



# DARRA JINDALEE CATHOLIC PARISH

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## RECONCILIATION TIMES

### **Darra**

Saturday 9:30 am

### **Jindalee**

Saturday 5 pm - 5:45 pm

## 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 12th October 2025 Year C



The leprosy of Naaman and the ten men in the gospel serves as a metaphor for sinfulness, the condition that makes us unfit for the presence of God and despicable in the eyes of others. Separated from God and alienated from society, we are truly in a deplorable state, a state out of which we are unable to extricate ourselves. Into these seemingly hopeless conditions step the prophet Elisha and Jesus. Each in his own way brings the healing power of God, the saving grace of God. Paul is also a mediator, as we see in today's second reading. He brings the gospel to those who need salvation. When people are open to his preaching, they are transformed and made ready to receive eternal glory.

After healing comes gratitude and praise. Both Naaman and the lone Samaritan are so filled with gratitude that they return to the one responsible for their healing. They are not so preoccupied with their good fortune as to forget that it came to them as a gift. Their response is the kind of thanks and praise proclaimed in the psalm and also celebrated at each Sunday Eucharist. We have been saved from our sin, alienation from God and from each other, so let us give thanks to the Lord.

Those who know that they have been healed, who realise that this was a gift freely given to them, and who return to give thanks have, by these acts of devotion, stepped over a threshold into a new way of living. Their thanks and praise usher them into a new age, the age of eschatological promise.

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### PARISH COMMUNITY MEETING

Monday 27 October @ 7pm.

Jindalee Church All parishioners welcome.

A Mass with the administering of the Sacrament of the Sick will be held **on Tuesday, October 21, at 9:00 a.m.** at the Twelve Apostles Church, Jindalee. Please let those who may need to receive this Sacrament know about this Mass.

## 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

**Agape Charismatic Prayer Group Meeting** – Friday 17th October, AGAPE will start at 7:00pm at Jindalee Church with Praise and Worship to be followed by Adoration and Intercessory Prayer. All are welcome.

Confidential **Prayer Support** is available after various Masses, the next opportunity will be: **Sunday 26th Oct after 5.30pm Mass at Jindalee** Contact Audrey 0435 558 390.

**24-Hour Adoration - OLSH Darra**

**Thursday 23rd—Friday 24th October**

Parishioners are invited to nominate times when they would be able to be present before the Blessed Sacrament over the period of adoration. There will be clipboards with adoration times placed in the foyers of both churches. We need at least 2 people to be present at all times.

**Adoration will commence after 6pm Mass on the Thursday and conclude with Mass at 6pm on the Friday.**

Enquiries to Parish Office. Thank you.

**Eternal Rest**

Eternal rest, grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him.  
May he rest in peace.  
Amen.

November is traditionally a month when we remember and pray for those who have gone before us, marked by the sign of faith.

Also, throughout November, many Catholics make an effort to visit the graves of their deceased parents, relatives, and friends. A lot of us cannot do this because our loved ones are buried far from Australia. Since we can't travel to their graves, we can offer prayers for them instead. Masses offered for the departed help unite us with the Paschal Mystery of the Risen Lord.

The Church has always practised praying for the souls of the departed. The Bible offers numerous scriptural reasons for this intercessory prayer for the dead. Job's sacrifices purified his sons (Job 1:5), and Judas Maccabeus "made atonement for the dead that they be delivered from their sin" (2 Macc 12:46).

This meaningful tradition of praying for our departed loved ones is cherished through both public and private prayers, especially by offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for their repose. Yellow envelopes are available at the back of our two Churches for the November Masses. Feel free to take one, **write the name of your departed loved one in BLOCK letters**, and if you'd like, include a donation. You can place your envelope on the collection plate or bring it to the Office.

