

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lesmurdie

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Fourth Sunday of Easter / 30th April 2023

SUNDAY MASS TIMES OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday 8.00am	FEBRUARY WEEKDAY MASS TIMES REFER TO MASS TABLE BELOW 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 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 Before 8.00am Mass	CELEBRATIONS Baptisms: Contact Parish Office Weddings: Contact Father	FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK 02/05 St. Athanasius, bishop, doctor 03/05 Sts. Philip and James, apostles

PARISH EVENTS:

Next Parish Morning Tea will be on May 7th after 9:30am Mass. All Welcome!

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS				
Sat 29	6.00pm	John Gabersek (Ann)		
Sun 30	8.00am	Domenico Romagnoli & Marherita Contarini (Ann)		
	9.30am	Angelo Fonte (M.M.)		
Tue 02	8.00am	Tereza Dodig (Ann)		
Wed 03	8.00am	Charles & Stella Bonavia Ludgarda Grech (Ann)		
Thu 04	8.00am	In Thanksgiving		
	10.00am	Funeral		
Fri 05	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.

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 will be posted next week.

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, 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.

SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT

SCAM, SCAM, SCAM!!! Unidentified persons or entities are emailing parishioners, requesting donations "To help with the running of the Parish" These are Scams, PLEASE DELETE INMEDIATLY, DO NOT REPLY!

An Evening of Song. Darling Range Circle of the Catenian Association A fund raiser to help families in local schools. The Kalamunda Sing Choir; Sholto Foss (bass baritone at WAPAA); Scout Simmonds (soprano at WAPAA) In a programme of light classical, popular and songs from well-known musicals. Kalamunda Performing Arts Centre – Thursday May 11 from 7.30pm for drinks (on sale) followed by the show at 8pm.Refreshments and supper after the show. Tickets are \$30 each and can be purchased by contacting Chris Downey (0419 040 947) or Jim McClure (0424 308 799)

The BIGGEST MORNING TEA Thursday 25th May at 10:30am RSVP by 22nd to Shirley 0412 762 788 or Kathy 0407 777 387 **Due to popularity, tickets are essential (\$5entry)**

Formation and Renewal – Parish Support Workshops. Archbishop Costelloe in Lent launched a program entitled Liturgical Formation and Renewal. It centres on reflection around what it means to be a Christ-centred Church that is prayerful and Eucharistic. The second phase of the Liturgical Formation and Renewal is offered to Leaders in Ministries within the Parishes. An Invitation is extended to Member of Adult Faith Group, Liturgy Committee, Co-ordinator of Acolytes and Ministers to the Sick, Musicians at the Eucharist, I.T. Operators at the Eucharist, Lectors/Proclaimers, Catechists. The attendance of a representative from each of these sectors would be of great assistance to the life of the Parish. The date Tuesday 9th May 5:30pm to 7:00pm Where Our Parish Centre Hall. Registration for practical planning is required. Refer to Centre of Liturgy Liturgical Formation Renewal Parish Workshops. Or https://liturgy.eperth.au

In Darkness and Hands up in the Light How many times have you heard yourself say 'I'll never rise again!" Has that been your experience? Has it ever happened that something had laid you so low that you did say "I'll never rise again"? it reminds me when a very close friend of mine died. I remember saying "Life will never be the same again." And it hasn't been. The loss was so terrible. I have heard as I suppose you have heard many wrenching stories from family, friends and people from all walks of life o this expression and feeling and it is the reoccurring thing, that "life will never be the same again" - "I'll never rise again." As we continue to celebrate the Easter season, the glorious Paschal mystery and when and where all or most of the chocolate Easter Eggs and bunny rabbits have been consumed, the Easter bonnets have been put away until next year's school parades are on the its calendar, I wonder do people really know, embrace what we hold to and are celebrating in our daily lives. Today, the whisper of anguish "I'll never rise again" and hello you don't need and acceptable reason to say this, for your heart knows what it means. It doesn't matter why you feel that way that you "cannot rise again". It is simply a truth and as said your whisper of anguish "I'll neve rise again" today makes an explosion of love in Jesus Christ who cries out "You have risen. You have risen in me, and I have risen in your heart!" Jesus has risen from the dead; Jesus has taken on the very thing that our hearts are agonising over. He allowed it to kill him and take him and then he rose above it and came out the other end! Today, each day the choice is ours. Do you want to know the risen life, do you? A suggestion, in the seminary after celebrating the Easter vigil we would hold an additional observance. We would remain in the dark of the remainder of that night and wait for the sun to rise and for the sun's rays to shine through our student common room. We would then stretch out our hands and we would acclaim His Risen Life! We can only do it by the way because we know the depths of the darkness that has brought us to it. Whenever and wherever you are stretch out your hands and say to God "Thank You, I acclaim you, I acclaim your risen life and I believe that I live again!"

<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, Greg O'Connor, Jill Turner, Marjorie Bly, Baby Juliette Tysoe, Julia Everett, Katie Ammendolea, Lucy Barranca, June McGinnity, Katie Searlle, Tom Ryan, Delta & Eris Toop, Pope Francis, Len Brajkovich, Marie Lloyd, Bruno Toffoli, Paul Jacobs, Joan Jacobs, and those battling terminal illness *and all those who have asked for our prayers.*

RECENTLY DECEASED: Vivian Godrey, Therese Ouwendyk, Vincent Ramsay, Basil Worner

<u>ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:</u> John Babersek, Domenico Romagnoli, Marherita Contarini, Angelo Fonte, Tereza Dodig, Charles & Stella Bonavia, Ludgarda Grech *Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.*

MAY	06	07	07	13	14	14
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM
PROCLAIMER	Peter	Chris L.	Melanie	Christine	Chris D.	Mitch
ACOLYTE	George	Lou	Terry	Richard	George	Dermot
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	S. Spencer
CHURCH CLEANER	Pam			Steph B.		
MORNING TEA	Ana & Mary					