





# Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lesmurdie

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Parish Office: Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 9.00am—3.00pm

Please Note: Monday is **Father Michael's DAY OFF** so, unless it is urgent, please wait until Tuesday to contact him. Thank you.

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## 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time / A 12th July 2020

SUNDAY MASS TIMES	WEEKDAY MASS TIMES	DEVOTIONS
<b>OUR LADY OF LOURDES</b> Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am, 5.30pm  <b>OUR LADY OF GRACE</b> Sunday 8.00am	NO Monday Mass Tuesday 9.00am Wednesday: 5.30pm Thursday 9.00am Friday 9.00am	Suspended at this time
RECONCILIATION	CELEBRATIONS	FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK
<b>OUR LADY OF LOURDES</b> Saturday 11.30am – 12.00pm & 5.30 – 6.00pm  <b>OUR LADY OF GRACE</b> Sunday Before 8.00am Mass	<b>Baptisms:</b> Contact Parish Office <b>Weddings:</b> Contact Father	15/07 St Bonaventure

<u>WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS</u>			 <u>PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS</u>  Jesus you are the Good Shepherd who is always mindful of your Church. Watch over those who are baptised in your name and grant peace and harmony to all families. We ask you to choose from the families of our Parish many priests, deacons, sisters and brothers who will gladly spend their lives making you known and loved. Amen.
11/07	6.00pm	Emeric Fonseca (MM)	
12/07	8.00am	Lindoro Gentili (Ann)	
	9.30am	Holy Souls	
	5.30pm	Yerko Separovich (Ann)	
14/07	<b>8.30am</b>	Peter Nash (Ann) Funeral- Fr. Joss Breen O.P. R.I.P.	
15/07	<b>5.30pm</b>	In Thanksgiving Misquita Family	
16/07	<b>9.00am</b>	Steve Marijanich R.I.P.	
	<b>10.30am</b>	Funeral Mass	
17/07	9.00am	Holy Souls	
18/07	6.00pm	Int. Noreen Winston & Thompson Family	
19/07	8.00am	Joanna Circosta (Ann)	
	9.30am	Gino Raponi (Ann)	
	5.30pm	Mass for the People	
			PLEASE REMEMBER Covid-19 directives remain in place. These guidelines must be followed to keep us all safe and well.

The Planned Giving program is an important part of the Parish as it allows us to maintain all aspects of the Church, Presbytery and Parish Centre. In order to keep the Parish viable we must maintain a target of 95% and above each week. This week's giving was 90% of the target. *Thank you!*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

#### THE SICK:

Louise Miller, Philip Everett, Ron Sprehe, Keith Hawkins, Lyn Sole, Sean O'Connor, Janine Webster, Anne Slavin, Jane Merrick, Holly Shanassy, Colleen Searle, Lesley Paravicini, Mark Blackwell, Elvin Fernandez, Fiona Mackenzie-Round, Rosa Maria Santos, Steele Serramondi, Christopher Wyrewenaden, Fr Maurice Toop, Pat O'Brien, Diana Retel, Marie Lloyd, Fiona Ball, Carmel Suart, Barbara Chodorowski, Leo Klein, Reece McCutcheon, Matt Don, Rosemary Clarke, Brett Montgomery, Patrick O'Brien, Mary J Wilson, Adrian Gavranich, Lisa Callard, Emily Della Franca (Lyons), Eloise Auld, Pekka Marttinen, Kathy Young, Fr. Ken Keating, Fred Fernandes, Tanya McGrath, Fr. Blasco Fonseca, Julia Everett, Robert Walker, Leanne Joyce, Francesco Barranca, Dale Wernicke, Marko Gavranich, Fred Tripoti, Yolande Helman, Harvey Loftus, Ross Jacobs, Vincent Capiello, Tony O'Connor,  
**and all those who have asked for our prayers.**

#### RECENTLY DECEASED:

Steve Marijanich, Peter Beor, Fr. Joss Breen O.P.

#### ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Emeric Fonseca, Lindoro Gentili, Yerko Separovich, *Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.*



## SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENTS

**Sea Sunday** Today is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for those who live and work on the sea. Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea is the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. Today's Appeal supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. During the COVID-19 pandemic, seafarers continue to bring products to sustain our population and economy, often at personal risk to their health.

