

**ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:** Save us, O Lord our God! And gather us from the nations, to give thanks to your holy name, and make it our glory to praise you. (Ps 105:47)

**A reading from the Book of Jeremiah (1:4-5, 17-19)** The word of the Lord came to me saying, "Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations. But you, gird up your loins; arise, and say to them everything that I command you. Do not be dismayed by them, lest I dismay you before them. And I, behold, I make you this day a fortified city, an iron pillar, and bronze walls, against the whole land – against the kings of Judah, its princes, its priests, and the people of the land. They will fight against you; but they shall not prevail against you, for I am with you, says the Lord, to deliver you." **This is the Word of the Lord.**

**Responsorial Psalm: My lips will tell of your help.**

In you, O Lord, I take refuge; let me never be put to shame. In your justice rescue me, free me: pay heed to me and save me. **R/**

Be a rock where I can take refuge, a mighty stronghold to save me; for you are my rock, my stronghold. Free me from the hand of the wicked. **R/**

It is you, O Lord, who are my hope, my trust O Lord, since my youth. On you I have leaned from my birth, from my mother's womb you have been my help. **R/**

My lips will tell of your justice and day by day of your help. O God, you have taught me from my youth and I proclaim your wonders still. **R/**

**A reading from the First Letter of St Paul to the Corinthians**

(12:31–13:1-13) Earnestly desire the higher gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way. If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give away all I have, and if I deliver my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. "Love is patient and kind; love is not jealous or boastful; it is not arrogant or rude. Love does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends; as for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. For our knowledge is imperfect and our prophecy is imperfect; but when the perfect comes, the imperfect will pass away. When I was a child,

**Entrance:**  
**GLORY AND PRAISE TO OUR GOD**



**Refrain:**  
**Glory and praise to our God, who alone gives light to our days. Many are the blessings he bears to those who trust in his ways.**

We, the daughters and sons of him, who built the valleys and plains. Praise the wonders our God has done in every heart that sings (**Ref**)

In his wisdom he strengthens us, like gold that's tested in fire. Though the power of sin prevails our God is there to save (**Ref**)

**Offertory BLESSED BE GOD**

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Blessed are you Lord, God of all creation  
Thanks to your goodness, this bread we offer  
Fruit of the earth, work of our hands



**Refrain:**

**Blessed be God, Blessed be God  
Blessed be God, Forever Amen  
Blessed be God, Blessed be God  
Blessed be God, forever Amen**

Blessed are you Lord, God of all creation  
Thanks to your goodness, this wine we offer  
Fruit of the vine, work of our hands  
It will become the cup of joy (**Ref**)

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I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became a man, I gave up childish ways. For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall understand fully, even as I have been fully understood. So faith, hope, love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love. **This is the Word of the Lord.**

**Alleluia, alleluia!** The Word became flesh and dwelt among us; to all who received him he gave power to become children of God. **Alleluia!**

**A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Luke (4:21-30)**

Jesus began to say to all in the synagogue, "Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." And all spoke well of him, and wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out of his mouth; and they said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" And he said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, 'Physician, heal yourself; what we have heard you did at Capernaum, do here also in your own country'." And he said, "Truly, I say to you, no prophet is acceptable in his own country. But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when there came a great famine over all the land; and Elijah was sent to none of them but only to Zarephath, in the land of Sidon, to a woman who was a widow. And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha; and none of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian." When they heard this, all in the synagogue were filled with wrath. And they rose up and put him out of the city, and led him to the brow of the hill on which their city was built, that they might throw him down headlong. But passing through the midst of them he went away. **The Gospel of the Lord.**

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON:** Let your face shine on your servant. Save me in your merciful love. O Lord, let me never be put to shame, for I call on you.

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**WHERE CHARITY AND LOVE PREVAIL**

Where charity and love prevail,  
there God is ever found;  
Brought here together by Christ's love,  
by love are we thus bound.

With grateful joy and holy fear  
God's charity we learn;  
Let us with heart and mind and soul  
now love God in return.

Forgive we now each other's faults  
as we our faults confess;  
And let us love each other well  
in Christian holiness.

Let strife among us be unknown,  
let all contention cease;  
Be God's the glory that we seek,  
be ours God's holy peace.

Let us recall that in our midst  
dwells God's begotten Son;  
As members of his body joined,  
we are in Christ made one.

No race or creed can love exclude,  
if honored be God's name;  
Our family embraces all  
whose Father is the same.



**Final: BRING FORTH THE KINGDOM**

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You are salt for the earth,  
O people,  
salt for the city of God!  
Share the flavor of life,  
O people:  
life in the kingdom of God!

