

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lesmurdie

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Parish Office: Tuesday. Thursday and Friday 9.00-3.30pm

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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First Sunday of Lent / C 6th March2022

SUNDAY MASS TIMES OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am, 9.30am, 5.30pm OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday 8.00am	WEEKDAY MASS TIMES FEBRUARY NO Monday Mass Tuesday: 8.00am or 9.15am (School Mass) Wednesday: 8.00am Thursday: 8.00am Friday: 9.00am	PLEASE REMEMBER Covid-19 directives remain in place. These guidelines must be followed to keep us all safe and well. There is no room for complacency!
RECONCILIATION OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday 11.30am - 12.00 pm and 5.15pm - 5.45pm OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday Before 8.00am Mass	CELEBRATIONS Baptisms: Contact Parish Office Weddings: Contact Father	FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

PARISH EVENTS Safeguarding Induction for Church Workers and Volunteers

- Wednesday, 09 March 2022 10am
- Wednesday, 23 March 2022 7 pm
- Wednesday 13 April 2022 10 am
- Friday 06 May 2022 10 am

- Tuesday, 17 May 2022 1 pm
- Friday 03 June 2022 10 am
- Tuesday, 14 June 2022 7 pm
- Thursday, 30 June 2022 1 pm

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS					
Sat 05	6.00pm	Robert Hocking (Ann)			
Sun 06	8.00am	Intention of Donor			
	9.30am				
	5.30pm	Int Di Silva Family Thanksgiving			
Tue 08	8.00am	In Thanksgiving			
Wed 09	9.00am	In Thanksgiving			
Thu 10	8.00am	Donor - Anniversary of Death			
Fri 11	9.00am	Holy Souls			
Sat 12	6.00pm	Mass for the People			
Sun 13	8.00am	Maria Franchi (MM)			
	9.30am				
	5.30pm	Holy Souls			

Prayer in time of COVID

Almighty and eternal God, our refuge in every danger, to whom we turn in our distress; in faith we pray look with compassion on the afflicted, grant eternal rest to the dead, comfort to mourners,

healing to the sick, peace to the dying, strength to healthcare workers, wisdom to our leaders and the courage to reach out to all in love, so that

together we may give glory to your holy name. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

Planed 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 86% of the target. Thank you!

Covid-19

We have been advised that one of our parishioners who attended Mass on Ash Wednesday has tested Positive to Covid-19. If you attended that Mass, please take the necessary precautionary actions. We direct you to follow the Government guidelines and if you are unwell, please refrain from coming to Mass.

SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT

"Be merciful, Oh Lord, for we have sinned"

"A pure heart create for me, Oh God, put a steadfast spirit within me"

Lord Jesus help me to deny myself for your sake, give me the grace to carry the crosses in my life when temptations, trials and disappointments get thrown my way, give me the strength and grace to lean into your loving care; trusting that one day I will be with you in paradise. Amen

Pastoral Notes

Lent began on Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fast and abstinence. The law of fasting binds those who have completed their eighteenth year, until the beginning of their sixtieth year; the law of abstinence binds those who have completed their fourteenth year (CCL97, 1251f)

Lent is a penitential season in prayer, self-denial and helping others, in this way the whole Church prepares for Easter with those who are to be baptised. Other celebrations in Lent (e.g., marriage) must take account of the spirit of penance: musical instruments are only used to sustain singing.

Catholics are obliged to receive holy communion at least once a year, in Australia and New Zealand between Ash Wednesday and Trinity Sunday.

Lent - In Lent, the Alleluia and the Gloria are omitted at Mass and at the Hours, even in celebrations of solemnities and feasts. If an individual requires to take sustenance for medical reasons, they are exempt of the rule of Fast, "Common sense prevails".

Safeguarding Induction All church workers (Volunteers or Paid) are to attend a Safeguarding Induction. **A church worker is anyone in the parish in any role – paid or voluntary.**

The National Safeguarding standards were approved by the Australian Catholic Bishop's Conference and applies to all parishes, agencies, services and ministries within Australia.

The Catholic Archdiocese of Perth offers numerous opportunities for parishioners to be involved in the life of the church.

In the spirit of volunteering, and in our mission to be a "disciple of Jesus", we invite all church workers to attend a church worker Safeguarding Induction.

It is necessary for all church workers to be familiar with the Safeguarding Program requirement and how this may affect your role in the church community.

The aim of Safeguarding Program is to promote and support the safety and wellbeing of everyone, and with your support we can achieve this.

We invite ALL church workers (volunteer or paid) to attend an online safeguarding induction. This session will cover the Safeguarding Policies and Procedures, the importance of Safeguarding in the parish and the role of the Parish Safeguarding Officer.

To register please visit: www.safeguarding.perthcatholic.org.au or phone Safeguarding Program Office on 9221 7762. For dates and times see "PARISH EVENTS" section of this Bulletin.

Choir Preparation for Holy Week and Easter. If you have the desire and the gift of a singing voice an invitation is extended to share your talent for praise of God by joining the Parish choir. Choir rehearsals for preparation of Holy Week commence Wednesday 9th March 7.30pm New members needed!!

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK Mark Blackwell, Gael Connell, Louise Miller, Keith Hawkins, Elvin Fernandez, Matt Don, Pekka Marttinen, Ann Elliott, Fiona Mackenzie-Round, Barbara Chodorowski, Jim Everett, Colleen Searle, Vincent Ramsay, Ralph Leon Mendoza, Paula Silla, Chris Burke, Olive Ferguson, Helen C, Emily C, Emma Newman, Oliver Reid, Elaine Keble, Fiona Chandler, Marc Fernandes, Giuseppe Fume, Stephen Wiseman, Mary J Wilson, Reece McCuthcheon, Judy McInerney, Herman Z, Rita Z, Beatrix Zureich, Amparo Ortiz, Gaston Antezana, Phillip Everett, Eddie and Liz Lennon, Lin Sole and all those who have asked for our prayers.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Brendan Mooney

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Robert Hoching, Maria Franchi Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.

MARCH	12	13	13	13	19	20	20	20
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30PM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30PM
PROCLAIMER	Bambi	Ellita	Melanie	Santino	Melanie	Chris L.	Bambi	Emily
ACOLYTE	Lou	Dermot	Terry	Richard	Richard	George	Lou	Terry
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie		S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	
CLEANING	Maggie D.			Veronika & Bernadette				
MORNING TEA								