



Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Thurgoona

Mary said to the servants: "Do whatever He tells you" John 2:5

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time 11th February 2024

Communion Antiphon

God so loved the world that he gave his Only Begotten Son,
so that all who believe in him may not perish,
but may have eternal life. **Jn 3:16**

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFULL

For our sick: Les Cruthers, Rachel McAuley,
Neil Nand, Paul Murphy, Rosa Coutella, Laurie Evans,
Carmel Baker, Rod Blatchford, Richard Drum,
Lorie McLennan, Fr Reece Beltrame,
Peter Tydeman, and Gwen Abikhair.

Let us pray to the Lord. R. Lord hear our prayer.

For our recently departed: Florence Murphy and for all
those who's anniversaries occur around this time.

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February Anniversaries: Andrew Trethowan,
Aymidee Deguara, Betty Park, Brian (Michael) Baker,
Bro Chris Greck, Dallas Hanrahan, Gregory Tozer,
Jade Smith, Lindon Stewart

ROSTERS

Readers:	Sat: 6:00pm	Paul Whyte
	Sun: 9:30am	Mary Hankin
Next week:	Sat: 6:00pm	Peter Tobin
	Sun: 9:30am	Maria Sparshott
Cleaning:	Sat 17 th Feb	Maria Sparshott et al

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday (vigil) 6:00pm
Sunday 9:30am

Weekday Mass Times

Monday 8:00am
Tuesday 10:00am
Wednesday 8:00am
Thursday 5:30pm
Friday 8:00am
Saturday 8:00am

Reconciliation

Thursday 4:45pm - 5:15pm
Saturday 8:30am - 9:00am
5:30pm - 5:55pm
Sunday 9:00am - 9:25am
Or anytime, just ask Father

Adoration with Benediction

Thursday 4:30pm - 5:25pm

Baptism and Marriage

By appointment

Anointing of the sick Mass

2nd Tue of Feb, Apr, Jun, Aug,
Oct & Dec.

Working Bee

Saturdays 9:00am - 11:00am

PARISH NOTICES

Collect (Opening Prayer)

O God, who teach us that you abide
in hearts that are just and true,
grant that we may be so fashioned by your grace
as to become a dwelling pleasing to you.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Ash Wednesday: is this coming Wednesday 14th February and marks the beginning of
the liturgical season of Lent. Mass will be at the usual time of 8:00am with an additional
Mass at 12:30pm.

Stations of the Cross: will be held in the gardens each Friday evening at 6:00pm
throughout the season of Lent. All most welcome!

Lenten Groups: there will be two (2) Lenten Groups running in the parish throughout
the season of Lent as a way of entering more deeply into the Paschal Mystery and
gaining a deeper understanding of the readings in the Church's liturgy. Fr Anthony will
host one group on Tuesday evenings in the Marian Centre at 7:00pm and Pauline will
host the second group on Thursday mornings at 10:30am at her home. If you would like
further information, please contact Fr Anthony on 6088 6222 or Pauline on 0419 807
065. All most welcome!

Hav-a-Chat: Our first gathering for 2024 will be held in the Marian Centre on 12th
February 2024 commencing at 12.30pm. Enjoy a 2 course Meal with Tea and Coffee at
a cost of \$15. If you know of any ladies who would like to join in with the Hav-a-Chat
luncheon bring them along, they are all most welcomed. For catering purposes please
contact Pauline Pascoe 0419 807 065 or Denis Golden.

Pietà—Lenten Program 2024: We have copies of the Pietà—Lenten Program 2024
available for \$8.00 per copy. Embark on a transformative Lenten journey with Pietà, an
80-page (full-colour book) containing short daily reflections (from Ash Wednesday to
Easter Sunday) perfect for individual devotional reading in addition to the longer-form
Sunday Scripture readings, reflections, prayers, questions and visio divina that
traditionally form part of Lenten group gatherings. As an additional treat, and at the
request of the National Liturgical Commission, Monsignor Graham Schmitzer has
written "A Conversation About Confession"—a short formational reflection on the
beauty of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. If you would like a copy, please see either
Denis Golden or Fr Anthony.

Lent twilight PILGRIMAGE. Leaving Holy Spirit Church, Lavington at 6.15pm
arriving at St Patrick's around 8:30pm, Friday 23/2. Finishes with Compline at 8.30pm
at St Patrick's then a quick cuppa. All ages welcome. Purpose? Enquiries: Francis P. or
Anthony G. holyfacedevotionalbury@gmail.com

Parish Council: If you have any suggestions or concerns about anything at all, please
contact one of our Parish Council representatives:

Maria Sparshott (Chair); Simon Horsfall (Dep Chair); Sandy Zeromski (Sec)
Denis Devcich; Jodie Cunningham; Denis Golden; Mark Mannering; Mary Seidel