

**YAHWEH IS THE GOD OF MY SALVATION,
I TRUST IN HIM AND HAVE NO FEAR. 1
I SING OF THE JOY
WHICH HIS LOVE GIVES TO ME,
AND I DRAW DEEPLY FROM THE
SPRINGS OF HIS GREAT KINDNESS.**

OPEN OUR EYES TO THE WONDER OF
THIS MOMENT,
THE BEGINNING OF ANOTHER DAY.

BE WITH US LORD AS WE BREAK
THROUGH WITH EACH OTHER,
TO FIND THE TRUTH AND BEAUTY OF
EACH FRIEND.

TAKE US BEYOND –
THE VISION OF THIS DAY,
TO THE DEEP AND WIDE WAYS OF YOUR
LOVE AND LIFE.

**WHATSOEVER YOU DO
TO THE LEAST OF MY BROTHERS,
THAT YOU DO UNTO ME. 2**

WHEN I WAS HUNGRY
YOU GAVE ME TO EAT,
WHEN I WAS THIRSTY
YOU GAVE ME TO DRINK;
NOW ENTER INTO
THE HOME OF MY FATHER.

WHEN I WAS AGED
YOU BOTHERED TO SMILE,
WHEN I WAS RESTLESS
YOU LISTENED AND CARED;
NOW ENTER INTO
THE HOME OF MY FATHER.

WHEN I WAS LAUGHED AT
YOU STOOD BY MY SIDE,
WHEN I WAS HAPPY
YOU SHARED IN MY JOY;
NOW ENTER INTO
THE HOME OF MY FATHER.

**MY JESUS MY SAVIOUR 3
LORD THERE IS NONE LIKE YOU
ALL OF MY DAYS, I WANT TO PRAISE
THE WONDERS OF YOUR MIGHTY LOVE**

MY COMFORT, MY SHELTER
TOWER OF REFUGE AND STRENGTH
LET EVERY BREATH, ALL THAT I AM
NEVER CEASE TO WORSHIP YOU

**SHOUT TO THE LORD,
ALL THE EARTH, LET US SING
POWER AND MAJESTY,
PRAISE TO OUR KING
MOUNTAINS BOW DOWN,
AND THE SEAS WILL ROAR
AT THE SOUND OF YOUR NAME**

**I SING WITH JOY
AT THE WORK OF YOUR HANDS
FOREVER I'LL LOVE YOU,**

**FOREVER I'LL STAND
NOTHING COMPARES
TO THE PROMISE I HAVE IN YOU**

THE MASS IS ENDED, ALL GO IN PEACE; 4
WE MUST DIMINISH AND CHRIST
INCREASE.
WE TAKE HIM WITH US
WHERE E'ER WE GO
THAT THROUGH OUR ACTIONS
HIS LIFE MAY SHOW.

WE WITNESS HIS LOVE TO EV'RY ONE
BY OUR COMMUNION
WITH CHRIST THE SON,
WE TAKE THE MASS TO
WHERE MEN MAY BE,
SO CHRIST MAY SHINE FORTH
FOR ALL TO SEE.

THANKS TO THE FATHER,
WHO SHOWS THE WAY,
HIS LIFE IS WITH US
THROUGHOUT EACH DAY.
LET ALL OUR LIVING AND LOVING BE
TO PRAISE AND HONOUR THE TRINITY.

THE MASS IS ENDED, ALL GO IN PEACE;
WE MUST DIMINISH AND CHRIST
INCREASE.
WE TAKE HIM WITH US
WHERE E'ER WE GO
THAT THROUGH OUR ACTIONS
HIS LIFE MAY SHOW.

**SIGNORE, ASCOLTA: 1
PADRE, PERDONA!
FÀ CHE VEDIAMO IL TUO AMORE.**

A TE GUARDIAMO, REDENTORE NOSTRO;
DA TE SPERIAMO GIOIA DI SALVEZZA,
FÀ CHE TROVIAMO
GRAZIA DI PERDONO.