To support this ministry, please send your donations to: [bit.ly/seasundayaustralia](http://bit.ly/seasundayaustralia)

**The story goes about a pastor and his congregation** This was about a man who had been on the road for many years. He knew the seasons of failure and the seasons of success. He knew the weariness of all mankind. If there was a story of misery the man had not only heard about it but also had been part of it. As he got older all the memories got sharper. This was a man who not always got it right and he knew it. On this Sunday there he was again giving the Good News to his flock when suddenly he found himself overcome with great sense of unworthiness. Being the man he was, he said so to his congregation. Just then Jesus appeared to him and began to place a crown upon his head. Even still more so he was aware of his sinfulness and unworthiness, so he drew back and tried not to shun the crown which our Lord was offering to him. As he did so, he noticed that the crown was not clean. It had thumb prints all over it and so he stepped forward. As the Lord placed the crown on his head the thumb prints turned into jewels. You and I have thumb prints all over our bodies, have we not? We have not always got it right and even today as we are here, we are probably in the grip of that very thing. So here is what is suggested that we should do. Close your eyes now (not if you are driving a vehicle at the moment nor watching the young grandchildren), Close your eyes and see. See the Lord standing right in front of you. He holds and has a crown, a crown of your life in his hands. Can you recognize the thumb prints on them and what they are? Tell him about them if you can see them and then whisper to him, "I accept from your hands the life that I have lived. I claim it with all my mistakes." The Lord now places the crown on your head. Watch what he does with it and then bow your head in gratitude. And you know what he has just done? He has just bowed his head in gratitude to you. Remembering our main task as God's children and as disciples of Christ is **to be open and receptive to the "sower"**; to His Word, Jesus' life giving Word. We must leave the growth and harvest in God's hands. Nevertheless, irrespective of our different capabilities, as not everyone is capable of producing a hundred-fold, we are called to strive to do our very best in allowing **that seed** that God has planted in each of us to flourish. At the end of the day we will not be judged by results but by the efforts we have made. May we accept that thumb marked crown that he places upon our head and may it be a reminder that He, the sower loves us and continues to offer us nutrition as we provide the soil bed for his seeding to grow and feed others to.

**Inquiry into the Children and Community Services Amendment Bill 2019** As outlined on the Parliament of Western Australia's website individuals and organisations are invited to make submissions to the committee. The closing date for submissions is **Friday, 24 July 2020**. Given the importance of this issue my hope is that consideration of lodging an individual submission and or also work with a group of parishioners and other interested people to lodge a joint submission. If you are moved to do so and would appreciate further advice and support in taking these steps, the members of the Willetton Parish are very willing to share their experience and resources with any parish groups or individuals who may wish to begin this process. With their permission, the relevant contact details below: "It is hoped that in doing so the widespread concerns of Catholics about this fundamental challenge to such an important aspect of our Catholic faith might be strongly communicated to our politicians."

Mr. Edman Anthony Email: [emausmigration@gmail.com](mailto:emausmigration@gmail.com)

**Child Protection Week Competition 2020** Open to all young people 12 – 18 years. Create a 2-minute media clip outlining the importance of **'Putting children's needs first'**. First prize **\$500** Gift Voucher

Entry forms are available from the back of the church or visit: [www.perthcatholic.org.au/safeguarding](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au/safeguarding)

**Entry closes Friday 14<sup>th</sup> August.**

The Safeguarding Office in consultation with the Archbishops office will shortlist a number of finalists. On **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> September** a Showreel featuring these finalists' media clips will be made available on the Safeguarding Website [www.perthcatholic.org.au/safeguarding](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au/safeguarding) and through some Catholic Secondary Schools. Peers/friends/students are encouraged to watch the showreel and vote for the best clip. The winners will be announced at the 11 am CPW Mass held at St Mary's Cathedral.

**Parish Office Hours** during the school holidays the Parish office will be open on Fridays 9.00am—3.00pm

JULY	18	19	19	19
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30PM
READER	Volunteer	Chris Downey	Bambi Griasch	Laurie Bechelli
ACOLYTES	Lou	Richard	Dermot	Martin
MUSIC	S Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark, Eddie, Karl	-
CHCH CLEANER	Julia Everett			

