

**1**  
**THOUGH THE MOUNTAINS MAY FALL AND  
THE HILLS TURN TO DUST,  
YET THE LOVE OF THE LORD WILL STAND;  
AS A SHELTER FOR ALL  
WHO WILL CALL ON HIS NAME,  
SING THE PRAISE AND THE GLORY OF GOD.**

COULD THE LORD EVERY LEAVE YOU?  
COULD THE LORD FORGET HIS LOVE?  
THOUGH A MOTHER FORSAKE HER CHILD,  
HE WILL NOT ABANDON YOU.

SHOULD YOU TURN AND FORSAKE HIM,  
HE WILL GENTLY CALL YOUR NAME.  
SHOULD YOU WANDER AWAY FROM HIM,  
HE WILL NOT ABANDON YOU.

GO TO HIM WHEN YOU'RE WEARY,  
HE WILL GIVE YOU EAGLE'S WINGS;  
YOU WILL RUN, NEVER TIRE  
FOR YOUR GOD WILL BE YOUR STRENGTH.

**2**  
MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR PEACE,  
WHERE THERE IS HATRED LET ME BRING  
YOUR LOVE,  
WHERE THERE IS INJURY,  
YOUR PARDON, LORD,  
AND WHERE THERE'S DOUBT,  
TRUE FAITH IN YOU.

MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR PEACE,  
WHERE THERE'S DESPAIR IN LIFE,  
LET ME BRING HOPE  
WHERE THERE IS DARKNESS,  
ONLY LIGHT  
AND WHERE THERE'S SADNESS,  
EVER JOY.

O MASTER GRANT THAT I MAY NEVER SEEK,  
SO MUCH TO BE CONSOLED AS TO CONSOLE,  
TO BE UNDERSTOOD AS TO UNDERSTAND,  
TO BE LOVED AS TO LOVE WITH ALL MY  
SOUL.

MAKE ME A CHANNEL OF YOUR PEACE,  
IT IS IN PARDONING THE WE ARE PARDONED,  
IN GIVING TO ALL MEN THAT WE RECEIVE,  
AND IN DYING THAT WE'RE BORN TO  
ETERNAL LIFE.

**3**  
YOU SAID YOU'D COME  
AND SHARE ALL MY SORROWS,  
YOU SAID YOU'D BE THERE  
FOR ALL MY TOMORROWS,  
I CAME SO CLOSE  
TO SENDING YOU AWAY,  
BUT JUST LIKE YOU PROMISED,  
YOU CAME HERE TO STAY,  
I JUST HAD TO PRAY.

**AND JESUS SAID "COME TO THE WATER,  
STAND BY MY SIDE  
I KNOW YOU ARE THIRSTY,  
YOU WON'T BE DENIED  
I FELT EVERY TEAR DROP,  
WHEN IN DARKNESS YOU CRIED  
AND I STRIVE TO REMIND YOU,  
THAT FOR THOSE TEARS I DIED."**

YOUR GOODNESS SO GREAT  
I CAN'T UNDERSTAND  
AND DEAR LORD, I KNOW THAT ALL THIS WAS

PLANNED  
I KNOW YOU'RE HERE NOW  
AND ALWAYS WILL BE.  
YOUR LOVE LOOSED MY CHAINS  
AND IN YOU I'M FREE,  
BUT JESUS WHY ME?

JESUS, I GIVE YOU MY HEART AND MY SOUL,  
I KNOW NOW WITHOUT GOD,  
I'D NEVER BE WHOLE.  
SAVIOUR, YOU OPENED  
ALL THE RIGHT DOORS,  
I THANK YOU AND PRAISE YOU FROM  
EARTH'S HUMBLE SHORES,  
TAKE ME I'M YOURS.

**4**  
TELL OUT, MY SOUL,  
THE GREATNESS OF THE LORD!  
UNNUMBERED BLESSINGS GIVE MY SPIRIT  
VOICE  
TENDER TO ME THE PROMISE OF HIS WORD  
IN GOD MY SAVIOUR SHALL MY HEART  
REJOICE

TELL OUT, MY SOUL,  
THE GREATNESS OF HIS NAME!  
MAKE KNOW HIS MIGHT,  
THE DEEDS HIS ARM HAS DONE  
HIS MERCY SURE, FROM AGE TO AGE THE  
SAME  
HIS HOLY NAME – THE LORD,  
THE MIGHTY ONE

TELL OUT, MY SOUL,  
THE GREATNESS OF HIS MIGHT!  
POWERS AND DOMINIONS LAY THEIR GLORY  
BY  
PROUD HEARTS AND STUBBORN WILLS ARE  
PUT TO FLIGHT  
THE HUNGRY FED, THE HUMBLE LIFTED HIGH.

