

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF MENTONE - PARKDALE

SAINT PATRICK - SAINT JOHN VIANNEY



Second Sunday in Lent, Year C: 13th March 2022

In this Sunday's Gospel, we hear the story of Jesus' Transfiguration. During our Lenten journey, we are called to be transformed and hear God's voice tell us, "This is my beloved Son, listen to him." Like those first disciples, we can become afraid but we acknowledge how good it is to be here with the Lord.

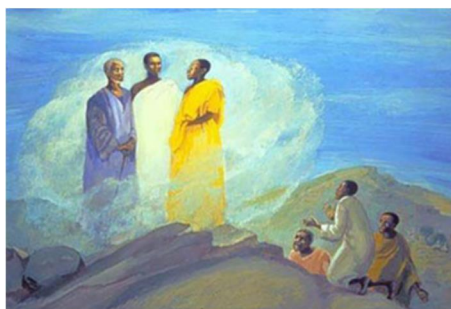
Do you remember a time when someone or something changed before your eyes and even though you were afraid, you saw the beauty of that moment? Jesus' transfiguration is a glimpse of transformation to which we are all called to experience in the resurrection.

However, we are called to live day by day remembering that God is faithful to his promise. While we must endure many fears, hardships, and pain on our journey of life, the only thing that will endure is God's love for us.

The call of God is not just for us to have a mountain top experience but to live this mountain top experience on the ground in the midst of those who hunger and thirst to hear that they are God's beloved.

We will forever hold sacred and be encouraged on our faith journey by our experience and memory of Jesus, transfigured and broken for us.

We worship Jesus as one who was sent from God to show us what it means to be human. Jesus invites us with our many weaknesses to grow in holiness. We may not see great visions but we must still follow God faithfully. Without faith, we cannot please God.



No matter what's going on in your life, God is in control. Never lose heart. Do not be afraid. God's plan for our lives will always lead us through whatever we are experiencing.

We trust in the power of God to see us through this difficult and uncertain time. During this season of Lent, we are called to be the dream of God living in this world.

Our transfiguration comes when

we are willing to place before God all that blinds us and keeps us from trusting him.

We need a revival. A moment to lift our voices with strength and call on the name of the Lord. Let this moment be our moment of transfiguration. We ask God to break the chains that bind us!

We ask God to speak a healing word into our lives. We ask God to lead us and guide us on this journey as we strive to change. Jesus is pardon for the sinner and a shepherd who invites us to listen. We all can change. We are never alone. God's mission has a church and a people who seek what is right and just. We are his pilgrim people following Jesus, the one who God calls his beloved.

Our lives are filled with transfigurations and change. These moments can cause us fear, surprise, and hope. We are called to be attentive to moments where God is revealed in our lives. We are called to open our eyes and hearts to deepen our relationship with Jesus in our lives.

<https://spiritans.org/news/reflection-for-the-2nd-sunday-of-lent-march-13-2022>

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Notices for Parish Bulletin to the Parish Office by 10am Thursday

Recently Deceased

Colleen Sahey, Paul Smiles,
Kathleen (Tonía) Casey

Anniversaries

William Harris, Violeta Parr,
Upali de Silva, Eben & Eliazer
John, Ally Hayes

*May the souls of all
the faithful
departed, through the
mercy of God, rest in
peace. Amen*



We pray for those who are sick.

Teresa Wright, Fr Alex Lim,
Vanessa, Mary Taylor, Brad
Castricum, Melissa Tonkin, Joy
Websdale, Vicki Rhodes, Jim
Lacey, Chris Taylor, Grace
Costanzo, June Vernon, Donald
McDonald

VOCATION VIEW

After the transfiguration, Peter,
John and James wanted to stay up
the mountain. But Jesus said,
"Move," with the knowledge that
ships are safe in harbours, but
not meant to stay in harbours.

Please pray for Vocations

Prayer / Meditation

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:

Each day the Church is
open from 8:30 am to
6:00pm. Please choose a
time (1/2 hour) to spend
in Adoration. 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.



1st Collection:

Presbytery: \$1,162.20

2nd Collection:

Thanksgiving: \$3,117.04

Loose Money: \$355.20

Parish Events

LENTEN GROUPS

Continuing weekly in the Parish
Centre. Wednesday 7:30pm with
Fr Cameron and Thursday 11:30am
with Fr Ramsay. All welcome.

ST PATRICK'S DAY 2022



Celebrate with us

Beginning with 6:30pm **Mass** at
Mentone followed by a Parish **BBQ**
in the grounds of the Parish Centre,
behind the church.

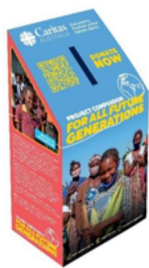
ST VINCENT De PAUL

The East Parkdale Conference of St
Vincent De Paul would like to invite
you to celebrate **Vinnies Day** with
morning tea at St John Vianney's
Church following 9:00am **Mass** on
Sunday 20th March. All welcome.

AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED

A national **emergency** appeal has
been launched supporting the
Catholic Church in Ukraine,
allowing priests, brothers and
religious sisters to continue their
pastoral and outreach programs.
Can you provide aid to the Catholic
people in Ukraine?

www.aidtochurch.org/ukraine



PROJECT COMPASSION

Please take home a
Project Compassion
box and a set of
donation envelopes to
support Caritas
Australia this Lenten

season and help support vulnerable
people around the world, now and

For All Future Generations.



