

Liturgy for Fourth Sunday of Lent: Year B: 14th March 2021

Mass Response

- Psalm Response: Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!
- Gospel Acclamation: **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!**
 God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son,
 that all who believe in him might have eternal life.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
- Memorial Acclamation: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.

Legend: "CWBII" Catholic Worship Book II

6:00 pm Vigil Mass (Saturday) - St Patrick's and 9:00am (Sunday) - St John Vianney's

- Entrance: CWBII 520 In faith and hope and love
- Mass Setting: *Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians* – Richard Connolly
- Offertory: CWBII 602 Sing praise to the Lord all our days
- Communion: CWBII 397 Jesus, in your heart we find
- Recessional: CWBII 543 Lord of creation, to you be all praise

11.00am Choral Mass (Sunday) - St Patrick's

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5:00 pm (Sunday) - St Patrick's

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MASSES THIS WEEK

(SP) St Patrick's Church; (SJV) St John Vianney's Church

WEEK DAY MORNING MASSES

Monday, 15th March NO MASS

Tuesday, 16th 9:15 am (SP) Tuesday of the 4th week of Lent

Wednesday, 17th 9:15 am (SP) **Solemnity ST PATRICK, bishop (Patronal Feast)**
 10:30 am (SJV) Mass
 7:00 pm (SP)

Thursday, 18th 9:15 am (SP) Thursday of the 4th week of Lent
 10:30 am (SP) **Ordinariate Mass**

Friday, 19th 9:15 am (SP) **Solemnity St Joseph, Spouse of Blessed Virgin Mary**
 5:15 pm (SJV) Mass
 7:00 pm (SP) Stations of the Cross

Saturday, 20th 9:15 am (SP) Saturday of the 4th week of Lent

WEEKEND MASSES

- (Vigil) Saturday: 6:00pm (SP)
 Sunday: 9:00am (SJV)
 Sunday: 9:30am (Ordinariate Mass) (SP)
 Sunday: 11.00am (Choral Mass) (SP)
 Sunday: 5:00pm (SP)

RECONCILIATION

After the 9:15am Mass on Wednesday & Saturday mornings (SP) and 5:15 pm Saturday (SP)

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT THIS FRIDAY: BENEDICTION 4:30PM (SP) FOLLOWED BY STATIONS OF THE CROSS AT 7PM (SP)

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF MENTONE - PARKDALE

SAINT PATRICK - SAINT JOHN VIANNEY



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PROJECT COMPASSION

"Aspire not to have more, but to be more."
 – Saint Oscar Romero

Today is the fourth Sunday of Lent and it is Week 4 of Project Compassion. This is Caritas Australia's six-week Lenten fundraising appeal.

This year, Project Compassion is built around the theme to 'Be More.' It is taken from the words of St Oscar Romero to "Aspire not to have more, but to be more" and challenges us to venture into a new experience of compassion.

To Be More is to look beyond ourselves to restore relationships with each other by living simply and loving generously.

In today's gospel story, Jesus invites us to be a light in the world, a light to others. Christ was made man to shine a light onto the darkness in this world. We all have a responsibility to shine a light on injustices and be light that drives change.

This week's story is about Arsad.

Arsad, an Indonesian farmer, had no toilet in his home, so he had to walk into the forest to the open defecation area, even at night or in the rain.



Around 17 percent of Indonesia's rural population practice open defecation, with many unaware that it contributes to spreading diseases.

Arsad's family was often sick and open defecation caused neighbourhood disputes. With the support of Caritas Australia and its partner, Laz Harfa, he took part in hygiene, sanitation and financial management training. He decided to fund the building of a toilet in his house and facilitated others in his neighbourhood to save up for toilets.

Now, Arsad and his family are healthier and have reduced their medical expenses. Their community no longer practices open defecation and is more harmonious. A community event, called "Declaration of Open Defecation-Free" was even held to acknowledge their achievements.

Improved hygiene practices helped Arsad's community during the COVID-19 pandemic. Caritas Australia, through Laz Harfa, also shared prevention measures and distributing soap and masks.

Arsad has inspired his neighbourhood to "Be More". "We help each other, the 'togetherness' is growing. Our solidarity had increased," Arsad says



Save the date, St Patrick's Day
 evening Mass 7:00pm



LENT
 Stations of the Cross During Lent:
 Stations of the Cross will be at 7pm
 each Friday

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Recently Deceased

Anniversaries



We pray for those who are sick. We pray for all who care for the sick and worry about them. May their works of service be richly blessed.

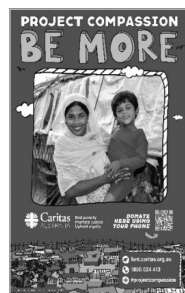
Prayer / Meditation

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Each day the Church is open from 8.30 am to 6.00pm. Each Friday the Blessed Sacrament is exposed for adoration following the 9.15am Mass until 4.30pm, when Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament is given. Please choose a time (1/2 hour) to spend in Adoration.