TELL OUT, MY SOUL,  
THE GLORIES OF HIS WORD!  
FIRM IS HIS PROMISE,  
AND HIS MERCY SURE  
TELL OUT, MY SOUL, THE GREATNESS OF THE  
LORD  
TO CHILDREN'S CHILDREN AND FOR  
EVERMORE!

**1**  
IO SENTO LA TUA VOCE  
E VENGO A TE SIGNOR:  
PEL SANGUE SPARSO IN CROCE  
MI SALVI, O REDENTOR.

**MI PROSTRO INNANZI A TE,  
PREGANDOTI CON FÈ,  
E TU SIGNORE, SALVAMI:  
PIETÀ PIETÀ DI ME.**

OH! QUANTO DEBOL SONO,  
IO SAI DIVIN GESÙ:  
INSIEME AL TUO PERDONO  
MI DAI LA TUA VIRTÙ

A TE, GESÙ IO CHIEDO  
FEDE, SPERANZA, AMOR,  
DA TE, GESÙ, ASPETTO  
PACE E GIOIA AL CUOR

**2**  
TU CI INVITI ALLA TUA MENSA  
E CI DONI IL PANE E IL VINO.  
COL TUO CORPO E COL TUO SANGUE  
TU TI OFFRI PER AMORE.

**RIT. VITA NUOVA ABBIAMO IN TE, SIGNOR,  
LA SALVEZZA È SOLO IN TE, SIGNOR  
E AL BANCHETTO DEL TUO REGNO  
CON I SANTI NOI VERREMO.**

SULL' ALTARE TU TI IMMOLI  
COME AGNELLO SENZA COLPA.  
BUON PASTORE CI RADUNI  
E DIMORI IN MEZZO A NOI.

**RIT. VITA NUOVA ABBIAMO IN TE, SIGNOR,  
LA SALVEZZA È SOLO IN TE, SIGNOR  
E AL BANCHETTO DEL TUO REGNO  
CON I SANTI NOI VERREMO.**

**FINALE: CON I SANTI NOI VERREMO. (3V.)**

**3**  
INNI E CANTI SCIOGLIAMO O FEDELI,  
AL DIVIN EUCHARISTICO RE:  
EGLI ASCOSO NEI MISTICI VELI:  
CIBO ALL'ALMA FEDELE SI DIÈ

**DEI TUOI FIGLI LO STUOLO QUI PRONO,  
O SIGNOR DEI POTENTI T'ADORA:  
PER I MISERI IMPLORA PERDONO,  
PER I DEBOLI IMPLORA PIETA.**

O SIGNOR CHE DALL'OSTIA RADIOSA,  
SOL DI PACE NE PARLI E D'AMOR;  
IN TE L'ALMA SMARRITA RIPOSA,  
IN TE SPERA CHI LOTTA E CHI MUOR.

**4**  
O MIO SIGNOR, ALLOR CHE CON AMORE  
IO MIRO IL CIEL CHE FECE IL TUO VOLER  
E LO SPLENDOR DI STELLE  
O SENTO IL TUONO  
E IL MONDO INTER CHE NARRA  
IL TUO POTER

**UN CANTO IL CUOR INNALZA A TE, SIGNOR  
"GRANDE SEI TU! GRANDE SEI TU!" (2V)**

ALLOR CHE VO' VAGANDO SU PEI MONTI  
E DEGLI UCCEL IO SENTO  
IL CINQUETTAR  
E VEDO GIU' GL 'IMMENS PRATI VERDI  
E D 'UN RUSCEL ASCOLTO IL MORMORAR.  
**RIT:**

E NEL PENSAR CHE IL SALVATOR  
QUI IN TERRA  
VENNE A SOFFRIR PER  
L' UOMO PECCATOR,  
CH' EGLI PORTO' SUL GOLGOTA  
I MIEI MALI  
E CHE MORI 'PER DARMÌ PACE E AMOR **RIT:**



### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### FIRST READING *Genesis 12:1-4*

*A Reading from the book of Genesis.*

The Lord said to Abram, ‘Leave your country, your family and your father’s house, for the land I will show you. I will make you a great nation; I will bless you and make your name so famous that it will be used as a blessing. ‘I will bless those who bless you: I will curse those who slight you.

