



# DARRA JINDALEE CATHOLIC PARISH

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## RECONCILIATION TIMES

### **Darra**

Saturday 9:30 am

### **Jindalee**

Saturday 5 pm – 5:45 pm

## 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10 August 2025 Year C



In the middle of Ordinary Time, we discover a theme normally associated with the end of the liturgical year and the season of Advent – vigilance in anticipation of the return of the master. This vigilance demands that we live lives of faith. We do not know when God will open the door of our existence and call us into a deeper realisation of the sacred dimension of life itself. Vigilance is a characteristic of a Christian at all times, for all times. We must be ever vigilant.

While we live in the expectation of the coming of God in the future, we also live now in the presence of God. This means that God is present with us now, as a companion in our lives. It also means that this presence is the context within which our lives unfold. However, until all things are brought to fulfilment, we live in this presence by faith. Faith and hope are intimately joined. As believers, we are called to trust in the promises of God, even when what is promised seems impossible.

We are assured that we will be blessed, but we can never be sure of the exact nature of the blessing. In faith, we put our trust in God and then carry out our responsibilities. In faith we wait for the Lord, who is our help and our shield, not really knowing under what guise he will come to us. Faith is both the cost of living as a disciple and the reward.

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## Feast of Assumption Mass Times - Holy Day of Obligation

1. **Thursday 14 August**  
6:30pm Vigil Jindalee
2. **Friday 15 August 9am Jindalee**
3. **Friday 15 August 6pm Darra**



NB: Parish office will be closed on Wednesday 13 August— Exhibition Day Brisbane.

## MASS TIMES

### **Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church Darra**

103 Darra Station Road, Darra

#### Sunday Masses

Sunday 7:00 am  
Sunday 9:00 am

#### Weekday Mass

Wednesday 9:00 am  
Friday 6:00 pm  
Saturday 9:00 am

### **Twelve Apostles Church Jindalee**

111 Yallambee Road, Jindalee

#### Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil 6:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 am  
Sunday 5:30 pm

#### Weekday Mass

Monday 7:00 am  
Tuesday 9:00 am



Last Tuesday, August 5th, marked the 4th anniversary of Fr. Daniel Carroll's passing. Parishioners, friends, and relatives gathered to remember him and to thank God for his 50 years of dedicated service at the Darra Jindalee Parish.

During the Eucharist, we expressed our gratitude to God for all that Fr. Dan accomplished during his priestly ministry. I would like to thank everyone who helped prepare the liturgy for this Mass, including the musicians, readers, and the ladies who arranged the flowers on the sanctuary. I also extend my appreciation to Fathers Elie Francis, Paul Goodland, Patrick Richards, Paul Mercieca, Peter Truc Hoang, and Wilbard Samboti for concelebrating this Mass with us.

Following the Eucharist, we enjoyed a light supper in the church foyer. There was plenty of food and a warm sharing of stories about Fr. Dan's time in Darra Jindalee. Many thanks to the ladies who prepared the food and kept an eye on the tables to make sure they were well stocked. On this 4th anniversary of his passing, Fr. Dan brought us together to remember, celebrate, and believe with the same faith he shared with the parishioners of Darra Jindalee throughout his 50-year journey from 1971 to 2021.

Blessings Fr Jan



**Have you registered online as a member of our parish?**

All parishioners are invited to register using **Flocknote**, our new church designed, Australia-wide data programme.

Firstly, we will be collecting and building data that was previously stored in the old system, PACS. The new system will provide easier and quicker access to information and records, such as baptismal certificates, etc.

Secondly, in the future, Flocknote will become the primary method of communication with parishioners.

Thirdly, Flocknote will serve as a valuable tool for pastoral ministries, including sacramental programs, baptism classes, funeral arrangements, and other pastoral occasions.

Please register for Darra Jindalee Flocknote. I believe this system will significantly enhance both the administrative side and pastoral life of our parish.

One way to register is by using your phone to scan the QR code below. Thank you for your patience.



Are you considering becoming Catholic? Do you know someone who would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith? Please contact the Darra-Jindalee Parish office via email [darjin@bne.catholic.net.au](mailto:darjin@bne.catholic.net.au) or phone 3715 8517

The participants will meet weekly on Tuesday evenings to explore the Catholic faith. The programme begins on Tuesday **August 26 at 7 pm., Jindalee Church Hall.**

**ROSTER TIMETABLE 9/10 August 2025**

**Readers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Lyn Papa, Trang Le
7am Darra	Babes McGrath
8am Jindalee	Barry Routledge, Peter Dash
9am Darra	Marian Weerasinghe, Rebecca Tasi
5:30pm Jindalee	Anna Seu, Lily Pranata

**Eucharist Ministers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Marina Purcell, Michael Dacono, Michael Waterhouse
7am Darra	Fatu Misi, Andre Tranne
8am Jindalee	Raymond Choong, Veronica Lah, August Toleafoa
9am Darra	Anoma Fernando, Nirmalee Weerasingham, LP Seow
5:30pm Jindalee	Darrylyn Edmestone, Lucia Scuderi, Huu Doan