TI CONFESSIAMO OGNI NOSTRA COLPA;
RICONOSCIAMO OGNI NOSTRO
ERRORE;
E TI PREGHIAMO: DONA IL TUO
PERDONO.

O BUON PASTORE,
TU CHE DAI LA VITA:
PAROLA CERTA, ROCCIA
CHE NON MUTA:
PERDONA ANCORA, CON PIETÀ
INFINITA.

O SIGNORE, NOI T'OFFRIAMO 2
TUTTI INSIEME QUESTO PANE;
E' IL FRUTTO DELLA TERRA
E DELL'UOMO CHE LAVORA.
BENEDETTO SIA TU, SIGNORE;
QUESTO PANE CHE MANGIAMO
E' UN DONO DEL TUO AMORE

E' UN SEGNO DI BONTA'

O SIGNORE, NOI T'OFFRIAMO
TUTTI INSIEME QUESTO VINO:
E' IL FRUTTO DELLA VITE
E DELL'UOMO CHE LAVORA.
BENEDETTO SIA TU, SIGNORE;
QUESTO VINO CHE BEVIAMO
E' UN DONO DEL TUO AMORE
E' UN SEGNO DI BONTA'.

O SIGNORE, NOI T'OFFRIAMO
TUTTO QUELLO CHE CI HAI DATO:
CON IL PANE E CON IL VINO
TU ACCETTALO, SIGNOR.
BENEDETTO SIA TU, SIGNORE,
CHE DIVENGA PER NOI CIBO
E BEVANDA DI SALVEZZA
CIO' CHE PRESENTIAMO A TE.

COLUI CHE AMO È IL MIO GESÙ 3
CHE IL PADRE MIO A ME DONO'
COLUI CHE AMO È IL MIO PASTORE,
COLUI CHE AMO È IL MIO AMOR.

COLUI CHE AMO È IL MIO SIGNOR
DONO DEL PADRE, DONO D'AMOR.
COLUI CHE AMO È NEL MIO CUORE.
COLUI CHE AMO È IL MIO TESOR.

COLUI CHE AMO, SEI TU GESÙ
AMORE PIENO SEI TU PER ME,
IN TE IO VIVO, IN TE RESPIRO
SEMPRE D'AMORE IN TE VIVRÒ

O IMMENSO AMORE GESÙ SEI TU
SENZA DI TE MAI PIU' STARÒ
CON TE IO VIVO CON TE IO MUOIO.
CON TE IN ETERNO D'AMOR VIVRÒ
CON TE IN ETERNO D'AMOR VIVRÒ.

PADRE CHE IO VEDA IN TE 4
DIO CAMMINAR CON ME
PRENDIMI CON LA TUA MAN,
TIENIMI VICINO A TE.
TUTTO M'ABBANDONO A TE.
PADRE RENDIMI FEDEL.

GESU' CHE IO VEDA IN TE
DIO CAMMINAR CON ME
PRENDIMI CON LA TUA MAN,
TIENIMI VICINO A TE.
TUTTO M'ABBANDONO A TE.
GESU' RENDIMI FEDEL.

SPIRITO CHE IO VEDA IN TE.
DIO CAMMINAR CON ME.
PRENDIMI CON LA TUA MAN,
TIENIMI VICINO A TE.
TUTTO M'ABBANDONO A TE.
SPIRITO RENDIMI FEDEL

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING *Genesis 2:7-9,3:1-7*

A Reading from the book of Genesis.

