

# Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Thurgoona



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## MASS TIMES

**Saturday** (Vigil) - 6pm  
**Sunday** 9:30am  
**Monday** 8am  
**Tuesday** 10am  
**Wednesday** 8:00am & 12:30pm  
**Thursday** 5:30pm Mass,  
Holy Hour 4:30pm  
**Friday** 8am  
**Saturday** 8am

**Anointing of the sick Mass**  
2nd Tues of month, March June Sept Dec.

**Reconciliation**  
Thurs during Holy Hour 4:45 - 5:15pm  
Sat 4:30 to 4:55pm before Vigil  
Sun 9 to 9.25am  
Or anytime, just ask Fr

**Baptism and Marriage** By appointment

**Working Bee - Sat 9.00am to 11am** 



## 31<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

30/10/2022

### First reading

Wisdom 11:22-12:2

In your sight, Lord, the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground. Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent. Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it. And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth by you? You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all. Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord.

### Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 144(145):1-2,8-11,13b-14

*I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.*

## Second reading

**2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2**

We pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived.

## Gospel Acclamation

**John 3:16**

Alleluia, alleluia!

God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son,  
that all who believe in him might have eternal life.

Alleluia!

## Gospel

**Luke 19:1-10**

Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance: he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd. So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount.' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.'

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## Prayers of the Faithfull:

**For our sick**, Ray Byrnes, Fr Reece Beltrame, Graeme Murphy, Greg Baker  
Gwen Abikhair and Jackson Davis.

We pray to the Lord.     **R.** Lord hear our prayer.

**For our recently departed**, Domonick O'Connor, Joan Stocks and those  
who's anniversaries occur at this time including those mentioned in the bulletin.

We pray to the Lord.     **R.** Lord hear our prayer.

## Communion Antiphon

**Cf. Ps 15: 11**

You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

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## ANNIVERSARIES

Troy Hawkins, Faye Duncombe, Sean D'Arcy, William Francis Fowles and Anna Stempinska.

## PARISH NOTICES

**Mass Intentions for the Holy Souls:** The coming month of November is traditionally the month to remember the Holy Souls and to pray for the dead. Parishioners are reminded that Mass intention envelopes are available for that purpose. If you would like Mass offered specifically for a loved one, simply provide the details of the deceased on an envelope with an offering inside and place it in the box provided or directly to Fr Anthony.

“Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and may perpetual light shine upon them. May they Rest in Peace. Amen”

**Extra Mass for All Souls Day:** There will be an extra Mass offered for the Holy Souls next Wednesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of November at 12:30pm. This will be in addition to the usual 8:00am Mass. “One who has received the blessed Eucharist may receive it AGAIN on the same day, *only within a Eucharistic celebration in which that person participates...*” (CIC 917).

**Special Rosary for All Souls Day:** You are invited to join in the praying of a special Rosary for All Souls Day at St John’s Cemetery on Wednesday at 9:00am – adjacent to 28 Dunne Cres, Thurgoona. Everyone very welcome! (This will take the place of the normal after-Mass Rosary in the church)



Soul of Jesus, sanctify me.  
Body of Jesus, save me.  
Blood of Jesus, refresh me.  
Water from the side of Jesus, wash me.  
Passion of Jesus, strengthen me.  
O Good Jesus, please hear me.  
Within your wounds, hide me.  
Suffer me not to be separated from thee.  
From the malicious enemy defend me.  
At the hour of my death, call me  
and bid me come to thee.  
That with your saints I may praise thee  
For ever and ever. Amen



## Parish Notices cont...

**First Holy Communion:** The parish Sacramental Programme has recommenced with preparatory lessons for First Holy Communion continuing on Tuesday the 1st, 8th, and 15th November at 4:00pm till 5:15pm in the Parish Centre with the Sacrament of First Holy Communion itself to be celebrated on the Feast of Christ the King – 20th November 2022. If you have any children in Year 2 or older who have not yet received the Sacrament and you would like them to do so, please bring them along. Please note that they must have previously received the Sacrament of Reconciliation which is a pre-requisite for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. Your help in notifying other families who may not see this notice would be greatly appreciated.



**Photos for new website:** We are taking photos for the new website and would like some parishioners in the photos. If you can help please see Fr Anthony.



**Adult Faith Education:** Wednesday evenings at 5:30pm in the Parish Centre.

**Mobile Phones:** Please mute your mobile or turn it off during Mass

**HAVE-A-CHAT** returns after 2 years away due to Covid. The ladies will gather at the Marian Centre on 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 12pm. The theme will be the Melbourne Cup with prizes to be won for Fashions on Parade. Put your best hat on, bring a friend and come along to enjoy a 3 Course Meal.



For catering please let Pauline know, 0419 807 065.

Hope to see you there.

**PayWave Donations:** Machine in entrance, \$10 per tap. 10 second delay  
50/50 split between Presbytery and Parish collections

**Readers:** Sat: 6:00pm Mary Seidel Sun: 9:30am Mark Mannering

**Next week:** Sat: 6:00pm Denis Golden Sun: 9:30am Stefany George

**Cleaning Roster:** Sat 5th Nov Isabella

<b>PARISH COUNCIL</b>	Maria Sparshott (Chair)	Simon Horsfall (Dep Chair)
Sandy Zeromski (Sec)	Denis Devcich	Jodie Cunningham
Denis Golden	Mark Mannering	Mary Seidel



**St Patrick's**  
**150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**  
**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November**

Mass 10.00am  
Lunch in the parish hall.  
Single \$5, family \$10.

Book at [trybooking.com/CCUMC](http://trybooking.com/CCUMC)  
or [admin@stpatrikssalbury.org.au](mailto:admin@stpatrikssalbury.org.au)



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