**Altars Servers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Volunteer please
7am Darra	Nita Mis , Volunteer please
8am Jindalee	Joshua Buys, volunteer please
9am Darra	Eli Tasi, Rahma Asaqat
5:30pm Jindalee	Volunteer

**Cleaners Jindalee**

<b>Group 7</b>	Sophie Kupis, Mrs Anh Do, Kerry O'Connor
<b>Darra</b> 16/17 Aug	Divine Mercy Samoan Group

MULTICULTURAL  
MASS

"Migrants, missionaries  
of hope" Pope Francis

CELEBRATED  
BY ARCHBISHOP  
MARK COLERIDGE

FIND  
OUT  
MORE

24 AUG 2025

2PM, QUEEN OF VIETNAMESE MARTYRS  
CATHOLIC CHURCH, 54 FLINT ST, INALA



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION



Congratulations to the 49 Confirmation Candidates that were presented to our Faith Family last Sunday. Holy Spirit, you are the giver of many gifts. Open the hearts and minds of the Candidates and Families as they prepare for Confirmation. Help them to know that you are confirming all the goodness that they are and will become. Increase their desire to know and follow Jesus as His disciple with a grateful and courageous heart. Amen.

SUNDAY 3 AUGUST 2025 - 9AM SUNDAY 3 AUGUST 2025 - 9AM	Children’s Liturgy of the Word and Mass Presentation of Confirmation Candidates
SUNDAY 10 AUGUST 2025 - 9AM SUNDAY 10 AUGUST 2025 - 10AM	Children’s Liturgy of the Word and Mass Confirmation Lesson 1
SUNDAY 17 AUGUST 2025 - 9AM SUNDAY 17 AUGUST 2025 - 10AM	Children’s Liturgy of the Word and Mass Confirmation Lesson 2
SUNDAY 24 AUGUST 2025 - 9AM SUNDAY 24 AUGUST 2025 - 10AM	Children’s Liturgy of the Word and Mass Confirmation Lesson 3
SUNDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2025	FATHER’S DAY - NO LESSON
SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - 9AM SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2025 - 10AM	Children’s Liturgy of the Word and Mass Confirmation Lesson 4

YOUTH NEWS

Join the DJYM Team and Youth Family for a season of exploring weekly biblical accounts, faith, fun and friendship. All year 6 - 12 students are welcome on Sundays during the school term at 6:30-8:30pm Jindalee Church Hall.

In our parish the Annual Catholic campaign will be held on weekend of 23/24 August

**Agape Charismatic Prayer Group Meeting** – Friday 15th August, AGAPE will start at 7:00pm at Jindalee Church with Praise and Worship to be followed by Adoration & Intercessory Prayer. All are welcome.

**Confidential Prayer Support** is available after various Masses, the next opportunity will be: Sunday 24th August after 8am Mass at Jindalee. Contact Audrey 0435 558 390

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

On Saturday 9th August, **Matthew Nam Nguyen, Finley John-Alfonson Robinson, Antonio Christopher Danesi, Talise Samuelu Hill, Anasitasia Samuelu Hill and Samuelu Blessing Hill** will be graced with the Sacrament of Baptism. We warmly welcome their families to the Darra Jindalee Parish and entrust them into Our Lady’s motherly care.

WITH OUR PRAYERS  
WE ENTRUST TO GOD’S MERCY

THE SICK

Ron Lucas, Khim (Pat) Chuong, Gerry Redmond, Reshma Monteiro, Jennifer R. Stephens, Bryan Smith, Antonio Sarmento, Chanel Beaver, Fr Vince Hobbs, Tom McCracken, Mary Sturgeon, Theresia Fisher, Ron Atkins, Paul Purcell, Savelio Fuiono, Walter Pick, Blin Berhane , Pauline Lavey, Maria Makerita Auva, Amalia Florian, Sr Margaret Mary Danaher (vision) Rita Fenech, Paul Grima, Maha Hachem, Dell Lambert, Peter Henderson, Valma King, Jenny Magee, Graham McBryde, Annette Tanks, Ron Ford, Lee Denton, **and for those who have need of our prayers at this time.**

RECENTLY DECEASED

Larry Buenvenida, Barry Cumner, Do Trong Thuy

ANNIVERSARIES

Christopher Jordan, Aloysius Aseervatham, Alan Hoogewerf, Joseph Hoang Dinh, Joseph Dine Van, Dulce Cruz, Ray Carmichael and all members of Cruz family, Gavin Giorgio, Dominic Dinh Bi, Maria Vu thi Dong, Maria Bui thi Mai, Betty Van Emerick, Maria Vu Dong, Duyen Viet Nguyen (Dominic), Anna Huong Nguyen, James T.N. L. Tien, Regina Tan, Fred Neubronner, Hazel Machin, Ferdie Mariano, Ricky Azcona, Ronald Azcona, Roddy Azcona, Stasia & Joe Sekava, Maria Hoang Thi Nu, Eileen Williams, Terence Cooney