The Lord God fashioned man of dust from the soil. Then he breathed into his nostrils a breath of life, and thus man became a living being. The Lord God planted a garden in Eden which is in the east, and there he put the man he had fashioned. The Lord God caused to spring up from the soil every kind of tree, enticing to look at and good to eat, with the tree of life and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil in the middle of the garden. Now the serpent was the most subtle of all the wild beasts that the Lord God had made. It asked the woman, 'Did God really say you were not to eat from any of the trees in the garden?' The woman answered the serpent, 'We may eat the fruit of the trees in the garden. But of the fruit of the tree in the middle of the garden God said, "You must not eat it, nor touch it, under pain of death."' Then the serpent said to the woman, 'No! You will not die! God knows in fact that on the day you eat it your eyes will be opened and you will be like gods, knowing good and evil.' The woman saw that the tree was good to eat and pleasing to the eye, and that it was desirable for the knowledge that it could give. So she took some of its fruit and ate it. She gave some also to her husband who was with her, and he ate it. Then the eyes of both of them were opened and they realised that they were naked. So they sewed fig-leaves together to make themselves loin-cloths.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 50:3-6,12-14,17

R. Be merciful, O Lord, for we have sinned.

1. Have mercy on me, God, in your kindness. In your compassion blot out my offence. O wash me more and more from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin. R.

2. My offences truly I know them; my sin is always before me. Against you, you alone, have I sinned; what is evil in your sight I have done. R.
3. A pure heart create for me, O God, put a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from your presence, nor deprive me of your holy spirit. R.
4. Give me again the joy of your help; with a spirit of fervour sustain me, O Lord, open my lips and my mouth shall declare your praise. R.

SECOND READING *Rom 5:12, 17-19*

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Romans.

Sin entered the world through one man, and through sin death, and thus death has spread through the whole human race because everyone has sinned. If it is certain that death reigned over everyone as the consequence of one man's fall, it is even more certain that one man, Jesus Christ, will cause everyone to reign in life who receives the free gift that he does not deserve, of being made righteous. Again, as one man's fall brought condemnation on everyone, so the good act of one man brings everyone life and makes them justified. As by one man's disobedience many were made sinners, so by one man's obedience many will be made righteous.

The word of the Lord.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Mt 4:4

Praise to you, O Christ,
king of eternal glory!
Man does not live on bread alone,
but on every word that comes from the
mouth of God.
Praise to you, O Christ,
king of eternal glory!

GOSPEL

Matt 4:1-11

*A reading from the holy Gospel
according to Matthew.*

Jesus was led by the Spirit out into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. He fasted for forty days and forty nights, after which he was very hungry, and the tempter came and said to him, 'If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to turn into loaves.' But he replied, 'Scripture says: Man does not live on bread alone but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.' The devil then took him to the holy city and made him stand on the parapet of the Temple. 'If you are the Son of God' he said 'throw yourself down; for scripture says: He will put you in his angels' charge, and they will support you on their hands in case you hurt your foot against a stone.' Jesus said to him, 'Scripture also says: You must not put the Lord your God to the test.' Next, taking him to a very high mountain, the devil showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendour. 'I will give you all these' he said, 'if you fall at my feet and worship me.' Then Jesus replied, 'Be off, Satan! For scripture says: You must worship the Lord your God, and serve him alone.' Then the devil left him, and angels appeared and looked after him.

The Gospel of the Lord.

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I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
(All bow during these two lines)
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again
from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God
the Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting.
Amen.

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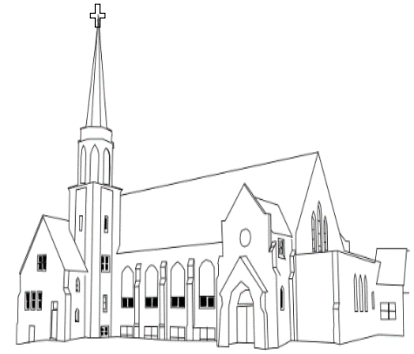
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St Paul's Parish strives to create an environment where children are safe, respected and cared for.



PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Mon - Friday: 10.30am to 3.30 pm.

MASSES:

Weekends: Saturday: 6:00 pm (vigil),
8.00pm (Neo Catechumenate)

Sunday: 9:00am, 10.30am (Italian),

Weekdays: Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri: 10.00 am.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays - 11am and 6.45pm

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 1st & 3rd Sunday of month-9am Mass

ADORATION: First Friday of the month: 10.30 am to 12pm

BAPTISMS: Sundays at 12.00 pm.

BAPTISM PREPERATION MEETINGS: Once Monthly

MARRIAGE PREP MEETINGS: Wed 8pm or Sat 4pm

WEDDING REHEARSALS: Mon or Fri – 8pm

COMMUNION TO THE HOUSEBOUND: Thurs & Fri.

COMMUNION TO SICK at Bupa & Northern Gardens:

every 2nd & 4th Thursdays of the month.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: 2 times a year (Lent & Advent).

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 10am

YOUTH & KIDS GROUP: 4th Friday of the month.

ITALIAN PRAYER GROUP: Wednesdays at 10.30 am

Legion of Mary: Monday mornings at 10.30 am.

Knights of the Southern Cross: Monday mornings.

ANNUAL ITALIAN FEASTS 2020:

St Joseph: Sun 15th March at 2pm.

Way of the Cross: Good Friday at 7pm.

St Anthony: Sun 14th June at 10.30am

St Gregory: Sun 15th Nov at 10.30 am.

Our Lady of Mt Carmel: Sun 29th Nov at 2pm.

St Lucy: Sun 6th Dec at 2pm.

READERS:

This Week

Sat 6pm Judy O'Meara

Sun 9am Brent Greig & Dylan Greig

Sun 10.30am Marinella Constanzo & Rita Luci

Next Week

Sat 6pm Sue Tasic

Sun 9am Rosa Touma & Patricia Wright

Sun 10.30am Rosa Oppendisano & Giovanna Navagero

SPECIAL MINISTERS:

This Week

Sat 6pm Mary De Marco

Sun 9am Annette Barnes

Sun 10.30 Sofia Tabacco

Next Week

Virginia Efthimiou

Alfred Meilak

Maria D'Angelo

MARCH AT ST PAULS

Fri 6th - Year 1 & 2 Class Mass at 10am

- Way of the Cross at 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

Sat 7th - Wedding of Pina Masciantonio & Dennis Pantano at 1pm

- Biagio Palumbo 1 Year Anniversary mass at 6pm

Sun 8th Baptisms of Chloe Checcucci, Matteo Merlo, Olivia Valentine & Riley Ace Prieditis at 12pm

Fri 13th - Year 3 & 4 Class Mass at 10am

- Way of the Cross at 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

Sat 14th - Wedding of Timothy Wyatt & Sarah Cardamone at 1pm

- Wedding of Anthony Ferlazzo & Monique Rosselli at 2.30pm

Sun 15th Feast of St Joseph at 2pm

Fri 20th - Prep & Seniors Class mass at 10am

- Way of the Cross at 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

Sun 22nd - St Paul's Primary School Fete 10-4pm

- Baptisms of Lucas Vassallo, Laila Rose Macheda, Frank Borg & Wesley James Dowling Smith at 12pm

Sat 28th Wedding of Salena Kang & David Santacroce at 9.30am

NOTICES:

WAY OF THE CROSS DURING LENT 2020: Commences this Friday 28th Feb – 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

SACRIFICIAL ENVELOPES for the next four months of March to June 2020 are available for collection at the rear of the church. If you need sacrificial envelopes, please fill in your details at the bottom of the Pauline and place in the collection plate during mass. Many thanks to all our contributors.

PROJECT COMPASSION LENT 2020 - Please donate to Project Compassion 2020 and help deaf youth in Cambodia to build a just future, and live in communities that uphold everyone's dignity. Donation envelopes and boxes can be found at the side and rear of the church.



Reach Beyond: Become Simply Rich....

All trades and professions are being requested by communities abroad seeking to build the capacity of their organisations and the skills of their people. They're not asking for money or gifts that contribute to degrading dependence. Your assistance will help to develop self-reliance and sustainable solutions to poverty. Palms Australia will provide you with thorough preparation and support. You will be rewarded with riches greater than you might imagine. Look at www.palms.org.au and talk to Roger on 0422472567, or email palms@palms.org.au

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION:

1st Collection	Sacrificial Offering	\$ 760.00
2nd Collection:	Presbytery	\$ 721.40

WE PRAY FOR

We pray for those in our local community who are **sick** and vulnerable: may they see in us the followers of a God who heals and serves.

Let us pray for those who have died recently;; and those whose anniversaries we remember at this time: lolanda Crisara; **that they may enter the peace of God.**

STEWARDSHIP:

“It is written: The Lord, your God, shall you worship and him alone shall you serve.” (Matthew 4:10)

Tempted between the riches and power of this world and service to God, Jesus chose service to His Father. If we wish to truly follow Jesus, we, too, must decide to turn away from worldly power and riches and put God at the center of our lives. Lent is our time to prune ourselves of earthly things. Ask God how he is calling you to serve.

REFLECTION: “Dealing with Temptation”

Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. Matthew 4:1

Every Lent, the gospel for the first Sunday is always focused on the fact that Jesus, before beginning his public ministry, went into the harsh Judean desert to pray and fast for forty days. We can only imagine how weak and vulnerable he must have felt at the end of those days. Satan saw his chance to tempt Jesus to win people over—not by his teachings or his endurance of suffering, but by a magic show (turning stones into bread, throwing himself off a cliff and not getting hurt, etc.). But Jesus will hear none of it. He has come to do the will of his Father, which will include opposition, rejection by many and a cruel, painful death on a cross. Satan slinks off, waiting for another opportunity. So the Church does not “ease us gently” into Lent. We are faced with the fact that the Evil One wants to turn us away from following Jesus. But if we choose to follow Our Lord, to turn away from sin and believe in the Good News, our Lent will be a time of spiritual growth and renewal.

Fr. Martin Pable, O.F.M. Cap.

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

That we prune ourselves of earthly things and ask God how he is calling us to serve.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: “Self Pity”

Self Pity is our worst enemy and if we yield to it, we can never do anything wise in this world. Helen Keller

VOCATION VIEWS

Lent is a season of renewal, of spiritual growth. These forty penitential days invite us to strive for our true calling.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK

Tues 03/03 Saint Katharine Drexel
Wed 04/03 Saint Casimir
Sat 07/03 Saints Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

NEWS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE

• INVITATION •

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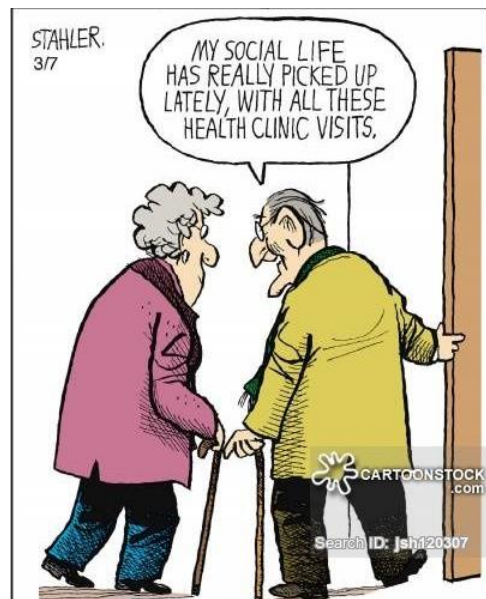
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SUNDAY 22ND MARCH 2020

10AM TILL 4PM

JOIN US FOR A WONDERFUL DAY
Fun Fair Rides - Craft Stalls - Devonshire Tea - BBQ
• Entertainment - Face Painting
AND LOTS MORE!!!

JOKE OF THE WEEK



A WARM WELCOME TO NEW PARISIONERS TO ST PAULS

- ! Please let us know that you have joined our community and if there is anything we can do for you.
- ! Are you new to our Parish? _____
- ! Need Thanksgiving envelopes? _____
- ! Please complete the details below and place in the collection plate at Mass or send to the Parish office.
- ! Name: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

To existing parishioners: if you would like to contribute on a regular basis using the envelopes, please complete the above. Thank you.