**ROSTER TIMETABLE 11/12 October 2025**

**Readers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Leon Fernandes, Farrah Ferrando
7am Darra	Babes McGrath
8am Jindalee	John Duncombe, Jeff Haywood
9am Darra	Marian Weerasinghe, Jessica Samaila
5:30pm Jindalee	Anna Seu, Marindra Welgampola

**Eucharist Ministers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	August Toleafoa, Michael Dacono, Lissy Fernandes
7am Darra	Nikolao Ropati, volunteer
8am Jindalee	Chris Guyler, Veronica Lah, Germaine Guyler
9am Darra	Anoma Fernando, Nirmalee Weerasingham, Tomasi Iosefo
5:30pm Jindalee	Katrina Bartholomew, James Bradley, Lucia Scuderi

**Altars Servers**

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Volunteer please
7am Darra	Nita Misi, volunteer
8am Jindalee	Natalie Dinh, volunteer
9am Darra	Ioana & Hozanah Iosefo
5:30pm Jindalee	Volunteer

**Cleaners Jindalee**

**Group 8** Margaret Hutchinson, Volunteer

**Darra** 18/19 October Divine Mercy Samoan Group

**LIVE AT FRANKIE'S**  
**THE SONGS OF VALLI & SINATRA**

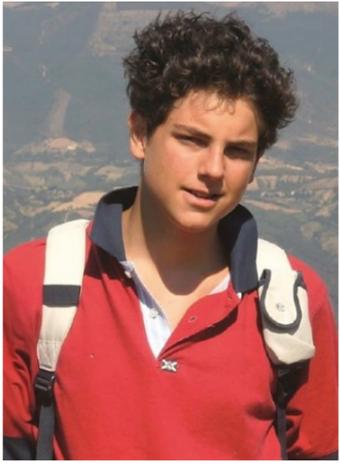
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**Saint CARLO ACUTIS and Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles** Jindalee Darra to host, a **First-Class Relic** of Blessed Carlo Acutis and **Vatican International Exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles**, which St Carlo put together from the age of 11 to 15 years old.

**VENUE:** Parish Hall, Jindalee, from Friday, October 31, till Sunday evening, November 2

Kate Hobbs, who has been involved for many years in promoting all around Australia St Carlo Acutis and his Eucharistic Miracle Exhibition, will give a talk to give us more insight into the holiness of this young man. The talks will be on Friday evening, 7 pm Oct. 31 and Sunday 6.30 pm on Nov 2.

**Exhibition times**

- Friday 5 pm — 8 pm
- Saturday 10 am 5.30 pm
- Sunday 9 am—8 pm

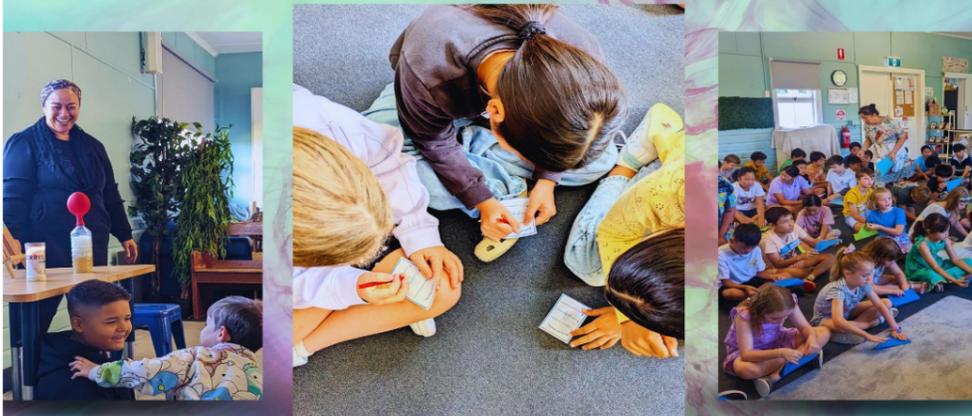
**The First Millennial Saint on the Path to Sainthood (6mins)**  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z98LhwVGQN8>



**For Children: The Life of Blessed Carlo Acutis (7mins)**  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yC\\_oZIY\\_f5w&t=197s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yC_oZIY_f5w&t=197s)