Project Compassion Reflection



We all have a responsibility to shine a light on the injustices that exist within society, and are challenged to be light that drives change. How can we "Be More", and use our gifts to make a

Please take home a Project Compassion box and/or a set of Lenten envelopes and give generously to the appeal this Lent.

Parish Events

Emails : We would like to update our database with parishioner emails. If you would like us to record your email please email us on mentoneparkdaleeast@cam.org.au

Catholic students attending non-catholic schools are invited to join the **Sunday Catechism Class** and **Sacramental Program** on Sundays. Enrolments are available. Please contact Sr. Mary Joseph via email 6mj4sze7spc@gmail.com

Bishop Kelly Memorial Concert 2021 with the St Patrick's Choir 'MISERERE' Featuring Gregorio Allegri's *Miserere mei, Deus* (Have mercy on me, O God) – a setting of Psalm 51 and other music of the season of Lent. **Sunday 21st March, 3pm, Tickets: \$10, \$5 concession.**

Palms Australia, Reach Beyond



In 2021, the Palms programme celebrates 60 years of reaching beyond. Since first being prepared in 1961 for mission to Papua New Guinea, Catholic participants from all over Australia and New Zealand have been placed in 40 countries, assisting the development of 408 communities globally.

Low-income communities are not asking us for money or gifts. They reject degrading dependence. They want you to share your skills to help develop self-reliance and sustainable solutions to poverty. The call is to all trades and professions to assist build the ability of their people and the capacity of their organisations. To properly prepare for a 2022 placement you do need to **Find out more: Ross House, Mezzanine-Sue Healy Room 247 Flinders Lane, MELBOURNE Saturday 20 February @ 10am Website: palms.org.au**

20 / 21 March 2021

Rosters

Readers:

6:00 pm - H Foley (SP)
9:00 am - R Tregonning, K Lowe (SJV)
11:00 am - V Mathers (SP)
5:00 pm - F Archer (SP)

Extraordinary Ministers:

6:00 pm - T Dillon (SP)
11:00 am - S Tobin (SP)
5:00 pm - H Collins (SP)

Extraordinary Minister to the Sick: (SJV)
N Perazzo

Sacristan SJV:
A Burn

Vocation View

Unless a seed first dries out and dies, it cannot be planted in the earth to grow. Unless we first dry out and die to our selfish ways, we can never expect to be people who will 'lay down their lives for their friends.'

Please pray for Vocations

Readings next week: Fifth Sunday of Lent Year B

Jeremiah: 31:31-34
Hebrews: 5:7-9
John: 12:20-30

Rosary:

- In St Patrick's Church the Rosary is prayed each day before morning Mass at 8.45am All welcome.
- The Rosary is also prayed on Thursday after 10:30am OLSC Mass and on Wednesdays evenings, 5pm at Bridie's (9585 5142)

Divine Mercy Devotions: Are held in St Patrick's Church each Friday at 3.00pm.

Hymns

In faith and hope and love

In faith and hope and love with joyful trust we move towards our Father's home above.

Christ, our star, our map, our road
To the Father's high abode.

Antiphon

Christ, our bread along the way;
Christ, our rescue when we stray.

Antiphon

Christ, our shelter, Christ our friend,
Our beginning and our end.

Antiphon

Christ, our hope and our reward;
Our redeemer and our Lord.

Antiphon

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Sing praise to the Lord all our days

Sing praise to the Lord all our days.
God's chosen people now bless his holy name.

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Forgiving our offences
You crown us with your love.
From ev'ry depth you lift us,
To share your life above.

Antiphon

As far as earth from heaven,
As far as east from west,
You put our sins behind us,
You comfort the oppressed.

Antiphon

Lord, you are slow to anger,
Compassionate and kind,
With tender love you guard us,
As father treats his child.

Antiphon

Based on Psalm 102 (103) by John Moloney

Jesus, in your heart we find

Jesus, in your heart we find
Love of the Father and mankind;
These two loves to us impart,
Divine love in a human heart.

May we stand within the fire
Of your Sacred Heart, and raise
To our God, in joyful choir,
All creation's song of praise.

In our hearts from roots of praise
Deadly growths of evil flower;
But from Jesus' wounded side
Streams the sacramental power.

To the depths within your heart
Draw us with divine desire,
Hide us, heal us, and impart
Your own love's transforming fire.

Lord of creation, to you be all praise

Lord of creation, to you be all praise!
Most mighty your working, most wondrous your ways!
Your glory and might are beyond us to tell,
And yet in the heart of the humble you dwell.

Lord of all power, I give you my will,
In joyful obedience your tasks to fill.
Your bondage is freedom; your service is song;
And, held in your keeping, my weakness is strong.

Lord of all wisdom, I give you my mind,
Rich truth and surpasses all knowledge to find;
What eye has not seen and what ear has not heard
Is taught by your Spirit and shines from your word.

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