**Bring forth the kingdom of mercy,  
bring forth the kingdom of peace.  
Bring forth the kingdom of justice,  
bring forth the city of God!**

You are a seed of the word, O people,  
bring forth the kingdom of God!  
Seeds of mercy and seeds of justice,  
grow in the kingdom of God! **Ref.**



# Weekly Parish Newsletter

## Bollettino Parrocchiale Settimanale

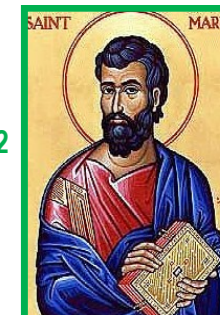
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*We acknowledge the Wurundjeri people, the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which we stand. We pay our respects to them for their care of the land. May we walk gently on this land.*

**Some thoughts on today's scripture**

Hearing Jesus' words about the poor reception of prophets by their own people, the people were worked up into a blind rage and hatred. They wanted to push Jesus off the cliff on which their town was built. However, Mark tells us that Jesus passed through their midst and left them. Let us pray that this may never happen to us: by failing to

recognise his presence among us (in the people around us); or by rejecting him. May our anger never cause us to be blind to the presence or message of Jesus in our world.

*Taken from (<https://www.sacredspace.ie/daily-prayer/2022-01-30>)*



**Alcuni pensieri sulla Scrittura di oggi**

Sentendo le parole di Gesù sulla scarsa accoglienza dei profeti da parte del loro stesso popolo, il popolo fu commosso in una rabbia e in un odio ciechi. Volevano spingere Gesù giù dalla rupe su cui era costruita la loro città. Tuttavia, Marco ci dice che Gesù è passato in mezzo a loro e li ha lasciati. Preghiamo perché questo non ci accada mai: non riconoscendo la

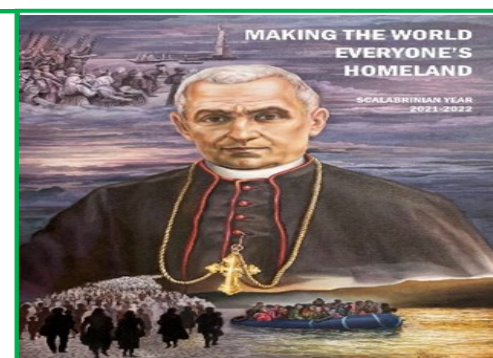
sua presenza in mezzo a noi (nelle persone che ci circondano); o respingendolo. Possa la nostra rabbia non farci mai diventare ciechi alla presenza o al messaggio di Gesù nel nostro mondo.

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**Prayer to Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini**

**O Blessed John Baptist Scalabrini,  
missionary of the Word of God,  
minister of the Eucharist and the Church  
Man of charity and communion,  
most loving son of Mary, apostle of the catechism,  
and father to the migrants,  
we rely on your intercession to receive God's blessings  
on ourselves and our beloved ones,  
on those who face migration and on all humankind.  
May the Holy Trinity, through your intercession,  
grant us the grace ... (silently mention your petition here)  
that we entrust to your fatherly love. Amen.**

**Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be.**



**Fac me cruce inebriari**  
(Let me be intoxicated by your Cross)  
**JB Scalabrini**



The Missionaries of St. Charles Borromeo - Scalabrinians - [www.Scalabrini.org](http://www.Scalabrini.org)  
Ministering to the Parish and Migrants in St. Brigid since 1959

**Our Parish is committed to the safety, wellbeing and dignity of all children and vulnerable adults.**



## Liturgical Calendar and activities

Day of the Week	Liturgical Celebration	Intention St. Mark	Intention St. Brigid	Parish Activity
<b>SATURDAY / SABATO</b> 29th January 2022 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C	<i>"Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing."</i>		<b>12.00pm Memorial mass for the late John LEON</b>  <b>6.00pm</b>  <b>7.00pm (Spanish Mass)</b>	
<b>SUNDAY/DOMENICA</b> 30th January 2022 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year "C"	<i>"Oggi si è compiuta questa Scrittura che voi avete ascoltato"</i>	<b>8.30am</b>  <b>10.00am</b> Portuguese Mass	<b>9.45am Pro Populo</b>  <b>11.00am</b> Irene PASQUALE	
Monday/Lunedì 31st January 2022 Year "C" St. John Bosco, priest 2 Sam 15:13-14, 30, 16:5-13 Mk 5:1-20	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i>  <b>Lord, rise up and save me.</b>		<b>9.15am Feast Day of St. John Bosco</b>	<b>7.30pm Tonight Baptism Preparation in the Church. Parents and Godparents invited to attend.</b>
Tuesday/Martedì 1st February 2022 Year 'C' 2Sam18:9-10,14,24-25,30-19:3 Mk 5:21-43 The Feast of St. Brigid	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i>  <b>Listen Lord, and answer me.</b>		<b>9.15am</b>  <b>12.00 Funeral mass for Nunzio SULFARO</b>	<b>Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Nunzio SULFARO</b>  <b>May God grant him Eternal rest</b>
Wednesday /Mercoledì 2nd February 2022 Year "C" The Presentation of the Lord Mal 3:1-4: or Heb 2:14-18 Lk 2:22-40	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i>  <b>Who is the king of glory? It is the Lord!</b>		<b>9.15am</b>	
Thursday Giovedì 3rd February 2022 Year "C" 1 Kg 2:1-4, 10-12 Mk 6:7-13	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i>  <b>Lord, you are exalted over all.</b>		<b>9.15am</b>	
Friday/Venerdì 4th February 2022 Year "C" Sirach 47:2-11 Mk 6 :14-29	<i>Responsorial Psalm</i>  <b>Blessed be God, my Salvation!</b>		<b>9.15am Antonio &amp; Palmina ANTONICELLI</b>  <b>7.30pm 1st Friday Mass Sacred Heart of Jesus (Spanish) Chaplaincy)</b>	<b>Wedding Celebrations for Mark SANTOMARTINO &amp; Priscilla MOCA Congratulations !</b>  

### POPE FRANCIS ASKES FOR PRAYERS FOR UKRAINE

Last Wednesday, 26 January 2022, as well as being Australia Day, is now a day devoted to prayer for peace in the Ukraine. The announcement came at the end of Pope Francis' midday Angelus last Sunday, where he expressed concerns over the 'rising tensions' between Russia and the rest of the world.

Parish Community	Parish Office	Comunidad Pastoral De Habla Hispana	Comunidade Pastoral De Expressão Portuguesa	Filipino Pastoral Community
<b>Parish Priest:</b> Fr. Fransiskus (Frank) Yangmintia, CS 0406 086 432 <b>Assistant Parish Priests:</b> Fr. Savino Bernardi, CS 0434 089 707  Fr. Vito Pegolo, CS & Migrant Chaplain to the Italian Community: Tel: 0419 736 890	<b>Monday to Friday</b> 9.30am - 4.30pm  <b>Parish Secretary</b> Giovanna Bellissimo & Rachel Mamone  Tel: (03) 9489 6777	<b>Chaplain</b> Duque Supulveda, CS Fr. Gesner Felix, CS  Tel: (03) 9482 5362 Mob: 0432 214 910	<b>Chaplain</b> P. Fabio Esteban Duque Supulveda, CS  Mob: 0410 001 462	<b>Chaplain</b> Mons. Joselito Asis  Tel: (03) 9482 5349 Mob: 0404 261 228

## Parish News... Notizie di casa nostra...

Liturgy of the Word 5th / 6th February 2022	6.00pm Vigil St. Brigid	8.30am St. Mark	9.45am St. Brigid	11.00am St. Brigid
I Reading	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	M. C. Sisters	T. Toscano
Responsorial Psalm	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	M. C. Sisters	N. Cavallin
II Reading	M. de Souza	G. Piantella	M. C. Sisters	P. La Marca

**NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION**  
For parents wishing to have their child baptized at St. Brigid's is on this Monday 31st January 2022 at 7.30pm in the Church.

**PILGRIMAGE : MAY 2022 \$6899**  
Conducted by P. Savino Bernardi Going to Fatima ,Lourdes, Medugorje, S.Giovanni Rotondo, Pompeii , Rome  
**Participation is open!**

**PELEGRINAGGIO : MAGGIO 2022**  
Costo \$6899. Condotta da P.Savino Bernardi Si visitera' Fatima, Lourdes, Medugorje, Pompeii e Roma  
Se siete interessati, oppure conoscete qualcuno che potrebbe essere Interessato, parlate con Padre Savino, oppure telefonate in ufficio 94896777

**Four martyrs of El Salvador Beatified**  
On 22 January 2022, four Salvadoran martyrs were officially beatified. Two of them were clergy, Frs Rutilio Grande and Cosme Spessotto, and two laity, Nelson Lemus and Manuel Solórzano. All of them were martyred for their advocacy of the poor either in the lead up to, or at the beginning of, the civil war that tore El Salvador apart and resulted in the deaths of more than 75,000 people.