All the tribes of the earth shall bless themselves by you.’ So Abram went as the Lord told him.

The Word of the Lord.

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Psalm 32:4-5,18-20,22*

**R. Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.**

1. The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. **R.**
2. The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. **R.**
3. Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you. **R.**

#### SECOND READING *2 Tim 1:8-10*

*A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to Timothy.*

With me, bear the hardships for the sake of the Good News, relying on the power of God who has saved us and called us to be holy – not because of anything we ourselves have done but for his own purpose and by his own

grace. This grace had already been granted to us, in Christ Jesus, before the beginning of time, but it has only been revealed by the Appearing of our saviour Christ Jesus. He abolished death, and he has proclaimed life and immortality through the Good News.

The word of the Lord.

#### GOSEL ACCLAMATION

*Mt 17:5*

Glory and praise to you, O Christ!  
From the shining cloud the Father’s voice is heard:  
This is my beloved Son, hear him.  
Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

#### GOSEL

*Matt 17:1-9*

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

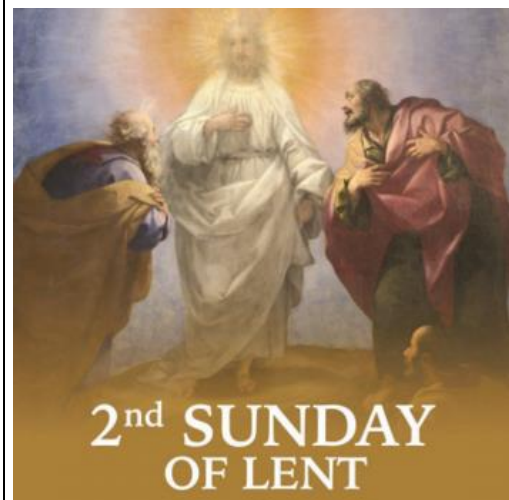
Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone. There in their presence he was transfigured: his face shone like the sun and his clothes became as white as the light. Suddenly Moses and Elijah appeared to them; they were talking with him. Then Peter spoke to Jesus. ‘Lord,’ he said ‘it is wonderful for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.’ He was still speaking when suddenly a bright cloud covered them with shadow, and from the cloud there came a voice which said, ‘This is my Son, the Beloved; he enjoys my favour. Listen to him.’ When they heard this the disciples fell on their faces overcome with fear. But Jesus came up and touched them. ‘Stand up,’ he said ‘do not be afraid.’ And when they raised their eyes they saw no one but only Jesus. As they came down from the mountain Jesus gave them this order, ‘Tell no one about the

vision until the Son of Man has risen from the dead.’

The Gospel of the Lord.

#### CREED

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.



# ST PAUL'S PARISH

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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:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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 15<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm.

**Way of the Cross:** Good Friday at 7pm.

**St Anthony:** Sun 14<sup>th</sup> June at 10.30am

**St Gregory:** Sun 15<sup>th</sup> Nov at 10.30 am.

**Our Lady of Mt Carmel:** Sun 29<sup>th</sup> Nov at 2pm.

**St Lucy:** Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Dec at 2pm.

## READERS:

### This Week

Sat 6pm Sue Tasic

Sun 9am Rosa Touma & Patricia Wright

Sun 10.30am Rosa Oppendisano & Giovanna Navagero

### Next Week

Sat 6pm Phillip Scardilli

Sun 9am Stephanie Youil & Dean Youil

Sun 10.30am Anna D'Amato & Rita Luci

## SPECIAL MINISTERS:

### This Week

Sat 6pm Virginia Efthimiou

Sun 9am Alfred Meilak

Sun 10.30 Maria D'Angelo

### Next Week

Jim & Lourdes Galea

Mary Carnovale

Laura Scherma

## MARCH AT ST PAULS

Fri 13<sup>th</sup> - Year 3 & 4 Class Mass at 10am

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

Sat 14<sup>th</sup> - Wedding of Timothy Wyatt & Sarah Cardamone at 1pm

- Wedding of Anthony Ferlazzo & Monique Rosselli at 2.30pm

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> - Children's Liturgy at 9am Mass

