

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

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

Jindera: Sunday 9 am

<i>Weekday Mass Times:</i>		
	Lavington	Jindera
Mon 13 Weekday	7 am	7 am
Tues 14 Weekday	7 am	7 am
Wed 15 St. Albert	7 am	8:30 am
Thur 16 St. Margaret	7 am	8:30 am
Frid* 17 St. Elizabeth	7 am	9:15 am
Sat 18 Basilicas S.PP	9:15 am	8 am

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

Lavington: 12th November - 32nd Sunday

6 pm Lect: H. S. School Cant: M. Brosolo
8 am Lect: C. Tingle Cant: Wall Choir
10amLect: P. Evans Cant: Green Choir
Cleaners: Cramer family

Lavington: 19th November - 33rd Sunday

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

Jindera: 12th November 2023 - 32nd Sunday

9 am Lect: P. Elias Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Chandrasegaran / Meade

Jindera: 19th November 2023 - 33rd Sunday

9 am Lect: E. Simpson Cant: Choir
Cleaners: Wright / Price

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

The Lord is my shepherd, there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose, near restful waters he leads me.

♦ **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, Kerry Kirley, Bishop Frank Carroll, Jan Szakacs, Lorraine Mullavey, Anne Jones, Greg Jackson, Clare Packer, Pat McCormack, Florence Murphy, Rodney Blatchford, Frances Blatchford, Natasha Faanunu, Joy Roberts, Gary Cook, Fr. Reece Beltrame, Emma Meade, Sr. Janice, Leo Sullivan, Fr. Gerald Quinn, Ray Byrnes, Elizabeth Young, Melissa Moodie, Marko Ledenko, Sime Ledenko, Maurice Richards, Mrs Sobani, Stephen Hitchings, Grahame Miles, Liam Scott, Carol Collins, 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* - Ruth Witteveen, Helen van der Linden, Joan Scanlan, Kenneth John Tejano, James Sheppard, Anthony Green, 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:** Lawrence Ries, Cyril Clear, Mary Hickey, Dolores Jackson, George Broes, Bernice Roach, Anna Diaferia, Maureen King, James Hutchins, Joselyn Lewis, John Bennie, Paul Mitchell, Elizabeth Kempiaik, John Rooney, Laura Gibbons, Sheila Miley, Bryan Cullen, John Paynter, John Corrin, Stephen Williams, Colin Timmins, Peg Dwyer, Sr John pvbm, Jill Shepherd, Fr Ron Corbett, Tess Waite, Byran Cullen, Claud McCarthy, Cyril Skidmore, Francis Kirley



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12th November 2023 - Thirty-second Sunday (A)

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First Reading: Wisdom 6:12-16

Wisdom is bright, and does not grow dim. By those who love her she is readily seen, and found by those who look for her. Quick to anticipate those who desire her, she makes herself known to them. Watch for her early and you will have no trouble; you will find her sitting at your gates. Even to think about her is understanding fully grown; be on the alert for her and anxiety will quickly leave you. She herself walks about looking for those who are worthy of her and graciously shows herself to them as they go, in every thought of theirs coming to meet them.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Responsorial Psalm 62

My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We want you to be quite certain, brothers, about those who have died, to make sure that you do not grieve about them, like the other people who have no hope. We believe that Jesus died and rose again, and that it will be the same for those who have died in Jesus: God will bring them with him. We can tell you this from the Lord's own teaching, that any of us who are left alive until the Lord's coming will not have any advantage over those who have died. At the trumpet of God, the voice of the archangel will call out the command and the Lord himself will come down from heaven; those who have died in Christ will be the first to rise, and then those of us who are still alive will be taken up in the clouds, together with them; to meet the Lord in the air. So we shall stay with

the Lord for ever. With such thoughts as these you should comfort one another.

The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God

Alleluia, alleluia! Be watchful and ready: you know not when the Son of Man is coming. **Alleluia!**



A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 25:1-13

Jesus told this parable to his disciples: 'The kingdom of heaven will be like this: Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish and five were sensible: the foolish ones did take their

lamps, but they brought no oil, whereas the sensible ones took flasks of oil as well as their lamps. The bridegroom was late, and they all grew drowsy and fell asleep. But at midnight there was a cry, "The bridegroom is here! Go out and meet him." At this, all those bridesmaids woke up and trimmed their lamps, and the foolish ones said to the sensible ones, "Give us some of your oil: our lamps are going out." But they replied, "There may not be enough for us and for you; you had better go to those who sell it and buy some for yourselves." They had gone off to buy it when the bridegroom arrived. Those who were ready went in with him to the wedding hall and the door was closed. The other bridesmaids arrived later. "Lord, Lord," they said "open the door for us." But he replied, "I tell you solemnly, I do not know you." So stay awake, because you do not know either the day or the hour.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Together: paper in porch - please take home.

Reconciliation: for children at Holy Spirit School this week - may God's mercy abide with them and their families.

November: during this month we pray for the faithful departed; may they rest in peace.

Twilight Country Fete: at SMMC Jindera Friday 17th November 5-8 pm, great evening for the whole family.

Parish Council: meeting (quarterly) on Sat. 18th at 9:45am, after Mass, in Meeting Room.

Anima Retreat: Women's Network Day on Sat 25th Nov 8 am - 2 pm St Mary's Jindera, contact Sara Moore: anima@animanetwork.org. www.trybooking.com/CMSFK

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

House 4 Rent: ideal for family, 4 bdrm just renov. in Nth Alb \$350 p/wk tel. 0479166301

Cremation Wall: St. Mary's Jindera: respectful and ideal location for one's beloved ashes.

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.

