

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: MARCH: Cora and Geoff

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: Wed 17th March 11.00am; Friday 19th March 9.00am

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<i>13th Mar</i>	<i>20th Mar</i>	<i>27th Mar</i>	<i>3rd April</i>
TAMBELLUP		6.00PM		Separate
BROOMEHILL	6.00PM			Schedule
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<i>14th Mar</i>	<i>21st Mar</i>	<i>28th Mar</i>	<i>4th April</i>
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	Separate
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	schedule

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

	<i>14th Mar</i>	<i>21st Mar</i>	<i>28th Mar</i>	<i>4th April</i>
<i>Greeter</i>			<i>Palm Sunday</i>	<i>Easter Sunday</i>
<i>Intro & Second Reader</i>	D. Cavoli	JP Collins	R. Whitmore	Separate
<i>First Reader</i>	C. Ryall	R. Baxter	J. Goodheart	Roster
<i>Minister of the Eucharist</i>				to be issued
<i>Offertory</i>				
<i>Acolyte</i>	Angelo	Pat	Albert	Volunteer
<i>Altar Servers</i>				



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"Inspired by our Patron Saint and guided by the Gospel teachings of Jesus, St Patrick's Parish strives to welcome and serve one another"

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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

14th March 2021 - FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR B

First Reading: 2 Chronicles 36:14-16,19-2

All the heads of the priesthood, and the people too, added infidelity to infidelity, copying all the shameful practices of the nations and defiling the Temple that the Lord had consecrated for himself in Jerusalem. The Lord, the God of their ancestors, tirelessly sent them messenger after messenger since he wished to spare his people and his house. But they ridiculed the messengers of God, they despised his words, they laughed at his prophets, until at last the wrath of the Lord rose so high against his people that there was no further remedy. Their enemies burned down the Temple of God, demolished the walls of Jerusalem, set fire to all its palaces, and destroyed everything of value in it. The survivors were deported by Nebuchadnezzar to Babylon; they were to serve him and his sons until the kingdom of Persia came to power. This is how the word of the Lord was fulfilled that he spoke through Jeremiah, 'Until this land has enjoyed its sabbath rest, until seventy years have gone by, it will keep sabbath throughout the days of its desolation.' And in the first year of Cyrus king of Persia, to fulfil the word of the Lord that was spoken through Jeremiah, the Lord roused the spirit of Cyrus king of Persia to issue a proclamation and to have it publicly displayed throughout his kingdom: 'Thus speaks Cyrus king of Persia, "The Lord, the God of heaven, has given me all the kingdoms of the earth; he has ordered me to build him a Temple in Jerusalem, in Judah. Whoever there is among you of all his people, may his God be with him! Let him go up."' **The Word of the Lord.**

Responsorial Psalm: *Let my tongue be silenced, if I ever forget you!*

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:4-10

God loved us with so much love that he was generous with his mercy: when we were dead through our sins, he brought us to life with Christ – it is through grace that you have been saved – and raised us up with him and gave us a place with him in heaven, in Christ Jesus. This was to show for all ages to come, through his goodness towards us in Christ Jesus, how infinitely rich he is in grace. Because it is by grace that you have been saved, through faith; not by anything of your own, but by a gift from God; not by anything that you have done, so that nobody can claim the credit. We are God’s work of art, created in Christ Jesus to live the good life as from the beginning he had meant us to live it. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: *Glory and praise to you Lord Jesus Christ!* God loved the world so much, he gave us his only Son, that all who believe in him might have eternal life. ***Glory and praise to you Lord Jesus Christ!***

Gospel: John 3:14-21

Jesus said to Nicodemus: ‘The Son of Man must be lifted up as Moses lifted up the serpent in the desert, so that everyone who believes may have eternal life in him. Yes, God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not be lost but may have eternal life. For God sent his Son into the world not to condemn the world, but so that through him the world might be saved. No one who believes in him will be condemned; but whoever refuses to believe is condemned already, because he has refused to believe in the name of God’s only Son. On these grounds is sentence pronounced: that though the light has come into the world men have shown they prefer darkness to the light because their deeds were evil. And indeed, everybody who does wrong hates the light and avoids it, for fear his actions should be exposed; but the man who lives by the truth comes out into the light, so that it may be plainly seen that what he does is done in God.’ **The Gospel of the Lord**

NEXT WEEK’S READINGS:

Fifth Sunday of Lent 21st March 2021 : Prophet Jeremiah 31:31-34; Letter to the Hebrews 5:7-9; John 12:20-30

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.

Please take home a **Project Compassion box** and/or a set of donation envelopes (available at entrance to the church) and support Caritas Australia. For over half a century, generations of Australians have participated in Project Compassion, supporting vulnerable communities before, during and after natural disasters, conflicts and crises – making it one of the nation’s longest running charity campaigns.



PARISH NEWS

Canonical Visitation: Today we welcome Bishop Gerard Holohan to our Parish on his annual Canonical visit. Over the past few days he has met with our Pastoral Parish Council, Finance Committee and School Principal and students. Now there is an opportunity for parishioners to meet and chat with Bishop Gerard and all are invited to join in morning tea after Mass today in the school hall.

Lenten Reflection and Fellowship Program: Every 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

Wendy, George, Ted and Diana represented St Patrick’s at the annual **World Day of Prayer**

Marriage Encounter: an Australia wide Virtual weekend is being zoomed 30th April to 2nd of May. Couples can enrich their marriage in a private space, in their own homes, using computer with good internet connection. The regular weekend has been thoroughly adapted because of the virus and used successfully in the Eastern States. To register interest and book on contact Brendan and Valerie phone 0424220625. Information also in the M.E. website www.wwme@org.au or ring Fr Pat Rooney 0428771440

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, David McGuire; and former parishioners Margaret Oversby and Nancy Tayler recovering from serious medical incidents . 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	28th February	7th March
1 st Collection	\$ 283.95	
2nd Collection	\$ 52.55	
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 100.00	
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	
Candles	--	