

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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29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 16th October 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.

2. 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

<u>Baptisms:</u> Contact Parish Office Weddings: Contact Father

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

17/10 St. Ignatius of Antioch, bishop, martyr 18/10 St. Luke evangelist

PARISH EVENTS:

- **Melbourne Cup Day Tuesday 1st November** Come and join in some fun to watch the running of the cup with a shared meal in the Parish Centre. At 10.30am see Board for further details!
- Next Parish Morning Tea 6th November All Welcome!!

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS					
Sat 15	6.00pm	Mass for the People			
Sun 16	8.00am	Neville Hockley (Ann)			
	9.30am	The Fallen of Bali 2002			
	5.30pm	Holy Souls			
Tue 18	9.15am	Year 3 Mass / Holy Souls			
Wed 19	8.00am	Holy Souls			
Thu 20	8.00am	Holy Souls			
Fri 21	9.00am	Matthew Sala-Tenna (MM)			
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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 83% of target.

Thank you!

PROFESSION OF FAITHI 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

Ministry to the Sick and Shut-ins Volunteers Required. The Ministry of taking Holy Communion to the Sick and the Shut-ins continues. The number of Catholic residents in the local aged care facilities within our parish has increased dramatically. To serve our brothers and sisters desiring sacrament I again, as prior to the COVID pandemic call upon Eucharistic Ministers to assist in distributing Holy Communion to these our special needs parishioners. Pre-requisite. Current Working with Children, Documentation of Proof of Vaccination of Flu and COVID to the facility and a RAT test prior to entry. Volunteers will be rostered. Volunteers are asked to contact the Parish Office so that a roster may be compiled. Thank You. Fr. Michael.

SAFEGUARDING INDUCTION FOR CHURCH WORKERS AND VOLUNTEERS The Authority has directed us that **ALL parish workers** and **ALL volunteers in parishes** be accredited by completing the prescribed "Safeguarding Course". The occurrence and tragedy of abuse of the vulnerable and innocent youth goes against every fibre of the teaching of Christ and our Christian faith! Let us continue to make our Parish and a safer place to worship and live in. Details of times of online and that of "Face to Face" course are here given below. If you are one of our generous parish volunteers and have not as yet been able to complete the accreditation, I encourage you to take the opportunity to do so. To book in phone 9221 7762 or to register online please visit:

Safeguarding Induction for Church Workers – Safeguarding Office (perthcatholic.org.au) Online for the remainder of the year: Fri, 21 October at 10am; Wed, 26 October at 7pm; Tue, 01 November at 10am; Wed, 16 November at 2pm; Wed, 07 December at 2pm; Thu, 15 December at 7pm

A warm welcome to Mr. Steve Klomp from "Right to Life Association of WA" who joins us this weekend. If you would like to help the Right to Life Association of WA, please ring Steve on **0417 184 789**

Caritas Australia would like to thank you all for your generous support of **Project Compassion 2022**. The total donation by the parish was \$3,196.45. your generosity has made it possible for Caritas Australia to bring hope, support and compassion to the world's most vulnerable people.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders Sunday 16th October Archdiocesan Celebration at St Mary's Cathedral 4.45 Smoking Ceremony 5.00 Mass Celebrated by Bishop Don Sproxton.

CYM SUMMIT (Catholic Youth Ministry) Mass, Adoration & Fellowship weekly on a Wednesday, alternating between North and South parishes. North events **at Infant Jesus Church Morley Mass 6.00pm; Adoration 6.30pm** Oct 12; Oct 26; Nov 09; Nov 23; Dec 07

"I am because you are." Once again, the season of Talent Discovery competitions are being screened on our television. Apart from prize money no doubt those who are deemed good enough will get to launch themselves onto a show business or entertainment career. I recall watching one such episode when a young nineteen-year-old African girl was doing a wonderful job at one for the rehearsal of this show and then was asked how was it that she was able to connect to the song with such passion. You can always tell when a person and their song "get it together". The young woman replied that she was mindful of the African philosophy of "Ubuntu", which translated means "I am because you are." I take that to mean for this young woman it was not singing alone, she was singing with everyone there. She knew herself to be in connection with everyone there and quite probably with all those who were not there as well. What a glorious way of doing anything. Ubuntu. Memory tells me that Nelson Mandela used that as well. In essence I think the saying "I am because you are" maybe talking about our innate connection with all, mankind. There have been studies which have proven that we as human race were created to be near with each other. War, dissention, separation they are not part of our God given DNA. Watch little children, their immediate response to something sad is obvious. I remember watching a race at a school, which was within one of the parishes I was appointed to. It was a school for the intellectually disabled. Ten children were lined up ready for the race and OFF they went. One little boy was clearly ahead and ready enjoying himself, then for some reason he looked around to see where his friend was. His friend had fallen over and was sitting in the middle of the track crying. The little champion ran back and through his arms around his fallen comrade and was seen wiping away the tears. Then he helped him up and the two of them trotted off to the finishing line. Yes, "I am because you are!" Reflecting further on these words it seems to me that at our deepest level, the deepest part of us, a real person can say to God "I am because you are God." I believe that this is worth saying often.

<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, Vincent Ramsay, Ralph Leon Mendoza, Paula Silla, Chris Burke, 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, Fr Myles Lynch O.S.M., Fr. Henry Byrne, Jill Turner, Marjorie Bly, Gail Goerke, Isabelle Tysoe, Fred Fernandes, Julia Everett, Lisa Charlesworth, Katie Ammendolea, *and all those who have asked for our prayers.*

RECENTLY DECEASED: Sulperico Quirit, Nulla Allsop, Maria Luchesse, Neta Reynolds

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK: Neville Hockley, Matthew Sala-Tenna, The Fallen in Bali Eternal rest unto them O Lord and may Perpetu-

OCTOBER	22	23	23	23	29	30	30	30
MASS	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30PM	6PM	8AM	9.30AM	5.30AM
PROCLAIMER	Bambi	Ellita	Mitch	Laurie	Melanie	Leon B.	Julia	Louis
ACOLYTE	Dermot	Lou	Terry	N/A	George	Dermot	Lou	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	Maggie D.			Aida				
MORNING TEA								