



Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Lesmurdie

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Parish Office: Tuesday and Friday 8.30-2.30pm

Please Note: Monday is **Father Mathews DAY OFF** so, unless it is urgent, please wait until Tuesday to contact him. Thank you.

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PALM SUNDAY of the PASSION of the LORD / 24th March 2024

<u>SUNDAY MASS TIMES</u>	<u>WEEKDAY MASS TIMES</u>	
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 Wednesday: 8.00am Thursday: No Morning Mass this week only Friday: 9.00am	Thank you to all Parishioners who came to clean the church and prepare the Church grounds for Easter yesterday.
RECONCILIATION OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday 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

ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT: You are all invited to attend **Annual Archdiocesan Chrism Mass** at **St Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday 26 March at 7.00pm.**

<u>WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS</u>			Planned Giving
Sat 23	6.00pm	Keith Hawkins (Ann)	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 were 75% of target. Thank you!
Sun 24	8.00am 9.30am	Holy Souls Tadeusz Chodorowski (Ann)	
Tue 26	8.00am	Tadeusz Chodorowski (Ann)	
Wed 27	8.00am	Colin Spencer (Ann)	<u>Prayer of Peace - Saint Francis of Assisi</u> Lord, make me an instrument of your peace: where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
Thu 28	7.00pm	No MORNING MASS Holy Thursday & Adoration	
Fri 28	10.00am 10.45 am 3.00 pm	Stations of the Cross Reconciliation Good Friday Passion of Our Lord	

Safeguarding of our children in the Parish

The Archdiocesan Safeguarding Project was started in 2016 by Archbishop Timothy Costello SDB with the aim of providing a safe and secure environment for all its members, leaders and especially children and vulnerable adults. Our Lady of Lourdes is committed to creating a safe parish.

to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
Our Lady Queen of Peace, pray for us. Amen.

SPECIAL PARISH INFORMATION AND ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT

This Sunday, called Palm or Passion Sunday, is the first day of Holy Week. Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are called the *Triduum*—three days that are the highlight of the Church year. There are two Gospels proclaimed at today's Mass. The first Gospel, proclaimed before the procession with palms, tells of Jesus' triumphant entrance into Jerusalem. Riding on a borrowed colt, Jesus was hailed by the crowds as they blessed God and shouted "Hosanna!" This event is reported in each of the four Gospels. In Mark's Gospel, Jesus' disciples are rarely models of faith and do little to invoke confidence in their capacity to continue his ministry after his death. They fare no better in Mark's narrative of Jesus' passion and death. At the Last Supper, the disciples insisted that none among them would betray Jesus. When Jesus predicted that their faith would be shaken in the events ahead, Peter and the other disciples protested vehemently. Yet in the garden of Gethsemane, Jesus returned three times to find them sleeping. Jesus prayed in agony over his impending fate while his disciples slumbered through the night. Just as Jesus predicted, Peter denied Jesus, and the disciples were absent during Jesus' passion and death. Only the women who had been followers of Jesus in Galilee are said to have been present at the Crucifixion, but they remained at a distance. (Source: Loyola Press).



As Project Compassion 2024 comes to an end, we want to thank you for your incredibly generous support throughout Lent. *This year, we shared with you the story of three inspiring women from across the globe, who overcame challenges to complete their education, access water and find secure employment. Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow, for all future generations.*

Applications are invited from students entering Years 7 and 10 in 2025 to sit the **St Brigid's College Scholarship Examinations**. For further information and to download an Application Package, please visit the College's website: <https://sbcl.wa.edu.au/scholarships/> Applications close at 4.00p.m. on **Thursday, 28th March 2024**. The Examination date is Monday, 15th April 2024. Please return the completed Application Form to the Principal's Assistant email: Guerinoni.pauline@stbrigids.wa.edu.au

Holy Week Mass & Service Schedule

Palm Sunday Saturday Vigil 23rd March 6:00pm & Sunday 24th March 8:00 am & 9:30am	Good Friday 29th March Day of <i>Fast-ing and Abstinence</i> 10:00 am Stations of the Cross	Holy Saturday 30th March Reconciliation 10:30am—11:30am
Holy Thursday 28th March 7:00 pm The Lord's Supper Mass. Adoration until 9:00pm	10:45am Reconciliation 3:00pm Passion of Our Lord Reconciliation following the Passion of the Lord	30th March 6:00 pm Easter Vigil Mass EASTER SUNDAY 31st March 8:00 am & 9:30 am Easter Mass

OUR LADY OF GRACE - PICKERING BROOK

Good Friday 3:00 pm Easter Vigil 8:00 pm Easter Sunday 8:00 am Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK : Mark Blackwell, Louise Miller, Elvin Fernandez, Matt Don, Pekka Marttinen, Barbara Chodorowski, Colleen Searle, Katie Searle, Ralph Leon Mendoza, Olive Ferguson, Emma Newman, Oliver Reid, Marc Fernandes, Mary J Wilson, Reece McCuthcheon, Herman Z, Rita Z, Beatrix Zureich, Phillip Everett, Liz Lennon, Lin Sole, Ryan Campbell, Jill Turner, Marjorie Bly, Lucy Barranca, June McGinnity, Tom Ryan, Len Brajkovich, Annemarie Domican, Michael Gillum, Ron Byrnes, Josephine Rondena, Fr. Paul Raj, Fr. Vittorio Ricciardi, Delta & Eris Toop, Patrick M., Blair Richards, Theo Oorschot, Jenny Conti, Mary R., Fevziye R., Thomas Lee, Judy & Richard Gaittskell families, John Everett, Susie Boukari, Greg O'Connor, John Brajkovich and those battling with illness **and all those who have asked for our prayers.**

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Keith Hawkins, Tadeusz Chodorowski, Colin Spenser. Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.

EASTER SUNDAY	MAR 30	31	31	APRIL 6	7	7
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM
PROCLAIMER/ NARRATOR/CROWD	Bambi/Mary Syme/ Maria Soraci/ Mitch	Pam	Sabrina	Peter	Chris L.	Mitch
ACOLYTE	Richard	Lou	Dermot	Richard	George	Terry
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie
CHURCH CLEANER	Aida			Julia E		
MORNING TEA				Anna & Mary		

