

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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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time / A 23rd July 2023

SUNDAY MASS TIMES	WEEKDAY MASS TIMES	COVID-19 as of 23 Nov 2022
OUR LADY OF LOURDES Saturday Vigil 6.00pm Sunday 8.00am and 9.30am OUR LADY OF GRACE Sunday 8.00am	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	 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 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 25/07 St. James, apostle 26/07 Sts. Joachim and Anne, parents of Blessed Virgin Mary 29/07 Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus

PARISH EVENTS: Next Parish Morning Tea will be on 6th August after 9:30am Mass.

WARNING, WARNING! PARISHIONERS, THE DUCK FAMILY HAVE RETURNED TO OUR PARISH! PLEASE BE MINDFUL WHAT MAYBE UNDERFOOT. PLEASE WIPE YOUR SHOES/FEET BEFORE ENTERING THE CHURCH. WITH THANKS, THE VOLUNTEER CLEANERS OF OUR PARISH.

Sacrament of Penance and First Eucharist candidates please bring your completed and "signed off" Family sacramental workbooks to any of the weekend Masses this and next weekend:-

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS				
Sat 22	6.00pm	Mass for the People		
Sun 23	8.00am	Deceased, Souls In Need		
	9.30am	Gino Raponi		
Tue 25	8.00am 10.00a.m.	Int. of Donor Funeral Fr. Stepen Cooney O'Praem		
Wed 26	8.00am	Holy Souls		
Thu 27	8.00am	Int. of Antony Nash		
Fri 28	9.00am	Int of Donor		

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 was **79%** of target.

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, horn of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from

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

"God wants it to be known,"

Our God is a creative God and uses many ways to get our attention. Our God is a God that wants to be known and loved. Fr. John Powell, author and priest says that there are five ways through which God can enter and touch our lives. These may include but may not be alluded to.

One: Our Emotions. Being aware of our emotions and movements throughout the day can help us to identify where God is moving in our hearts and in our life. Take time to reflect upon your emotions at the end of each day. What gave you life?

What disturbed you? **Two: Imagination**. When we combine our initiative, with creative expression, it gives birth to new life and engages sacred imagination. **Three: Our Memory**. When we remember aspects of life e.g. where has God worked or where we have been loved, or have experienced powerful transformative circumstances or something continues to come to mind, God may wish to bring something to our attention. **Four: Our Senses.** Our **God** is a sensual God. God has given us the gift of smell, sight, taste, touch and sound to experience all of life and encounter Him and to draw us close through these gifts. **Five is, Our Will** When we take time to discover the deepest desires of our hearts we often find that they are too what God desires for us. God wants the best for us. When we align our hearts and mind with God's we see a beautiful plan unfold and freedom experiencing life to the full, absent from the many fears that hold us back is ours to enjoy. Take some time to be aware of and play with these and listen to God's guidance through these loving gifts.

St. Mary's Cathedral Perth F. J. Larner ORGAN SCOLARSHIPS. For further Info contact Jacinta Jakovcevic Director of Music. email music.cathedral@perthcatholic.org.au ALSO "Young Organist Program" Information flyers available from the pamphlet rack in the entrance of church.

Cornerstone Conference 23 - Christ Alone.

22-24 Sept 2023. John XXIII College Auditorium, Mooro Drive Mt Claremont. Cost: Full Price \$80 - Concession \$40

Parishioners are warmly invited to attend and register for the Cornerstone Conference – Christ Alone. The purpose of the Cornerstone Conference is twofold; to engage with those who call the Church home, equipping and encouraging them to continue the work of Christ and to reach out to those who are or feel disconnected from the Church, presenting a Gospel message that will hopefully soften hearts and allow an opportunity for Christ to become the firm foundation for their lives.

Conference Details and Registration can be found here https://www.cornerstoneconferenceperth.com/

Couples Celebrating Milestone Wedding Anniversaries

As a part of this occasion, the Archdiocese would like to acknowledge those couples celebrating a significant anniversary this year (specifically 10, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50+ years). In 2022, over 200 couples throughout the Archdiocese received a special certificate from the Archbishop and Bishop Don at the Mass. If you know couples who are celebrating a milestone anniversary in their marriage, this year, please encourage them to register with the link below. We would like these couples to receive a special certificate of acknowledgement. All certificate requests MUST be received prior to Thursday, August 10 to enable time for printing.

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 McCuthcheon, 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 Searlle, Tom Ryan, Delta & Eris Toop, Len Brajkovich, Bruno Toffoli, Annemarie Domican, Paul Jacobs. Michael Gillum, Lucy Arite, Anne Heslop and those battling terminal illness and all those who have asked for our prayers.

RECENTLY DECEASED: Tessa Louder, Lucia Marchesani, Fr. Stephen Cooney O'Praem

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Gino Raponi Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetual Light shine upon them.

JULY/AUGUST	29	30	30	05	06	06
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM
PROCLAIMER	Melanie	Chris D.	Sabrina	Peter	Chris L.	Sabrina
ACOLYTE	Dermot	Terry	Richard	George	Dermot	Terry
COLLECTION	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
MUSIC	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie	S. Spencer	Quiet Mass	Mark & Eddie
CHURCH CLEANER	Maggie D.			Veronika & Bernadette		
MORNING TEA			Ana & Mary			