**Canto D'Ingresso**  
**NOI CANTEREMO GLORIA A TE**  
Noi canteremo gloria a Te,  
Padre che dai la vita,  
Dio d'immensa carità,  
Trinità infinita.  
  
Tutto il creato vive in Te,  
segno della tua gloria;  
tutta la storia ti darà  
onore e vittoria.  
  
La tua Parola venne a noi,  
annuncio del tuo dono;  
la tua Promessa porterà  
salvezza e perdono.  
  
Vieni, Signore, in mezzo ai tuoi,  
vieni nella tua casa:  
dona la pace e l'unità,  
raduna la tua Chiesa.

**PLEASE MARK IN YOUR DIARY SUN-DAY 20th February 2022**  
**FEAST OF SAINT BRIGID of Kildare "Our Patron Saint"**  
The parish, together with the Filipino, Spanish and Portuguese Communities will come together to celebrate this very special feast with only **ONE combined Mass at 10.30am.**

**PER FAVORE NOTATE SUL VOSTRO DIARIO - DOMENICA 20 FEBBRAIO 2022 FESTA DI SANTA BRIGIDA "Nostra Patrona" Uniti alla comunità Filipina, Spagnola e Portoghese celebriamo questa festa con inizio alle 10.30am**  
**Notate! In questo giorno si celebrerà soltanto questa unica messa in parrocchia.**

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**  
The first meeting for this year will be on Tuesday 8th February at 6.00pm in the Welcome In Room.  
Any interested parishioners most welcome to attend.

**Canto Di Comunione**  
Tu sei la mia vita, altro io no ho,  
tu sei la mia strada, la mia verità,  
Nella tua parola, io camminerò  
Finchè avrò respiro fino a quando tu vorrai  
Non avrò paura, sai, se tu sei con me.  
Io ti prego resta con me.

**Canto D'Offertorio**  
**A TE SIGNOR LEVIAMO I CUORI**  
**A te Signore leviamo i cuori**  
**A te Signor noi li doniam.**  
Quel pane bianco che t'offre la Chiesa e' frutto santo del nostro lavoro accettalo, Signore, e benedici.  
  
Quel vino puro che t'offre la Chiesa forma la gioia dei nostri bei colli;  
  
Credo in te Signore, nato da Maria, Figlio eterno e santo, uomo come noi, Morto per amore vivo in mezzo a noi  
Una cosa sola, con il Padre e con i tuoi, Fino a quando, io lo so, tu ritornerai, Per aprirci il Regno di Dio.  
  
Tu sei la mia forza, altro io no ho.  
Tu sei la mia pace, la mia libertà.  
Niente nella vita ci separerà,  
So che la tua mano forte non mi lascerà  
So che da ogni male, Tu mi libererai .  
E nel tuo perdono vivrò.  
  
Padre della vita, noi crediamo in te  
Figlio Salvatore noi speriamo in te  
Spirito d'amore, vieni in mezzo a noi  
Tu da mille strade ci raduni in unità  
E per mille strade, poi, dove tu vorrai,  
Noi saremo il seme di Dio.

**Moving with the times - Online Giving:**  
If anyone wishes to make a donation online to the parish this is the link to St. Brigid's Parish North Fitzroy or you can scan the bar code and it will take you straight to the link.  
<https://melbourne.cdfpay.org.au/details/?id=622453>

**CHAPLAINCY APPEAL 2022**  
The Chaplaincy Appeal in the Archdiocese of Melbourne will take place on Sunday 13th February, 2022. Each year a special collection is conducted in all parishes for the purpose of supporting the vital work of our Catholic chaplains. The Chaplains support thousands of Victorians every year in hospitals, prisons and youth justice centres, and those living with HIV/AIDS. Your gift can help people find comfort and hope as they go through some of their darkest hours and times of need.  
**Please give generously.**  
  
You can donate using the envelopes available or online at [www.catholiccarevic.org.au](http://www.catholiccarevic.org.au) or call (03) 9287 5513.

**St. Brigid & St. Mark Collections**  
1 Collection \$520.00  
2 Collection \$300.00  
Envelopes \$118.00

**Canto Finale**  
**NOME DOLCISSIMO**  
Nome dolcissimo,  
nome d'amore,  
tu sei rifugio al peccatore  
Fra i cori angelicè l'armonia:  
Ave Maria, ave Maria!  
  
Nel fosco esilio, fulgida stella,  
sei nostra gioia, Vergine bella.  
Ascolta il grido dell'alma mia  
Ave Maria, ave Maria.  
  
Saldo mi tieni sul buon sentiero;  
dei gaudi eterni al gran pensiero  
Fra i cori angelici è l'armonia:  
Ave Maria, ave Maria!