19/20 March 2022

ROSTERS

Readers:

6:00 pm - S Henning (SP)

9:00 am - J Alford, K Lowe (SJV)

11:00 am - M Leach (SP)

5:00 pm - N Hadzi (SP)

Extraordinary Ministers:

6:00 pm - P Mount (SP)

9:00 am - A Berghella (SJV)

11:00 am - V Mathers (SP)

5:00 pm - A Moore (SP)

Extraordinary Minister

of the Sick (SJV):

J D'Donoghue

Pilgrim Statue (SJV):

M Mindum

Readings next week:

3rd Sunday of Lent

Exodus: 3:1-8, 13-15

1 Corinthians: 10:1-6, 10-12

Luke: 13:1-9

Rosary:

1. In St Patrick's Church the
Rosary is prayed each day
before morning Mass at 8:40am.
All welcome.
2. The Rosary is also prayed on
Thursdays after the 10:30am
OLSC Mass and on Wednesday
afternoons 3:00pm at Bridie's
(9585 5142).

Divine Mercy Devotions:

Are held in St Patrick's Church
each Friday at 3:00pm

Hymns

Entrance Hymn

Christ is the world's light

Christ is the world's Light, Christ and none other;
born in our darkness, he became our brother.
If we have seen him, we have seen the Father:
Glory to God on high.

Christ is the world's Peace, Christ and none other;
no-one can serve him and despise another.
who else unites us, one in God the Father?
Glory to God on high.

Christ is the world's Life, Christ and none other;
sold once for silver, murdered here, our Brother -
he who redeems us, reigns with God the Father:
Glory to God on high.

Give God the glory, God and none other;
give God the glory, Spirit, Son and Father;
give God the glory, God with us, my brother:
Glory to God on high.

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Offertory Hymn

May this Lenten discipline

*May this Lenten discipline,
Which we undertake with love,
Turn our minds to things above.*

Sin has sundered us from God,
Selfish we have grown and cold,
Foolish were the ways we trod,
Evil habits keep their hold.
Antiphon

Now we fast that we may feast
Where the Lord of life presides;
May our hunger be increased
For the bread which he provides.
Antiphon

As we keep this Lent with prayer
And from pleasures are withdrawn,
Minds and bodies we prepare
For the joy of Easter dawn.
Antiphon

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Communion Hymn

Keep in mind

*Keep in mind that Jesus Christ
Has died for us and is risen from the dead.*

*He is our saving Lord,
He is joy for all ages.*

If we die with the Lord, we shall live with the Lord.

If we endure with the Lord, we shall reign with the Lord.

Antiphon

In him all our sorrow, in him all our joy.
In him hope of glory, in him all our love.

Antiphon

In him our redemption, in him all our grace.

In him our salvation, in him all our peace. *Antiphon*

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Recessional Hymn

The voice of God

The voice of God goes out through all the world:
his glory speaks across the universe.
The great King's herald cries from star to star:
with pow'r, with justice, Christ will be the way.

The Lord has said: 'Receive my messenger,
my promise to the world, my pledge made flesh,
a lamp to ev'ry nation, light from light':
with pow'r, with justice, Christ will be the way.

Anointed with the Spirit and with power,
he comes to crown with comfort all the weak,
to show the face of justice to the poor:
with pow'r with justice, Christ will be the way.

His touch will open eyes that darkness held,
the lame shall run, the halting tongue shall sing,
and pris'ners laugh in light and liberty:
with pow'r, with justice, Christ will be the way.

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Mass Response

Psalm Response: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

Gospel Acclamation: **Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!**
From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:
This is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!
Memorial Acclamation: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.

9:00am (Sunday) St John Vianney's

Entrance: CWBII 467 Christ is the world's light
Mass Setting: *Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians - Connolly*
Offertory: CWBII 295 May this Lenten discipline
Communion: CWBII 530 Keep in mind
Recessional: CWBII 621 The voice of God

11:00am Choral Mass (Sunday) St Patrick's

Entrance: CWBII 467 Christ is the world's light
Mass Setting: *Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians - Connolly*
Offertory: *Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake - Farrant (choir)*
Communion: CWBII 530 Keep in mind
Recessional: CWBII 621 The voice of God

6:00pm Vigil Mass (Saturday) St Patrick's and 5:00pm (Sunday) St Patrick's

Entrance: CWBII 467 Christ is the world's light
Mass Setting: *Mass of Our Lady Help of Christians - Connolly*
Offertory: CWBII 295 May this Lenten discipline
Communion: CWBII 530 Keep in mind
Recessional: CWBII 621 The voice of God

WEEK DAY MORNING MASSES

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

Monday 14th March	NO MASS	<i>Public Holiday</i>
Tuesday 15th March	9:15 am (SP)	Tuesday of the 2nd week of Lent
Wednesday 16th March	7:00 am (SP) 9:15 am (SP) 10:30 am (SJV)	Wednesday of the 2nd week of Lent Mass
Thursday 17th March	9:15 am (SP) 10:30 am (SP) 6:30 pm (SP)	Solemnity of St Patrick <i>Ordinariate Mass</i>
Friday 18th March	9:15 am (SP) 5:15 pm (SJV)	Friday of the 2nd week of Lent Mass
Saturday 19th March	9:15 am (SP)	Solemnity of St Joseph, spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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)

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7:00pm each FRIDAY in LENT (SP)