- Feast of St Joseph at 2pm

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> - Prep & Seniors Class mass at 10am

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

Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> - St Paul's Primary School Fete 10-4pm

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

Fri 27<sup>th</sup> - Way of the Cross at 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

Sat 28<sup>th</sup> Wedding of Salena Kang & David Santacroce at 9.30am

## NOTICES:

**WAY OF THE CROSS DURING LENT 2020:** Fridays – 9.15am (Italian) & 7pm (English)

**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...**

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## THE GOSPELS OF HOLY WEEK AND EASTER RETREAT

**Fr Frank Moloney SDB 16 – 19 March.** Fr Frank Moloney will lead this retreat on the Gospels of Holy Week and Easter at the beautiful and peaceful Don Bosco Retreat Centre. Cost - \$430 all inclusive (retreat, meals, accommodation, etc). Further information and registration: Contact - Candy 9752 2432 or e-mail: [dbrclysterfield@gmail.com](mailto:dbrclysterfield@gmail.com)

## LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTION:

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Collection</b>	Sacrificial Offering	\$ 598.00
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection:</b>	Presbytery	\$ 750.40



## WE PRAY FOR

**WEDDINGS:** Pina Masciantonio & Dennis Pantano

**BAPTISMS:** Chloe Checcucci, Matteo Merlo & Riley Ace Prieditis

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:** Teresa Angiolella, Biagio Palumbo, Edwin Spiteri, Maria Fontana, Pompeo Paterno, Vincenzo Stella, Tomaso, Marianna Perri; **that they may enter the peace of God.**

## STEWARDSHIP:

**“Go forth from the land of your kinsfolk and from your father’s house to a land that I will show you.” (Genesis 12:1)**

God calls all of us to leave behind our old ways and to follow Him, placing our complete trust in Him. Some of the old ways that we may have to struggle to leave behind might be materialism, selfishness, and greed. Yet God promises to show us a new land and a better way to live. Remember what St. Teresa of Calcutta said, “God does not call us to be successful, God calls us to be faithful.”

## REFLECTION: “Everyday Fears”

**But Jesus came and touched them, saying, “Rise, and do not be afraid.” Matthew 17:7**

I’ve heard that the message “Do not fear” is written, in one manner or another, over 365 times in the Bible. Apparently, we could stand to hear that every single day. So often, what terrifies us and holds us back, is much less threatening than the fear we harbor around it. That’s not to say that we should discount all fears, since there are legitimate fears that we must face at times. But Jesus says, “Rise, and do not be afraid.” Notice that we have to rise first, and the courage will come. Faith is the catalyst. We do not wait to feel brave. We could wait forever. Fear, like any emotion, can only exist in the present moment. We may become depressed by focusing on the past, or suffer from anxiety by worrying about the future. But right now, the present moment, is the only safe place we have. God’s love casts out fear. We have a choice right here—which will we choose? Love or fear?

*Kristin Armstrong*

## PRAYER OF THE WEEK

That we may learn the difference between what we want and what we need, trusting that God will provide all that we need.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK: “Helping other people”

Generosity gives assistance, rather than advice.

*Vauvenargues*

## VOCATION VIEWS

The Lord called Abram to go forth to a new land and begin a new nation. There’s no telling what we can become by responding to the Lord’s invitation to us.

## NEWS IN THE ARCHDIOCESE

**TRIDUUM OF PRAY.** 20-22 MARCH. RECAP SINCE ITS INCEPTION. To promote prayer for vocations during the Season of Lent, the Vocations Office is inviting communities to participate in a ‘Triduum of Prayer’ over the three days of 20-22 March. During these days, the aim is to have as many parishes and communities host one hour of prayer for vocations to Priesthood and Religious Life. Your hour could be at any time over these days – perhaps preceding, or after a weekend Mass? It could also be incorporated in a regular time of Adoration that you have. The Vocations Office will advertise these Hours of Prayer widely to invite as many people to come to pray in a place which is convenient to them. The Vocations Office will be happy to provide resources and sample Holy Hour formats for you to use during your Holy Hour of Prayer. If you are interested and able to participate, we invite you to indicate your time and date (and venue) so that we can begin the advertising very soon. Please contact the Vocations Office: **Phone (03) 9926 5733** or **Email: vocations@cam.org.au**

## JOKE OF THE WEEK



**“I finally put something aside for my retirement. I put aside my plans to retire.”**

## A WARM WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS 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.