Stay Awake

The Lord reminds us to 'stay awake' which means be vigilant concerning the state of our soul by frequenting the sacraments, praying daily and remaining faithful to God's commandments.

We are all tempted to be selfish rather than self-giving which diminishes the presence of God's grace in our souls. Our aim, therefore, is to maintain maximum spiritual life or 'oil' in our souls so that we are always prepared instead of just getting by in a mediocre fashion.



OIL LAMPS

The "oil" in today's parable symbolizes good works and deeds. Wise people are those who are concerned for the daily needs in one's own family, and among the wider family of neighbours and even strangers. Saint Teresa of Calcutta said: "What is the oil in our lives? They are the little everyday things:

faithfulness, punctuality, kind words, thoughtfulness of another person, the way we are silent at times, the way we look at things, the way we speak, the way we act.



Those are the little drops of love which make it possible for our life of faith to shine brightly.



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 for the soul.

Take time to pray... it is God's power on earth.

HUMOUR

Q. What do you get if Woolworths burns down?

A. Coles!

On the day of an important cricket match, the captain calls on one of his players, "Look," he says, "here is \$50 go and buy us a new ball or something - anything, to help us win the game!" The match starts and the captain notices the same old ball and calls in the player at the end of an over and asks him what he has done with the money. "Well, you said to do anything to help us win," said the bowler. "Yes, and..." "Well, I gave it to the umpire!"

WHY PRAY FOR THE DEAD?



During the month of November the entire Church prays for the dead, for those who have died in God's grace but remain imperfect and are awaiting heaven.

NOVEMBER MASSES *Eternal rest grant unto:*

Sergio Pidutti, Gregory Thompson, Thompson family, Quinn family, Woods family, Barry Pollard, Brent Pollard, Fr. O'Connell, May & Les Stewart, Frank Egan, Patrick Murphy, Mel Murphy, Jojo Kristo family, Blaz Saric family, Ante, Janja, Pavo, Pere, Iva, Vidovic family, Jojo Kristo & family, Blaz Saric & family, Simun Kristo, Catherine Murphy, Ron Howard, Darryl Butler, Jill Shephard, Sporn family, Peter & Steven Logue, Gavin family, Rose Reichl, Angela Hosek, Alois Hosek, Hosek family, Olly Reichl, Emily Reichl, John Reichl, Reichl family, Gavin family, Marj Cleary, Msgr Fulton, Ron Howard, Kevin Murphy, Brian Murphy, Bishop Brennan, Annette Fallon, F.M. Bridges, O. Fallon, P. Fallon, K. O'Bryan, M. O'Bryan, Val O'Bryan, S. Geners, D. McAvoy, B. Leon, Donnie O'Bryan, Mollie O'Bryan, C. O'Bryan, R. Foan, Shelly Yewers, David Malavey, Falk family, Thistleton family, Phyliss Duell, John McKechnie, Generoso Toledo sr. Felicissima Toledo, Generoso Toledo jr. Zenaida Toledo, Natalia Toledo, Jocelyn Toledo, Stephen Williams, Colin Timmins, Peg Dwyer, Sr John pvbm, Jill Shephard, Fr Ron Corbett, Greg & Karl Fraser, Weiss family, Haley Mae Peters, Lola Mae Peters, Tarcela Saligumba, Euloterio Saligumba, Enocenio Marcos, Julio Marcos, Beatriz Marcos, Pedro Estomata, Miguel Estomata, Zenaida Estomata, Ligaya Bonuel, Salvacion Bonuel, Lyons, Sullivan, Hart, Dwyer families, Kelleher, Hardigan, Kilbride families, John O'Hea, Michael Burns, Taliauli family - Salio, Fue, Okusitino, Sevelino, Isino, Telai; Mahoni family - Sasongi, Iva, Okusitino, Atonio; Esther Leahy, William Leahy, Thomas Emerson, Mary Emerson, Patricia Leahy, Rafter & Hetherington families, Kennedy family, McInerney family, Frank & Corry Mertens, John & Pat Cooper, Ken & Maureen King, Frank & Patricia Moriarty, Charmaine Moriarty, Woolfe family, Curran family, King family, Schneider family, Riddington family, Kristo family, McCormack family, Moloney family, Helen & Joe Boyer, Bernie & Neita Brown, Jim & Jessie McIntyre, Gloria & Neal Thomas, Yan Ostrowski, Lorenzo family, Azogue family, Oftana family, Remy Hackett, Elisa Salvatie RRA, Flora family, Mace Sisters, Ronald Rueda, PJ Rueda, Martin Rueda, Ding & Marcelina Macabali, Gegoria & Alma Macabali, Jovelyn & Elsie Rueda, Alejandro & Isidra Rueda, Porferio & Prescilla Villanueva, Bibiano Villanueva, Alfredo & Pedro Macabali, Toto Rueda, Bryan Cullen, Terry Cullen, Jack & Winifred Cullen, Tom & Mary Cullen, John Cullen, John & Mary Holland, Keith, Geraldine & Christine Atkinson, Cornelius & Mary O'Connor, John & Marg O'Connor, Denise O'Connor, Veronica Westcott, James O'Connor, Rueben O'Connor, Peter Cain, Mark Buck, Donna Fischer, Lawrence Ries, Patrick & Valeria Moloney, Joan & Bruce Egan, Augustine & Maree Moloney, Daniel Moloney, Winifred Mulligan, Kathleen & Thomas Whittle, James Moloney, Patrick Moloney, Michael Moloney, Terry Moloney, Donovan & Lillian Murphy, Yvonne & Ian Dorney, Ronald Grundy, Paul Murphy

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE !