

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: FEBRUARY Harry & Diana**CRYING ROOM:** Feel free to use this room during Mass. Kindly pack away toys at the end of Mass.**PIETY STALL:** If you wish to buy religious articles, books or cards please contact Jenny Goodheart.**FIRST AID BOX:** located inside the Crying Room at the entrance to the Church.**TOILET FACILITY:** Situated at the back of the Parish house; nearest to school oval.**RCIA/RCIC:** Anyone interested in learning about becoming a Catholic please contact Fr Gerome or Julie Poett.**Rosters will be subject to change in accordance with Government Advices.****WEEKDAY MASSES: NO WEEKDAY MASSES 1st –5th March and 8th –12th March****Fr Gerome attending Priest's Professional Development Days in Bunbury****WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:**

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<i>27th Feb</i>	<i>6th Mar</i>	<i>13th Mar</i>	<i>20th Mar</i>
TAMBELLUP		6.00PM		6.00PM
BROOMEHILL			6.00PM	
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<i>28th Feb</i>	<i>7th Mar</i>	<i>14th Mar</i>	<i>21st Mar</i>
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM

PARISH MINISTRIES: *If you are unable to attend on your rostered date please arrange for someone to replace you. Thank you!*

	<i>28th Feb</i>	<i>7th Mar</i>	<i>14th Mar</i>	<i>21st Mar</i>
<i>Greeter</i>				
<i>Intro & Second Reader</i>	P. Kerin	School	D. Cavoli	JP Collins
<i>First Reader</i>	D. Bearcroft	School	C. Ryall	R. Baxter
<i>Minister of the Eucharist</i>				
<i>Offertory</i>				
<i>Acolyte</i>	Sam	Alvarro	Angelo	Pat
<i>Altar Servers</i>				

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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen**28th February 2021 - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR B****First Reading: Book of Genesis 22:1-2,9-13,15-18**

God put Abraham to the test. 'Abraham, Abraham' he called. 'Here I am' he replied. 'Take your son,' God said 'your only child Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah. There you shall offer him as a burnt offering, on a mountain I will point out to you.' When they arrived at the place God had pointed out to him, Abraham built an altar there, and arranged the wood. Then he bound his son Isaac and put him on the altar on top of the wood. Abraham stretched out his hand and seized the knife to kill his son. But the angel of the Lord called to him from heaven. 'Abraham, Abraham' he said. 'I am here' he replied. 'Do not raise your hand against the boy' the angel said. 'Do not harm him, for now I know you fear God. You have not refused me your son, your only son.' Then looking up, Abraham saw a ram caught by its horns in a bush. Abraham took the ram and offered it as a burnt-offering in place of his son. The angel of the Lord called Abraham a second time from heaven. 'I swear by my own self – it is the Lord who speaks – because you have done this, because you have not refused me your son, your only son, I will shower blessings on you, I will make your descendants as many as the stars of heaven and the grains of sand on the seashore. Your descendants shall gain possession of the gates of their enemies. All the nations of the earth shall bless themselves by your descendants, as a reward for your obedience.' **The word of the Lord.**

Responsorial Psalm: I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

Second Reading: Letter of St Paul to the Romans 8:31-34

With God on our side who can be against us? Since God did not spare his own Son, but gave him up to benefit us all, we may be certain, after such a gift, that he will not refuse anything he can give. Could anyone accuse those that God has chosen? When God acquits, could anyone condemn? Could Christ Jesus? No! He not only died for us – he rose from the dead, and there at God’s right hand he stands and pleads for us. **The Word of the Lord.**

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!***

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Jesus took with him Peter and James and John and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone by themselves. There in their presence he was transfigured: his clothes became dazzlingly white, whiter than any earthly bleacher could make them. Elijah appeared to them with Moses; and they were talking with Jesus. Then Peter spoke to Jesus: ‘Rabbi,’ he said ‘it is wonderful for us to be here; so let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.’ He did not know what to say; they were so frightened. And a cloud came, covering them in shadow; and there came a voice from the cloud, ‘This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.’ Then suddenly, when they looked round, they saw no one with them any more but only Jesus. As they came down from the mountain he warned them to tell no one what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead. They observed the warning faithfully, though among themselves they discussed what ‘rising from the dead’ could mean.

The Gospel of the Lord

NEXT WEEK’S READINGS:

Third Sunday of Lent 7th March 2021 : Book of Exodus 20:1-17; First Letter of St Paul to the Corinthians

Please take home a **Project Compassion box** and/or a set of donation envelopes and support Caritas Australia. 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. The story of the transfiguration in today’s gospel reading urges us to see with the eyes of faith and listen to Jesus. We are called to transfigure our suffering world.

World Day of Prayer Service 2021 PRAY FOR VANUATU

Friday 5th March 10.00am Katanning Lutheran Church

ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!

World Day of Prayer 2021. Please support the World Day of Prayer on Friday 5th March 10.00am, at the Lutheran Church Katanning. This year we Pray for Vanuatu. Morning tea is available. The collection at the World Day of Prayer will be going towards help for Domestic Violence in Vanuatu.



PARISH NEWS

Lenten Reflection Booklet and Fellowship Program:

Our annual Lenten Fellowship Program commenced on Wednesday, 24th February and will be held each Wednesday during Lent at 6.00pm in the Parish House Meeting Room. All are welcome.

Stations of the Cross - walk the way of the Cross every Friday evening during Lent 6.00pm

St Patrick’s Parish Religious Education Program will be commencing soon. This Program is for children who do not attend a Catholic School and are working towards the preparation of the Sacraments. If you have children, or know of families that would like their children to receive the Sacraments, please see Fr Gerome or Julie Poett.

4th SUNDAY MORNING TEAS HAVE RETURNED! Every fourth Sunday of the month beginning TODAY following Mass, all parishioners are invited to come and enjoy our long missed morning tea.



Can You Help? In preparation for the coming winter season, a new wood fired heater has been installed in the Parish house. If any parishioners are able to donate some suitable wood for this purpose please contact Fr Gerome. Any amount would be most appreciated!

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Nancy Laurino and Joan Clarke in Kerry Lodge, and in a special way Laline Ford, and David McGuire. Please keep them in your prayers.



NEW PARISHIONERS: welcome to our Parish! We pray you will find peace and comfort in our Parish and with our God. Please join us in fellowship and community events. Please complete the “Welcome to our Parish Form” from the front entrance of the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Thank you and God bless.

The ability to budget can only come about through the ‘generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the “Planned Giving Programme.” Like all families, everyone’s pledge is important and commitment to the financial well-being of St Patrick’s Parish is **VITAL**. If you would like to join or know more about the programme please contact the Parish Office or Mr Peter Kerin.



COLLECTIONS	14th February	21st February
1 st Collection	\$ 235.15	\$ 277.00
2nd Collection	\$ 61.40	\$ 62.00
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 140.00	\$ 140.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
Candles	\$ --	\$ 33.50