



DARRA JINDALEE CATHOLIC PARISH

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RECONCILIATION TIMES

Darra

Saturday 9:30 am

Jindalee

Saturday 5 pm – 5:45 pm

14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SUNDAY 5th July 2026



This year's celebration invites us to reflect as we mark 40 years since St Pope John Paul II addressed Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples in Alice Springs, and to celebrate 50 years of NAIDOC Week. These milestones are more than anniversaries — they are reminders of enduring faith, resilience, and our shared call to walk together.

At times, it is important to look back, not to dwell in the past, but to recognise the path travelled — the strength, the challenges, and the grace that have carried us forward. In doing so, we trust in God's providence, present at every step of our journey.

Our theme, Walking Together in Christ: 40 Years On! speaks to this moment. It calls us to continue the journey with humility and hope, listening deeply and walking side by side as one Body in Christ, guided by the Holy Spirit. Across this land, the Church is enriched by the cultures and voices of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. Their spirituality, connection to Country, and deep sense of community continue to shape and strengthen the life of the Church in Australia.

As St Pope John Paul II reminded us in Alice Springs, the Church is enriched by the many cultures it embraces. This is not something we simply acknowledge — it is something we are called to live. This Sunday is an invitation to listen, reflect, and encounter Christ in one another. Wherever you are gathered — in Parish, school, or community — may this celebration be a moment of grace. May it renew our hearts, deepen our unity, and strengthen our commitment to walk together in faith. We thank you for being part of this journey.

NATSICC Liturgy Team

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 Monday, I met with two parishioners interested in bringing back the morning tea at Twelve Apostles church after the 8 am Sunday Mass. Before COVID, this gathering was a routine opportunity to chat, socialise, and build relationships with fellow parishioners. Great idea, and I am happy to see this morning tea gathering after the 8 am Mass. To make it happen, we need volunteers who would take responsibility for the preparation and logistics of food, tea, coffee, etc. If you can help, please contact the office by phone **07 3715 8517** or email darjin@bne.catholic.net.au



DISCOVER ST CARLO'S 5 STEPS TO HOLINESS

SUNDAY 5TH JULY

THE CHURCH OF THE TWELVE APOSTLES, JINDALEE

8:00AM MASS W/ MSGR ANTHONY FIGUEIREDO

9:00AM TALK BY MSGR ANTHONY FIGUEIREDO

& VENERATION OF PERICARDIUM RELIC

10:00AM ROSARY W/ REFLECTIONS FROM ST CARLO

10:30AM ADORATION & CONFESSION

3:00PM DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

3:30PM YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS:

TALK BY MSGR ANTHONY FIGUEIREDO

& VENERATION OF PERICARDIUM RELIC

5:30PM MASS W/ MSGR ANTHONY FIGUEIREDO

6:30-7:00PM VENERATION OF PERICARDIUM RELIC

9:00AM-5:30PM ST CARLO'S EUCHARISTIC MIRACLES EXHIBITION

Please be advised that the relic will be available for veneration throughout the full duration of the program.

To be transformed into love through the Eucharist

OFFICE HOURS SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 9AM—2PM.

Agape Charismatic Prayer Group Meeting – Friday 10th July, AGAPE will start at 7:00pm at Jindalee Church with Praise and Worship to be followed by Teaching on Faith.

All are welcome. **Please note the next Confidential Prayer Support** is on this Sunday 12th July after 8am Mass at Jindalee.
Audrey 0435 558 390

God's Word 2027 books are offered at a discounted price. Parishioners are welcome to place orders for this book at Darra and Jindalee piety stalls. Orders must be placed by 30 July.

Enquires to Cheryl Haywood 0437 547 287



Last week, the broken tiles at the entrance to the Twelve Apostles Church were replaced. They were damaged because some parishioners drive their vehicles too close to the church (reversing or turning). **Please keep**

your vehicles away from the tiled area. There is enough space in the keyhole to manoeuvre your vehicle. Please also respect the signage in this area in front of the Twelve Apostles Church. Respecting the signage in the keyhole will benefit us all, especially in an emergency. The new tiles will also last longer.

Mass with the anointing of the sick.

