - Twenty-sixth Sunday (A)

Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128.

First Reading: Ezekiel 18: 25-28

The word of the Lord was addressed to me as
follows: 'You object, "What the Lord
does is unjust." Listen, you House
of Israel: is what I do unjust? Is it
not what you do that is unjust?
When the upright man renounces
his integrity to commit sin and dies
because of this, he dies because of the evil that
he himself has committed. When the sinner
renounces sin to become law-abiding and
honest, he deserves to live. He has chosen to
renounce all his previous sins; he shall certainly
live; he shall not die.'

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm 24: Remember
your mercies, O Lord.

Second Reading: Philippians 2: 1-11

If our life in Christ means anything to you, if
love can persuade at all, or the Spirit that we
have in common, or any tenderness and
sympathy, then be united in your convictions
and united in your love, with a common purpose
and a common mind. That is the one thing
which would make me completely happy. There
must be no competition among you, no conceit;
but everybody is to be self-effacing. Always
consider the other person to be better than
yourself, So that nobody thinks of his own
interests first but everybody thinks of other
people's interests instead. In your minds you
must be the same as Christ Jesus: His state
was divine, yet he did not cling to his equality
with God but emptied himself to assume the
condition of a slave, and became as men are;

and being as all men are, he was humbler yet,
even to accepting death, death on a cross. But
God raised him high and gave him the name
which is above all other names so
that all beings in the heavens, on
earth and in the underworld, should
bend the knee at the name of Jesus
and that every tongue should
acclaim Jesus Christ as Lord, to the
glory of God the Father.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Alleluia, alleluia! My sheep listen to my voice,
says the Lord. I know them and they follow me.
Alleluia

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 21:28-32

Response: *Glory to You O Lord.*

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of
the people, 'What is your opinion? A man had
two sons. He went and said to the first, "My
boy, you go and work in the vineyard today."
He answered, "I will not go," but afterwards
thought better of it and went. The man then
went and said the same thing to the second
who answered, "Certainly, sir," but did not go.
Which of the two did the father's will?' 'The
first' they said. Jesus said to them, 'I tell you
solemnly, tax collectors and prostitutes are
making their way into the kingdom of God
before you. For John came to you, a pattern
of true righteousness, but you did not believe
him, and yet the tax collectors and prostitutes
did. Even after seeing that, you refused to
think better of it and believe in him.'

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



WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Organ Recital: on our splendid Pipe Organ next Friday 6th Oct. at St. Mary's Jindera 10 am.

Ordination: Deacon Michael Perry to the priesthood on Sat 7th Oct at Cathedral 10 am. Afterwards picnic for junior Legion in Botanic Gardens/Zoo contact Tanya 0407090367.

Cancelled devotions next Saturday & Mass at Jindera; **only ONE Mass 7 am Lavington.**

Fr. Michael Perry: will offer Mass in Holy Spirit Church Saturday 14th October at 9:15 am, cuppa afterwards, BYO plate.

Clergy Matters: Fr. Henry to Griffith in 2024; Fr Ledinich to Albury 2024; Fr Jomer to Holbrook/Culcairn in October; Fr. Perry to Albury; Fr. Joel Wallace has formally applied for laicisation; keep him in your prayers.

St Januarius Blood Bank: give blood/plasma through this name to provide a worthy work of mercy for the sick; opposite Myers.

Towards Hope: Advent retreat day in Thurgoona Sat 25th Nov. 8-4 pm. See flyer

Wanted: workers for local business: Electrician and Fitter Welder, contact Con 0428752327.

Tutoring: private & personal in school subjects, Latin, piano in your home by Lucy Ryan, tel. 0493060714, 0434607134.

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

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

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

Window Cleaning: home/bus tel 0491698069

Sacramental Candles: ideal as special gifts, on 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.

HOLY ARCHANGELS
are mentioned in the Bible
Michael – who is like God
Gabriel – the power of God
Raphael – the healing of God

ANGEL SURVEY

1. How many angels are there?
2. Why do we depict angels with wings?
3. Did angels once have bodies?
4. After death do we become like angels?
5. How many choirs of angels exist?
6. Are angels persons?
7. Do angels die?
8. What are demons?
9. Are angels like fairies?
10. Why did God create angels?

Sacrifice of the Mass
- we owe it all to God

CCC 1366 The Eucharist is thus a sacrifice because it re-presents (makes present) the sacrifice of the cross, because it is its memorial and because it applies its fruit. At each Mass we pray for those in Purgatory.

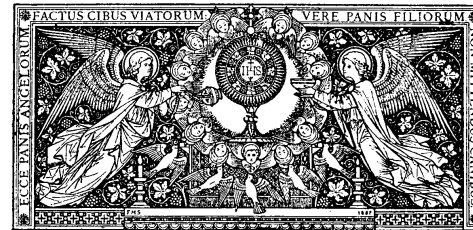
Three ACTS of the MASS

MASS	Offertory	Consecration	Communion
	suffering	death	resurrection
<i>Pasch</i>	Holy Thursday	Good Friday	Easter Sunday

At Holy Mass we offer bread (food) and wine (drink) that take the place of life, Christ's life, which is offered in an unbloody manner to God the Father. We are meant to offer ourselves with those gifts. Never be an idle bystander at Mass - offer your intentions with the gifts at the offertory prayers. That drop of water in the chalice represents your prayers to be united with the Blood of Christ.

OCTOBER: MONTH of the ROSARY

By announcing each mystery and perhaps even using a suitable icon to focus our attention we improve how we pray the Rosary. The words direct the imagination and the mind towards a particular episode or moment in the life of Christ... Obviously these mysteries neither replace the Gospel nor exhaust its content. The Rosary, therefore, does not substitute for *lectio divina*; on the contrary, it presupposes and promotes it. Yet, even though the mysteries contemplated in the Rosary do no more than outline the fundamental elements of the life of Christ, they easily draw the mind to a more expansive reflection on the rest of the Gospel, especially when the Rosary is prayed in a setting of prolonged recollection. Listening and meditation are nourished by silence.



Humour

- Why does a golfer take an extra pair of socks onto the golf course?
Ans: In case he gets a hole-in-one!
- A teacher watching all the children drawing quietly, sees one little girl's picture and asks: "What are you drawing?" The girl replies: "I am drawing a picture of God." "But no one knows what God looks like" the teacher says. The child responds: "Oh yes the y will in one minute!"

On the grave of a good Mother

Here lies a poor woman
who was always tired;
She lived in a house
where help wasn't hired:
Her last words on earth were:
Now I am going;
To where there's no cooking,
washing, sewing;
For everything there is exact
to my wishes,
For where they don't eat, there's no
washing of dishes;
Don't mourn for me now -
don't mourn for me never;
I am going to do nothing
for ever and ever.

FIND THE WORD PUZZLE

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

