



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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Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 9th. July 2023

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| <u>SUNDAY MASS TIMES</u> OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday 8.00am | <u>WEEKDAY MASS TIMES</u> <u>REFER TO MASS TABLE BELOW</u> NO Monday Mass Tuesday: 8.00am or 9.15am (School Mass) Wednesday: 8.00am Thursday: 8.00am Friday: 9.00am | COVID-19 as of 23 Nov 2022 1. Book your Fourth dose if eligible. 2. Wash or sanitise your hands regularly. 3. If unwell, stay home and get tested. 4. Wear a mask if necessary 5. Collect your free RAT's from locations across state: register positive results. |
| <u>RECONCILIATION</u> OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday 5.15pm - 5.45pm OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday Before 8.00am Mass | <u>CELEBRATIONS</u> <u>Baptisms:</u> Contact Parish Office <u>Weddings:</u> Contact Father | <u>FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK</u> 11/07 St. Benedict, abbot 15/07 St. Bonaventure, bishop, doctor |

PARISH EVENTS:

Many Thanks to all parishioners and friends who assisted, contributed and attended the morning tea celebration, in the acknowledgement of and thanks to Fr. Jim Corcoran's on his 60th anniversary of Priesthood and dedicated service to this Archdiocese.

Pro vestrum annos multos beatosque bibeamus Fr. Jim!!!

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| <u>WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS</u> | | | 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 79% of target. Thank you! |
| Sat 08 | 6.00pm | Mladen Sambrailo (Ann) | 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, consubstantial 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. |
| Sun 09 | 8.00am 9.30am | Int. Michael Gillum - Improving Health In Thanksgiving- | |
| Tue 11 | 8.00am | Aurora Berti (RIP) | |
| Wed 12 | 8.00am | Fr. Barry Whitely (Ann) | |
| Thu 13 | 8.00am 10.00 am | Geoffrey Streicher RIP Funeral Service | |
| Fri 14 | 9.00am | Holy Souls | |
| 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. | | | |

SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT

"Look for the patterns."

Those of you who do Sudoku may have woken up to what I am about to say; it can be most challenging for some and a "breeze" for others. I have a friend who is a mathematician, and he claims it is an easy task to complete. "How so?" I asked. "The key to the problem is to identify the pattern. You then logically know where the numbers are to be put." was his reply. Some of us need help to see the pattern; therefore, Sudoku is complex, and you may never get past the moderate level.

Further, I was talking to someone the other day, and they told me they know of another person who can look at a bunch of clovers and immediately pick out the four-leaf clover. He asked, "How can you do that?" They replied, "It's easy; you can see the pattern!" Have you seen a four-leaf clover among the patterns recently? I have not! Hearing this has prompted me to look at various patterns around the place. Whilst visiting one of my godchildren, I looked at the slate floor that is a feature in one of their family homes. There are patterns, and yet they are all different in every tile. Some are drawings of various kinds, some simple artistry so that the whole tile looks like a well-balanced vase of flowers. Every time I look at a new tile, it's a constant source of surprise and wonder. A whole new world opens up from the humble tile on the slate floor, which, may I add, I relish walking upon in summertime. As I look around, it is true. There are patterns simply everywhere, not just on the floor. I began to think there are patterns of God everywhere too. For we can see ways in how we respond to situations, there are matching patterns of God.

His pattern is to respond with kindness, understanding, and forgiveness, all woven into a personal and particular drawing that is love, a love for you and me. Like the slate floor, He does it in various ways, and you count on it. In the Book of Lamentations, Chapter 3:22-23, we read, "The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases. His mercies never end, and they are new every morning. Great is his faithfulness." In other words, though his patterns are new, they are the same, and He is hoping you will see them today.

"GOD'S WORD 2024" - St. Paul Publication Orders are being placed. The cost of this spiritual reflection book is **\$20.00 each**. Add your name to the Order Form on the clipboard on the foyer table should you wish to order a copy.

SAFEGUARDING Accreditation for Volunteers The dates for the **Level One Online one-hour** courses are posted on the notice board and **copies are in the leaflet rack** at the entry-foyer of the church. If you are one of our much valued volunteers i.e. be it cleaners, collectors, proclaimers of the Word, or musicians or Sanctuary Flower carers or a is performing any other ministry and have not yet met with the Archbishop's and the Safeguarding Office's directives, I urge you to fulfil the requirement as soon as possible. Let us promote our PARISH AS A SAFE PARISH COMMUNITY. **The compliance assists and safeguards volunteers as well as paid parish staff.**

St. Vincent de Paul Winter Appeal: Thank you to the many who have contributed so far. The need is great. If you can offer a gift of blanket/s or warm clothing or a monetary donation, every gift will be gratefully accepted and given in response to a need!!!

Maintaining GOOD HEALTH within the Parish. The present influenza strain is rapid, and COVID has again raised its ugly head within our Community! Parishioners, if you are unwell, please observe the directions the Health Authority gave. Remain Home and ISOLATE! I ask that we again practise sanitising our hands before entering the church; cover our mouths when coughing or sneezing. Dispose of used tissues correctly, Please DON'T leave them in the church pews! I encourage everyone to assist in keeping our parish community healthy as much as possible. If you are not well, STAY HOME..

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK 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 McCutcheon, 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 Searle, Tom Ryan, Len Brajkovich, Bruno Toffoli, Annemarie Domican, Allison O'Brien, Lucy Arite, Michael Gillum **and for those battling illness who have asked for our prayers.**

RECENTLY DECEASED: Geoffrey Streicher, Aurora Berti nee Re, Mary Corcoran Margaret Edmond

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: *Mladen Sambrailo, Fr. Barry Whitely, Giovanna Circosta*
Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.

| JULY | 15 | 16 | 16 | | 22 | 23 | 23 |
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| MASS | 6PM | 8AM | 9.30AM | | 6PM | 8AM | 9.30AM |
| PROCLAIMER | Bambi | Elita | Melanie | | Pam | Leon | Mitch |
| ACOLYTE | Richard | George | Dermot | | Terry | Lou | George |
| COLLECTION | Volunteers | Volunteers | Volunteers | | Volunteers | Volunteers | Volunteers |
| MUSIC | S. Spencer | Quiet Mass | Mark & Eddie | | S. Spencer | Quiet Mass | Mark & Eddie |
| CHURCH CLEANER | Steph B. | | | | Maggie D. | | |
| MORNING TEA | | | | | | | |

