

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	6	Weekday	7 am	7 am
Tues	7	Weekday	7 am	7 am
Wed	8	Weekday	7 am	8:30 am
Thur	9	Lateran Basilica	7 am	8:30 am
Frid*	10	St. Leo	7 am	9:15 am
Sat	11	St. Martin T	9:15 am	8 am

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

Lavington: 5th November - 31st Sunday

6 pm Lect: Filipino Cant: A. Cramer
 8 am Lect: R. Scott Cant: L. Amarant
 10am Lect: K. Boyer Cant: Lavi Choir
 Cleaners: Perry family

Lavington: 12th November - 32nd Sunday

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

Jindera: 5th November 2023 - 31st Sunday

9 am Lect: J. Williams Cant: Choir
 Cleaners: Joordens / Stewart

Jindera: 12th November 2023 - 32nd Sunday

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

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

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

♦ **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, Shaun Morgan, 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:** Stephen Williams, Colin Timmins, Peg Dwyer, Sr John pvbm, Jill Shepherd, Fr Ron Corbett, Tess Waite, Byran Cullen, Claud McCarthy, Cyril Skidmore, Francis Kirley, Vera Hicks, Mary Tanner, Anthony Kirley, Peter Logue, Brian Scanlan, Vera McDermott, Francis Planta, Alma Powling, Andrew Reid, Gregory Keighran, Mary Currie, Wilfred Scammell, Freda Bennett, John Tynan, Aileen Wallace, James Moran, Sr. Dympa, Doug Gosstray, Julia Sawa, John Kaliczynski, John Brackenbridge, Daphne Ellison



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5th November 2023 - Thirty-first Sunday (A)

Mass parts in Hymn Book - page 128

First Reading: Malachi 1:14-2

I am a great king, says the Lord of Hosts, and my name is feared throughout the nations. And now, priests, this warning is for you. If you do not listen, if you do not find it in your heart to glorify my name, says the Lord of Hosts, I will send the curse on you and curse your very blessing. But you, you have strayed from the way; you have caused many to stumble by your teaching. You have destroyed the covenant of Levi, says the Lord of Hosts. And so I in my turn have made you contemptible and vile in the eyes of the whole people in repayment for the way you have not kept to my paths but have shown partiality in your administration. Have we not all one Father? Did not one God create us? Why, then, do we break faith with one another, profaning the covenant of our ancestors?

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

Responsorial Psalm 130: In you, O Lord, I have found my peace.

Second Reading: 1st Thessalonians 2:7-9

Like a mother feeding and looking after her own children, we felt so devoted and protective towards you, and had come to love you so much, that we were eager to hand over to you not only the Good News but our whole lives as well. Let me remind you, brothers, how hard we used to work, slaving night and day so as not to be a burden on any one of you while we were proclaiming God's Good News to you. Another reason why we constantly thank God for you is that as soon as you heard the message that we brought you as God's message, you accepted it for what it really is, God's message & not some human thinking; & it is still a living power among you who believe it.

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

Alleluia, alleluia! You have one Father, your Father in heaven; you have one teacher; the Lord Jesus Christ. **Alleluia!**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 23:1-12

Addressing the people and his disciples Jesus said, 'The scribes and the Pharisees occupy the chair of Moses. You must therefore do what they tell you and listen to what they say; but do not be guided by what they do: since they do not practise what they preach. They tie up heavy burdens and lay them on men's shoulders, but will they lift a finger to move them? Not they! Everything they do

is done to attract attention, like wearing broader phylacteries and longer tassels, like wanting to take the place of honour at banquets and the front seats in the synagogues, being greeted obsequiously in the market squares and having people call them Rabbi. 'You, however, must not allow yourselves to be called Rabbi, since you have only one master, and you are all brothers. You must call no one on earth your father, since you have only one Father, and he is in heaven. Nor must you allow yourselves to be called teachers, for you have only one Teacher, the Christ. The greatest among you must be your servant. Anyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and anyone who humbles himself will be exalted.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.



WHAT'S HAPPENING:

Requiem Mass: for Ruth Witteveen on Monday 10:30 am Lavington - may she rest in peace.

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; there are envelopes for Masses in the Church - may they rest in peace.

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

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.

COMMUNION OF SAINTS

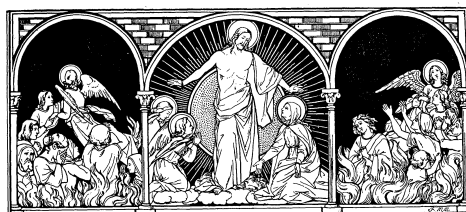
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- HOLY SOULS - PURGATORY
- ALL SAINTS - HEAVEN

ARE UNITED IN PRAYER AND CHARITY
**HALLOWEEN ONCE MEANT THE
EVE OF ALL HALLOWS/ ALL SAINTS**

All Saints Day is a surprisingly old feast. It arose out of the Christian tradition of celebrating the martyrdom of saints on the anniversary of their deaths.

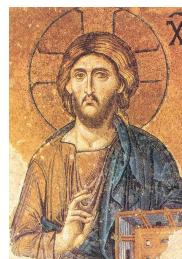
WHY DO WE PRAY FOR THE DEAD?

- the saints in heaven don't need our prayers and the damned in hell don't want them! To understand this doctrine and practice of the Church, it is necessary to understand that sin has a double consequence. Every sin, even venial, entails an unhealthy attachment to evil that must be cleansed before Heaven. Purgatory purges us so as to perfect us for Heaven.



I BELIEVE IN THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

I believe that I am in communion that is, united with the saints who are the citizens of Heaven and the holy souls in Purgatory. The Church is the Body of Christ. As every real body has three dimensions, so too does the Church. The 3Ds of the Church are: Earth, Purgatory, Heaven. All members of the Church, be they pilgrims on earth, holy souls in Purgatory or saints in Heaven are connected by means of prayer and grace. Those in Purgatory who are being purified need our prayers and Masses to assist them.



**The Greatest Lover
gave us the greatest
act of love.**

**His Sacrifice of the Cross
was not to be forgotten,**

so He said:

"Do this in

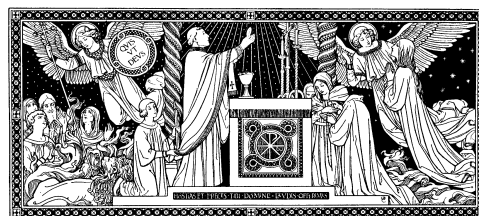
remembrance of me!"

It was a command to the Apostles, who in turn would command priests to **do this...** But what is the **this**?

The 'this' refers to the Holy Mass - the new and everlasting covenant which is the Sacrifice of Jesus Christ. In every Mass it is re-lived in time and space not in a bloody but a sacramental manner so that the efficacy of His holy Oblation may be ever present to us. There is no greater way to assist the living and the dead than by attending Mass and having it offered for the faithful departed. As we have loved them in life - let us not forget them in death!

Hearty Humour

- I have a pencil that used to be owned by Shakespeare, but he chewed it a lot. I can't tell if its 2B or not 2B !
- The priest upbraided the new deacon by saying: "I've been told that you went to the football instead of attending Mass on Saturday?" "That's a lie" said the Deacon, "and here's the fish to prove it."



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, Jozo Kristo family, Blaz Saric family, Ante, Janja, Pavo, Pere, Iva, Vidovic family, Jozo 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 Shepherd, 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

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE !

FIND THE WORD PUZZLE

Requiem, Mass, November, Death, Remembrance, Plenary, Indulgence, Sacrifice, Eternal, Holy, Souls, Catholic, Pray, Maccabees

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