

## 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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## Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 20th November 2022

# **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 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 28th April 2022

1. Masks no longer mandatory, except in some high-risk settings (Refer to Healthdirect COVID-19 Restrictions Face Masks-Western Australia) - Encouraged where physical distancing is not possible. Sanitization of hands and hard surfaces

are encouraged.

3. If unwell keep away and remain in

confinement.

#### 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

21/11 The Presentation of Blessed Virgin Mary

22/11 St. Cecilia, virgin, martyr

24/11 Sts. Andrew Dung-Lac, priest & companions, martyrs

#### **PARISH EVENTS:**

SYNOD OF BISHOPS: The Church around the world has entered the Continental Stage for the Synod of Bishops on Synodality. Groups around the country are praying with and responding to the Document for the Continental Stage, which was published recently. Download prayer resources, including for use in liturgies, read the document and access the submission portal at: www.catholic.org.au/synodalchurch

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS					
Sat 19	6.00pm	Holy Souls			
Sun 20	8.00am	Holy Souls			
	9.30am	Holy Souls			
	5.30pm	Holy Souls			
Mon 21	10.30am	Funeral			
Tue 22	8.00am	Holy Souls			
Wed 23	9.30am	Mass of Thanksgiving MAZENOD COLLEGE GYM			
Thu 24	8.00am	Teresa Ta Thi Sa & Teresa Pham Thi Kimh (Ann)			
Fri 25	10.00am	Funeral Mass (NO 9.00am MASS)			

#### **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.

### **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 target 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

Love Demands a Response One of the most amazing things about love is that it demands a response. Imagine a young man who runs up to a beautiful young woman, falls on his knees in front of her and presents her with a dozen roses. He does not need to say anything. It is clear by this symbol that he is professing his love for her, unless he starts pointing to the price tag in which case hie is trying to sell them to her. But if we assume for this moment that this is a statement of love the woman is placed in a very awkward position. She must make a response and in fact any movement she makes at this point will be interpreted as being for her response. Sadly, in the case for the love-sick man anything short of a "Yes" will be taken as a rejection. So, the young woman needs to think very carefully about what she says at this moment. This becomes a decisive moment that cannot be put off for a more convenient time. This is always a case with love. Love always demands a response from us. This is something we need to reflect upon in our relationship with God. We know that the Cross is God's statement of love for us, but do you ever stop and think that perhaps Jesus is looking for you to give him an answer as though he is saying "This is how much I love you, how much I will give for you. Will you love me back?" Will you make a response, or will you leave him hanging?

**PARISH ADVENT– Christmas Preparation: Second Rite of Reconciliation** (COVID PERMITTING) Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 7.00p.m. Keep this date and time free and noted in your diaries. It will be that wonderful opportunity to hand over to the Lord that which we have been keeping and carrying in the "dark space" of our being.

The Archbishop's Christmas Appeal for LIFELINK is being held throughout the archdiocese this weekend. If you did not collect the Archbishop's Appeal Letter after Mass last weekend, please collect one as you leave the Church today or use one of the special giving envelopes which have been provided on the pews today. We urge you to give generously to help the work of our Archdiocesan agencies which reach out to care for our brothers and sisters struggling in the community. Please mail your gift in the Replay-paid envelopes provided or return your envelope and donation to the Parish at any time over the coming weeks. You may also donate (securely) online by credit card: www.lifelink.com.au

Choir Practice for Christmas Midnight Mass!! Starting Wednesday 23rd Nov 7:30pm at Church. Practises held weekly on Wednesdays until Christmas. Please join and bring along your singing friends, let's all praise and exalt the birth of our Saviour!!

Christmas Cake Stall will be held Sunday 18th December after Sunday Morning Masses.

**St Vincent De Paul** The Lesmurdie Vinnies conference has placed a Christmas collection box in the Church foyer for donations of appropriate foo-stuff to be distributed to the needy over Christmas time. Due to the circumstances this year our Christmas hampers will me made up only from our generosity of non-perishable foods as they are no longer supplied by head office. **Please have your donations in by Sunday 15th** December.

Have you thought about becoming a Parish Catechist? The Catechist Service will be hosting an information session for anyone interested in training as a Catechist in 2023.Come and learn about the formation, you will receive to support you in this important ministry Date: Tuesday 29 November Time: 10am-12pm (Morning tea provided) Venue: Catholic Education Centre, 50 Ruislip Street, Leederville 6007 RSVP: Mildred 9380 1722 by Tuesday 22 November. Email: <a href="mailto:catechist@cewa.edu.au">catechist@cewa.edu.au</a>

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, Vincent Ramsay, Ralph Leon Mendoza, Paula Silla, Olive Ferguson, Helen C, Emily C, 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, Deane Breseland, Fiona Ball, Greg O'Connor, Joan Jacobs, Mgr. Tim Corcoran, Jill Turner, Marjorie Bly, Gail Goerke, Isabelle Tysoe, Fred Fernandes, Julia Everett, Lisa Charlesworth, Katie Ammendolea, Ursula McClure and all those who have asked for our prayers.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Gloria Basile, Ana Ivankovich, Ana Fernando, Fr. John Joseph Archbold OMI, Darinka Madja

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Teresa Ta Thi Sa, Teresa Pham Thi Kimh Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine

NOV/DEC	26	27	27	27	03	04	04	04
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30PM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30AM
PROCLAIMER	Melanie	Leon B.	Bambi	Loui	Bambi	Ellita	Julia	Santino
ACOLYTE	Lou	Dermot	Richard	N/A	Richard	George	Terry	N/A
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie		S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	
CHURCH CLEANER	Veronika & Bernadette			Aida				
MORNING TEA				Veronika Kozera				