**Birthday Anniversary:** Nancy Stanley (8 August),

**and pray for:** Peter Nguyen, Khac Tu, Anna Nguyen Thi Tinh, Joseph Nguyen Hong Thanh, Paul Pham Y, Paul Pham Tuat, Anna Bui Thi Lan, Anna Tran Thi Can, Paul Pham Kim Nhan, Anna Pham Thi Nghia, Anna Pham Thi Huong, , Elisabeth Nguyen Thi Can, Peter Hoang Su, Maria, Thaddeus NHB, Peter T.V.L, Peter C.V.G, Peter N.V.T, Joseph L.V.T, John the Baptist Di, Huynh Kiem Long, Pham Thi Ky, Huynh Khuong Ninh, Ly Thi Hong Anh, Joseph Ly Van Tai, Ancestors, Relatives & Friends, All Souls Joseph Ly Van Tai, ancestors, **all souls, all deceased parishioners, deceased relatives and friends of all here present.**

In the scriptures, by the Spirit,  
May we see the Saviour's face,  
Hear his word and heed his calling,  
Know his will and grow in grace.

**Sunday 10 Aug 2025**

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C**

**First Reading**

**A reading from the book of Wisdom 18:6-9**

That night had been foretold to our ancestors,  
so that,  
once they saw what kind of oaths they had put their trust in,  
they would joyfully take courage.  
This was the expectation of your people,  
the saving of the virtuous and the ruin of their enemies;  
for by the same act with which you took vengeance on our foes  
you made us glorious by calling us to you.  
The devout children of worthy men offered sacrifice in secret  
and this divine pact they struck with one accord:  
that the saints would share the same blessings and dangers alike;  
and forthwith they had begun to chant the hymns of the fathers.

**Responsorial Psalm 32:1. 12. 18-20. 22. R. v.12**

**(R.) Happy the people the Lord has chosen to be his own.**

1. Ring out your joy to the Lord, O you just;  
for praise is fitting for loyal hearts.  
They are happy, whose God is the Lord,  
the people he has chosen as his own. (R.)
2. The Lord looks on those who revere him,  
on those who hope in his love,  
to rescue their souls from death,  
to keep them alive in famine. (R.)
3. Our soul is waiting for the Lord.  
The Lord is our help and our shield.  
May your love be upon us, O Lord,  
as we place all our hope in you. (R.)

**Second Reading**

**A reading from the letter to the Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12**

Only faith can guarantee the blessings that we hope for, or prove the existence of the realities that at present remain unseen. It was for faith that our ancestors were commended.

It was by faith that Abraham obeyed the call to set out for a country that was the inheritance given to him and his descendants, and that he set out without knowing where he was going. By faith he arrived, as a foreigner, in the Promised Land, and lived there as if in a strange country, with Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. They lived there in tents while he looked forward to a city founded, designed and built by God.

It was equally by faith that Sarah, in spite of being past the age, was made able to conceive, because she believed that he who had made the promise would be faithful to it. Because of this, there came from one man, and one who was already as good as dead himself, more descendants than could be counted, as many as the stars of heaven or the grains of sand on the seashore.

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Matthew 24:42. 44**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Be watchful and ready:

You know not when the Son of Man is coming.

Alleluia!

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 12:35-40**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'See that you are dressed for action and have your lamps lit. Be like men waiting for their master to return from the wedding feast, ready to open the door as soon as he comes and knocks. Happy those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes. I tell you solemnly, he will put on an apron, sit them down at table and wait on them. It may be in the second watch he comes, or in the third, but happy those servants if he finds them ready. You may be quite sure of this, that if the householder had known at what hour the burglar would come, he would not have let anyone break through the wall of his house. You too must stand ready, because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.'

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**Divine Mercy Hour every Sunday at the  
Twelve Apostles Church 3 pm.  
Praying the Divine Mercy Chaplet and  
reflections based of the Diary of St Faustina**



Saint Mary of the Cross  
MacKillop Rosary beads are  
available at the piety stall.

Fr Jan has blessed the beads.  
Cost of rosary beads \$30.00

**VACANCY – VISITING COMMUNION MINISTER – SUNDAY MORNINGS**

The Parish is in need of a Visiting Communion Minister to give Communion to parishioners in their homes in the Centenary suburbs. The Visiting Minister would ideally collect the hosts from the Jindalee 8am Mass and serve as a Minister of Holy Communion at that Mass. However other arrangements can be made.

If you can spare an hour to visit parishioners on Sunday mornings every 4-5 weeks the Parish will be most grateful and provide you with training and ongoing support. Please contact the Parish Office if you can help.