



Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Thurgoona *25 yrs*

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

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time **7th July 2024**

Communion Antiphon

Come to me, all who labour and are burdened,
and I will refresh you, says the Lord. **Mt 11:28**

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFULL

For our sick: Pauline Pascoe, Linda Heaslip, Reginald Karu, Rose Fernandas, Laurie Evans, Richard Drum, Lorie McLennan, Fr Reece Beltrame, John Suidgeest, Gwen Abikhair, and Tim Kelly.
Let us pray to the Lord. R. Lord hear our prayer.

For our recently departed: Angela Mannering, Gary Crothers, Isabell Cahill, Les Crothers, and all those who's anniversaries occur around this time.
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July Anniversaries: Albert Morris, Annette Joseph, Bernice Struck, Fr John Ware, Fr Ron O'Donohue, Jennifer Sulicich, Lourdes Quinn, Mark Awburn, Marlene Moona, Neville Peterson, Patrick Power, and Peter Werhun.

ROSTERS

Readers: Sat: 5:00pm Peter Tobin
 Sun: 9:30am Mary Hankin
Next week: Sat: 5:00pm Mary Seidel
 Sun: 9:30am Maria Sparshott
Cleaning: Sat 13th July Maria Sparshott

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK

Thursday: St Benedict, abbot - *Memorial*
Saturday: Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary (No.2)

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Sunday Mass Times

Saturday (vigil) 5:00pm
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
 4:30pm - 4:55pm
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 in the abasement of your Son
have raised up a fallen world,
fill your faithful with holy joy,
for on those you have rescued from slavery to sin
you bestow eternal gladness.

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.**

Welcome Bishop Mark Edwards: We are planning to gather at the golf club after the Saturday Vigil and Sunday morning Masses to share a meal together – All welcome!

Lectio Divina: An introduction for boys and girls 10-12yrs, Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish, Monday 8th July 9:30am till 12 noon. BYO Bible, journal and plate to share. RSVP Maria Sparshott 0448 453 964.

St Vincent de Paul: *urgently* need volunteers to help at the Mate St Care Centre. We need people for the following tasks: Pantry. Manchester. Data entry. Manage Roster. Meeting agenda, Manage emails. Interview clients. Help people with computer tasks, electricity accounts, Service NSW, Centrelink, Telstra. Visit clients who are house bound. We could open in the evenings if volunteers were available. If you can help with one of these tasks, please text Paul on 0401 999 915.

Ever thought about becoming Catholic? *"Faith is a journey of illumination: it starts with the humility of recognizing oneself as needy of salvation and arrives at the personal encounter with Christ, who calls one to follow him on the way of love."* Pope Benedict XVI Angelus: 29 October, 2006.

Becoming Catholic is a profound and joyous experience. Some are blessed enough to receive this great gift while they are infants, and, over time, they recognize the enormous grace that has been bestowed on them. Others enter the Catholic fold when they are older children or adults. Before a person is ready to be received into the Church, whether by baptism or by profession of faith, preparation is necessary. The amount and form of this preparation depends on the individual's circumstance. We have a program starting soon. For more information, please contact Fr Anthony on 6088 6222.

The Brown Scapular: This weekend Bishop Mark will bless Brown Scapulars for distribution to the Faithful. There are promises from the Blessed Virgin attached to devoutly wearing the scapular, including being saved from damnation and being delivered from purgatory on the first Saturday after death. To obtain these promises one must be enrolled in the Confraternity of the Carmelites (a simple ceremony), and fulfil certain conditions assigned by the Blessed Virgin: (1) Wear the Brown Scapular continuously; (2) Observe chastity according to one's state in life (married/single); and (3) observe the fasts of the Church together with abstaining from meat on Wednesdays and Saturdays **OR** With permission of a priest, say five decades of Our Lady's Most Holy Rosary **OR** With permission of a priest, substitute some other good work. Fr Anthony will conduct the enrolment ceremony after Sunday Masses *next* weekend.

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

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

Finance Committee: Peter Tobin and Paul McDermott.