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD**



**TERM 4** LAUNCHING FROM SUNDAY 12 AUGUST 2025  
 9AM . OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART DARRA

**SOCIAL NIGHT**  
 DARRA JINDALEE YOUTH MINISTRY



**SUNDAY 20**  
**19 OCT 25**  
 6:30-8:30PM  
 CHURCH OF THE TWELVE APOSTLES HALL

**WITH OUR PRAYERS  
 WE ENTRUST TO GOD'S MERCY**

**THE SICK**

Rose Jansa, Jonathon Caldwell, Ron Lucas, 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, Jenny Magee, Graham McBryde, Annette Tanks, Ron Ford, Lee Denton, **and for those who have need of our prayers at this time.**

**RECENTLY DECEASED**

Giuse Vu Van Doan, Paul Grima, Maria Yumi Lestari Pranata, Kalolo Afuie,

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Marie McMenamin, Peter Jackson Farry, Antonio Pennisi, Beryl Agnes Farry, Carmel Cain, Angelina Ramalinho, Ernie Robson, Maureen McBryde, Achamma Thomas

**and pray for:** Achama James, Do Trong Thuy, 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.**



The Carmelite Sisters invite you to celebrate the Solemnity of **St. Teresa of Jesus (Avila) Sunday 19 October 10.30 am - Eucharist Stay** for a picnic lunch - tea, coffee, sandwiches on sale; browse the stalls for cards, books, and medals of St Teresa and other Carmelite Saints, and the sisters' handcrafts. Carmelite Monastery, 287 Wellington St, Ormiston.

Ph: 0466 739 138 [www.carmeliteormiston.com](http://www.carmeliteormiston.com)

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 12 Oct 2025

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

First Reading

A reading from the second book of the Kings 5:14-17

Naaman the leper went down and immersed himself seven times in the Jordan, as Elisha had told him to do. And his flesh became clean once more like the flesh of a little child.

Returning to Elisha with his whole escort, he went in and stood before him. 'Now I know' he said, 'that there is no God in all the earth except in Israel. Now, please, accept a present from your servant.' But Elisha replied, 'As the Lord lives, whom I serve, I will accept nothing.' Naaman pressed him to accept, but he refused. Then Naaman said, 'Since your answer is "No," allow your servant to be given as much earth as two mules may carry, because your servant will no longer offer holocaust or sacrifice to any god except the Lord.'

Responsorial Psalm 97:1-4. R. v.2

(R.) The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power.

1. Sing a new song to the Lord  
for he has worked wonders.  
His right hand and his holy arm  
have brought salvation. (R.)
2. The Lord has made known his salvation;  
has shown his justice to the nations.  
He has remembered his truth and love  
for the house of Israel. (R.)
3. All the ends of the earth have seen  
the salvation of our God.  
Shout to the Lord all the earth,  
ring out your joy. (R.)

Second Reading

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy 2:8-13

Remember the Good News that I carry. 'Jesus Christ risen from the dead, sprung from the race of David'; it is on account of this that I have my own hardships to bear, even to being chained like a criminal – but they cannot chain up God's news. So I bear it all for the sake of those who are chosen, so that in the end they may have the salvation that is in Christ Jesus and the eternal glory that comes with it.

Here is a saying that you can rely on:

If we have died with him, then we shall live with him.  
If we hold firm, then we shall reign with him.  
If we disown him, then he will disown us.  
We may be unfaithful, but he is always faithful,  
for he cannot disown his own self.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

For all things give thanks to God,  
because this is what he expects of you in Christ Jesus.

Alleluia!

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 17:11-19

On the way to Jerusalem Jesus travelled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered one of the villages, ten lepers came to meet him. They stood some way off and called to him, 'Jesus! Master! Take pity on us.' When he saw them he said, 'Go and show yourselves to the priests.' Now as they were going away they were cleansed. Finding himself cured, one of them turned back praising God at the top of his voice and threw himself at the feet of Jesus and thanked him. The man was a Samaritan. This made Jesus say, 'Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.' And he said to the man, 'Stand up and go on your way. Your faith has saved you.'

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Catholic Mission Annual Appeal

18/19 October 2025



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



Feast of Saint Jude will be celebrated  
at the Saturday 9am Mass on Satur-  
day 25 October. OUR LADY OF THE  
SACRED HEART DARRA

RCIA

TUESDAY EVENING 7PM—7TH OCTOBER—JINDALEE HALL  
Next Session Topic: PETER AND THE CHURCH