

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lesmurdie

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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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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time / A 18th June 2023

SUNDAY MASS TIMES	FEBRUARY WEEKDAY MASS TIMES	COVID-19 as of 23 Nov 2022
OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday 8.00am	NO Monday Mass Tuesday: 8.00am or 9.15am (School Mass) Wednesday: 8.00am Thursday: 8.00am Friday: 9.00am	 Book your Fourth dose if eligible. Wash or sanitise your hands regularly. If unwell, stay home and get tested. Wear a mask if necessary Collect your free RAT's from locations across state: register positive results.
RECONCILIATION OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday 11.30am - 12.00pm and 5.15pm - 5.45pm OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday Refore 8 00am Mass	CELEBRATIONS Baptisms: Contact Parish Office Weddings: Contact Father	FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK 21/06 St. Aloysius Gonzaga, religious 22/06 Sts. John Fisher, bishop, and Thomas More, martyrs 24/06 the Nativity of St. John the Baptist

PARISH EVENTS: FR. JIM CORCORAN To mark Fr. Jim Corcoran's 60th Anniversary of Priesthood, The Parish will host a Morning Tea in the Parish Centre after 9.30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, 2nd July 2023. To assist in catering, please bring a plate to share.

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS					
Sat 17	6.00pm	Guiseppe Placanica (Ann)			
Sun 18	8.00am	In Thanksgiving Mrsguita Family			
	9.30am	Pasquolina Zurzolo (Ann)			
Tue 20	8.00am	Alicia Etchebevigaray (RIP)			
Wed 21	8.00am	Gabriel Brown (Ann)			
Thu 22	8.00am	Private Intention Improving Health			
Fri 23	9.00am	Sacred Heart of Jesus			

Prayer for Vocations

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.

Prayer for Peace and Justice in Ukraine

God of peace and justice, who change the hardened heart and break the power of violence, we entrust the people of Ukraine to you. Protect them in this time of peril. Let them know not death but life, not slavery but freedom. You are Father of all. We are brothers and sisters. Give us the strength to live that truth in love, choosing peace not war. Through Christ our Lord. Amen. Mary Our Mother, Queen of Peace, Pray for us.

Planned Giving

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. Last week's giving was **83%** of target.

Thank you!

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consub-

stantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.

Amen.

SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES 2023-2024

Parishioners, we sincerely thank you for your loyal support of your parish throughout the past financial year. Those devoted parishioners using the planned giving envelopes, please collect your new box of envelopes from the church's fover this Sunday.

Again a very sincere Thank You.!!! Chris Downey Chairperson Parish Finance Committee.

NEXT WEEKEND we will be asking for your prayers & generous response to this year's Catholic Mission Appeal. You will be helping our medical missionaries provide life-saving healthcare to vulnerable in East Timor & throughout the world. Please give generously by using the appeal envelope provided, or going online at www.catholicmission.org.au/timor or scanning the QR code. If you are keen to know what's involved in becoming a volunteer for Catholic Mission please email Francis Leong at director.cm@perthcatholic.org.au for the details.

Barnabas "the Encourager"

Nicknames are interesting, are they not? Whether attending a school, college, Uni or even in the Seminary, you get a nickname from your peers. The nicknames you are tagged with can either be endearing or stating the obvious of your physical stature or personality. I recall one fellow seminarian we gifted him with the nickname "Space Cadet". Why such an endearing nickname that was bestowed upon him..... I shall leave that up to your own imagination. There is a person in the New Testament in the Book of Acts (Refer to Chapter 4) who got a nickname from the Apostles - how lucky can one be? The disciples name was Joseph or Levi from Cyprus and the Apostles tell us they gave him the nickname "Barnabas", which means "Son of Encouragement." What a good name to be given. He could be a welcomed New Testament hero, after Jesus that is. Barnabas could see potential in people when everybody could not. The nickname truly suited him and you know who the biggest person he built up and saw potential in him was the apostle Paul. He saw the Paul in Saul when others could not. Pretty much Saul had a significant conversation experience, but he used to persecute all the Christians and put fear into people. He was stirring up trouble in Jerusalem because he was so bold in preaching about the name of Iesus. They said "How about you go home so things could calm down. and don't worry, we will call you." Man, Saul would have been left home for a long time if it were not for the apostle Barnabas. He went to start a new mission, Barnabas and thought, "Who is perfect, who could I call upon in my team?" and went looking for Saul, who was quietly making tents in his own town. Barnabas said, "Come join me. I have a mission!" The question that presents itself to everyone now is who can we be a Barnabas to? Who are you being called to take under your wing to look out for, to see someone who might have potential and has not been fully realized yet? Parents you have children in your household. Are you speaking life into them? Are you a "Barnabas" to them, being encouragers, putting courage in them? Or are you being critical, negative and taking the courage out of them? We don't need to go far to start, do we? Ephesians 4.29 says, "Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what helps build others up according to their needs that it may benefit those who listen." Let us be Barnabas and pray to the Holy Spirit, the Holy Spirit who Jesus promised would be a Councillor, a helper, and encourager for us. Pray that the same Spirit flows through our lives, our words, so that we can be Barnabas to the people in our lives. Congratulations to all our Confirmande. A sincere thanks to all our catechists, both of PREP. and St. Brigid's College, and for the generosity of our Sacramental Coordinators. Mrs Barbara Bolding, Mrs Di Marco and Mrs Veronica Parker, Principal of St. Brigid's College. **Thank you** for all your efforts in preparing these young people. May ALL Confirmed work for Christ in building up the Kingdom of God and enriching our Parish Community.

<u>PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK</u> Mark Blackwell, Louise Miller, Elvin Fernandez, Matt Don, Pekka Marttinen, Ann Elliott, Fiona Mackenzie-Round, Barbara Chodorowski, Jim Everett, Colleen Searle, Ralph Leon Mendoza, Paula Silla, Olive Ferguson, Emma Newman, Oliver Reid, Fiona Chandler, Marc Fernandes, Mary J Wilson, Reece McCuthcheon, Herman Z, Rita Z, Beatrix Zureich, Amparo Ortiz, Phillip Everett, Liz Lennon, Lin Sole, Ryan Campbell, Jenny Conti, Fiona Ball, Jill Turner, Marjorie Bly, Baby Juliette Tysoe, Julia Everett, Katie Ammendolea, Lucy Barranca, June McGinnity, Katie Searlle, Tom Ryan, Delta & Eris Toop, Len Brajkovich, Bruno Toffoli, Annemarie Domican, and those battling terminal illness *and all those who have asked for our prayers.*

RECENTLY DECEASED: Alicia Etchebevigaray, Trish Ramsay, Alicia Etchebevigaray, Anthony Wood.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Guiseppe Placanica, Pasquolina Zurzolo, Gabriel Brown Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.

JUNE/JULY	24	25	25	01	02	02	
MASS	6РМ	8AM	9.30AM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	
PROCLAIMER	Pam	Chris D.	Aida	Peter	Chris L.	Sue	
ACOLYTE	Dermot	Terry	George	George	Dermot	Lou	
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	
CHURCH CLEANER	Maggie D.			Veronika & Bernadette			
MORNING TEA				Veronika K.			