Join us on **Saturday, July 11**, at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Darra, for the **9 am Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.** This Sacrament is a gentle reminder of God's care for those who are feeling unwell or growing older. It's a beautiful opportunity for our community to come together and reflect on the human experience of fragility and illness, and to receive the needed through this Sacrament. We warmly invite parishioners and visitors facing health challenges or experiencing age-related difficulties to participate. Remember, the Sacrament of the Sick is meant to bring healing and comfort, offering spiritual strength rather than marking the end of life.

ROSTER TIMETABLE 4/5 JULY 2026

Readers

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Leon Fernandes, Farrah Ferrando
7am Darra	Jim Tobin, Denise O'Malley
8am Jindalee	Anna Seu, Denis Nolan
9am Darra	LP Seow, Maria Nasalio
5:30pm Jindalee	Sarah O'Kane, Jeff Haywood

Eucharist Ministers

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Philip Cheng, Michael Dacono, Lissy Fernandes
7am Darra	Mai Pham, Andre Tranne
8am Jindalee	Veronica Lah, August Toleafoa, Gem Guyler
9am Darra	Audrey Chan, N Weerasingham, Anoma Fernando
5:30pm Jindalee	Lucia Scuderi, Marie Fernando, Jackie Hillman

Altar Servers

6pm Vigil Jindalee	Volunteer please
7am Darra	Mele Liufau Esera, Volunteer please
8am Jindalee	Volunteer please
9am Darra	Ioana Iosefo, Hozanah Iosefo
5:30pm Jindalee	Arianna Bernabe, Volunteer

Cleaners Jindalee

Group 6	Hieu Nguyen, Jo Morton, Teresa Arunakumaren
<u>Darra</u> 11/12 July	Vietnamese Group

Urgently needed Cleaners for Jindalee. Please call the parish office.

On June 7 and 14, 49 children received the First Holy Communion;
CONGRATULATIONS, CHILDREN AND PARENTS. Now that these girls and boys have completed Christian Initiation, I invite them to join the sacred ministry of Altar Serving. This special role offers a wonderful opportunity for them to grow in faith and to strengthen their relationship with Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. The primary role of an altar server is to assist at the altar during the Eucharistic liturgy or other devotions. Our loving Saviour is present at the altar, as He was at the Last Supper and Calvary. For this reason, serving at the altar of God is a special honour. Before joining our Altar Server roster, children will attend a friendly training session. To sign up, please call (07) 3715 8517 or email ym.darjin@bne.catholic.net.au. The first training session with Luisa will be during **Sunday 5 July 8am Jindalee Mass and Sunday 12 July 9am Mass Darra**. Please meet 20 minutes prior to Mass for a debriefing.
God bless Fr Jan



REGISTRATION FOR RECONCILIATION 2026
Register at
<https://darrajindaleecatholicparish.org.au/reconciliation/>
REGISTRATION OPENS MONDAY 15 JUNE AND CLOSSES FRIDAY 17 JULY 2026
FOR THOSE IN YEAR 5 AND ABOVE WHO RECEIVED FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IN 2025

2026 CONFIRMATION



MONDAY 7 SEPTEMBER
Parents Information Evening
Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Darra
6:30pm



TUESDAY 8 SEPTEMBER
Parents Information Evening
Twelve Apostles Church Jindalee
6:30pm



SUNDAY 13 SEPTEMBER
Presentation of Candidates
Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Darra
9am

Register at: <https://darrajindaleecatholicparish.org.au/confirmation/>
For those who are Baptised and in Year 3 and above
Registration closes Friday 4 September 2026

WITH OUR PRAYERS

WE ENTRUST TO GOD'S MERCY

THE SICK

Tadeusz Kopansk, Shaun W. Janine Rowe,
Lou Wilkinson, Des Lavey, Reshma Monteiro, Anna, Isabella Sep-
panen Taylor (Vincent), Justin Duncombe, Clare Caverswall, Patricia
Curnow, Alojzija Rutar, Fr Barry Grayson, Annalie DJ. Herbolario. Jon-
athon Caldwell, Ron Lucas, Jennifer R. Stephens, Antonio Sarmiento,
Fr Vince Hobbs, Tom McCracken, Mary Sturgeon, Theresia Fisher,
Paul Purcell, Savelio Fuiono, Walter Pick, Blin Berhane,
Maria Makerita Auvaa, Sr Margaret Mary Danaher (vision), Rita
Fenech, Maha Hachem, 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

