



Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Thurgoona



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

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 1st September 2024

Communion Antiphon

*Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God.
Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness,
for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. In 6:54*

Prayers of the Faithfull

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

For our recently departed: David Dawson, and all those who's anniversaries occur around this time.
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September Anniversaries: Bruce Duck, Fr Peter Carauna, John Lawrowicz, Margaret Doyle, Nicholas Gleeson, Graham Stocks, Jeannie Macintosh, Stephen Boyd, Fr Steve Bohan, Sr Stephen Rhynehart, Judy Chie.

Rosters

Readers: Sat: 5:00pm Peter Tobin
Sun: 9:30am Maria Sparshott
Next week: Sat: 5:00pm Mary Seidel
Sun: 9:30am Simon Horsfall
Cleaning: Sat 7th September Nathan & Kristene

Feast Days this Week

Tuesday: St Gregory the Great, pope, doctor - *Memorial*
Friday: Spring Ember Day – *Special day Prayer & Penance*
Saturday: Memorial of Virgin Mary # 1

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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)

God of might, giver of every good gift,
put into our hearts the love of your name,
so that, by deepening our sense of reverence,
you may nurture in us what is good
and, by your watchful care,
keep safe what you have nurtured.
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.**

First Holy Communion Congratulations to Anthony, Emmanuel, Jackson, Johanan, and Nathan who make their First Holy Communion this Sunday. A day of great joy! May the Lord grant them many graces on this very special occasion, especially the gifts of faith, hope and love. The children have all excelled in their preparation classes and are more than ready to make their Communion with Jesus and the whole worshipping community. Well done to all involved!

Happy Father's Day to all our fantastic Dads, living with us or living with the Lord!
Next Sunday 8th September is the Blessed Virgin Mary's Birthday On this special Feast Day of the Birth of Our Blessed Mother, our Parish of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, which is also celebrating it's 25th Anniversary, extends a warm invitation to all. What better way to 'Honour Our Lord's Mother' than to unite in the celebration of the Mass at 9.30am followed by a Marian Procession of the children to the Grotto where a Rosary will be recited to Our Lady. There will be a BBQ lunch, salads and cake provided, BYO refreshments. We look forward to this milestone of our Parish. For catering purposes could you please write how many in your family will be in attendance on the sheet provided in the foyer.

Faith Education - Ever thought about becoming Catholic? Symbolon program continues this Tuesday, 3rd of September at 7:00pm in the Marian Centre. For more information, please contact Fr Anthony.

Creation Group – using a new program Our next gathering is **Thursday evening the 5th of September at 7:15pm.** Please contact Fr Anthony for further information.

Blessed Carlos Acutis: Relic and Eucharistic Miracle exhibition will be at St Patrick's Albury parish hall on 2nd to the 3rd of September: Mon 3:30pm-8:30pm; Tue 8:00am-8:30pm; Wednesday & Thursday exhibition at Xavier Catholic High School. Entry is free, but donations are welcome. For more information call St Patrick's on 6041 2588.

St Lorenzo Ruiz Mass: 28 September 2024, Sacred Heart Parish, North Albury at 11am followed by Pot Luck Lunch at the Hall. **ALL ARE INVITED.**

Contact: MACE Sisters - 0438 391 990 or 0402 090 438.

Dr. Greg Bottaro, New York based Catholic psychologist, founder of the CatholicPsych Institute and creator of the CatholicPsych Model of Applied Personalism is visiting Australia in September 2024. In Canberra, Dr. Greg will offer a session of PREPARED: a workshop that trains participants in practical strategies to respond to immediate, short-term, and even long-term mental distress from an authentically Catholic perspective. Saturday 21st September, 9am-5pm, Collins Wing, St Benedict's Catholic Parish, Narrabundah, \$33 / \$25 for students, morning and afternoon tea provided (BYO lunch) Learn to identify and address mental distress through a Catholic lens. Register at www.trybooking.com/CULHL or contact Christeena Slee on 0448 497 952.