Pauline Lavey, Mary Norfolk, Gerard Cain, Andre Lamaletie, Helene
Van Der Zant, baby Luca Robert Paterson, Tony Veivers, Kathleen Bald-
win, Wiesia Cante, Margaret Stevens, Iulio Ulugia, Jacqueline Deirdre
Pascual,

ANNIVERSARIES

Maria Dan Cao, Kenneth Edward Harris, Barry Cumner, Alain Thom-
as, Cyril Lapere, Maureen Francois, Dagmar Zivkovic, Olaf Son-
thany, Abhilash Thomas, Maria Buivan, Maria Cao Thi Dan, Michael
Gerard O'Dowd, Selestino Garcia, Antonios Trad, Krystyna Gierczak,
Helena Gryl, Maria Vu thi Nham, Maria Vu thi Men,
and pray for: Peter Nguyen Khac Tu, Anna Nguyen Thi Tinh, Jo-
seph Nguyen Hong Thanh, Peter 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, Stella Gibbs,
Peter C.V.G, Peter N.V.T, Joseph L.V.T, John the Baptist Di, Paul
Nguyen Tuyen Phuong, Huynh Kiem Long, Pham Thi Ky, Huynh Khu-
ong Ninh, Ly Thi Hong Anh, Joseph Ly Van Tai **and pray for: all
souls, all deceased parishioners, deceased relatives and friends
of all here present.**

Birthday anniversaries Cecilia Blanco and Sebastian Kallarackal

FUNERAL DETAILS

**A Requiem Mass will be held for Mrs Pauline Lavey on
Monday 6 July at 11am at Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church,
Darra.**

In lieu of flowers donations to SVDP or Dementia Australia.

**Funeral Service for Mrs Mary Norfolk
Wednesday 8th July at 1:30pm 12 Apostles Church Jindalee.
Refreshments afterwards.**

**Requiem Mass for Gerard Cain
Monday 13 July at 11am 12 Apostles Church, Jindalee**

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 05 Jul 2026

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

A reading from the prophet Zechariah 9:9-10

The Lord says this:

'Rejoice heart and soul, daughter of Zion!
Shout with gladness, daughter of Jerusalem!
See now, your king comes to you;
he is victorious, he is triumphant,
humble and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.
He will banish chariots from Ephraim
and horses from Jerusalem;
the bow of war will be banished.
He will proclaim peace for the nations.
His empire shall stretch from sea to sea,
from the River to the ends of the earth.'

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14 R. v.1

(R.) I will praise your name for ever,
my king and my God.

1. I will give you glory, O God my King,
I will bless your name for ever.
I will bless you day after day
and praise your name for ever. (R.)
2. The Lord is kind and full of compassion,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
How good is the Lord to all,
compassionate to all his creatures. (R.)
3. All your creatures shall thank you, O Lord,
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.
They shall speak of the glory of your reign
and declare your might, O God. (R.)
4. The Lord is faithful in all his words
and loving in all his deeds.
The Lord supports all who fall
and raises all who are bowed down. (R.)

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans 8:9.11-13

Your interests are not in the unspiritual, but in the spiritual, since the Spirit of God has made his home in you. In fact, unless you possessed the Spirit of Christ you would not belong to him, and if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, then he who raised Jesus from the dead will give life to your own mortal bodies through his Spirit living in you.

So then, my brothers, there is no necessity for us to obey our unspiritual selves or to live unspiritual lives. If you do live in that way, you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put an end to the misdeeds of the body you will live.

Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 11:25

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth;
you have revealed to little ones the mysteries of the kingdom.

Alleluia!

Gospel

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew 11:25-30

Jesus exclaimed, 'I bless you, Father, Lord of heaven and of earth, for hiding these things from the learned and the clever and revealing them to mere children. Yes, Father, for that is what it pleased you to do. Everything has been entrusted to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, just as no one knows the Father except the Son and those to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

'Come to me, all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest. Shoulder my yoke and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. Yes, my yoke is easy and my burden light.'

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



NAIDOC
WEEK
50 YEARS
DEADLY
5-12 JULY 2026

'You have learned how to survive, whether on your own lands, or scattered among the towns and cities. Though your difficulties are not yet over, you must learn to draw on the endurance which your ancient ceremonies have taught you. Endurance brings with it patience; patience helps you to find the way ahead, and gives you courage for your journey.'

Quote St John Paul II