

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: MARCH:

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 Marlon or Julie Poett.

WEEKDAY MASSES: Wednesday 8th March NO MASS; Friday 3rd March 9.00am

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<i>4th March</i>	<i>11th March</i>	<i>18th March</i>	<i>25th March</i>
TAMBELLUP	6.00PM		6.00PM	
BROOMEHILL		6.00PM		
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<i>5th March</i>	<i>12th March</i>	<i>19th March</i>	<i>26th March</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>5th March</i>	<i>12th March</i>	<i>19th March</i>	<i>26th March</i>
Greeter			Staff Comm. Mass	
Intro & Second Reader	M. Hanna	D. Cavoli	Staff	J. Poett
First Reader	J. Poett	JP Collins	Staff	D. Bowen
Minister of the Eucharist				
Offertory	Volunteers	Volunteers	Staff	Volunteers
Acolyte	Angelo	Sam	Alvarro	Patrick
Altar Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers

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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**SUNDAY 5th MARCH 2023 - SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR A****First Reading: Book of Genesis 12:1-4**

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.

Responsorial Psalm: Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you.

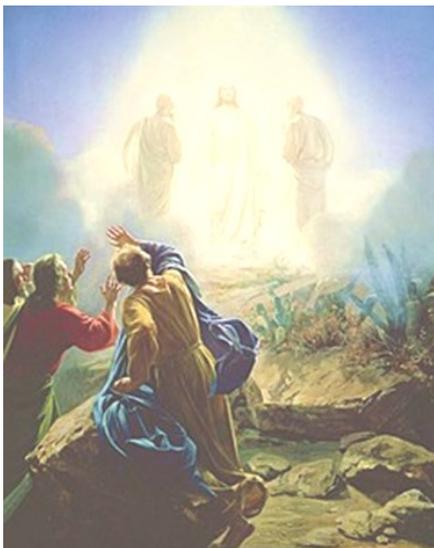
Second Reading: Second letter of St Paul to Timothy 1:8-10

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.**

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. .
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Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

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.'



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The Gospel of the Lord

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: Third Sunday of Lent Year A 12th March 2023: Book of Exodus 17:3-7; Letter of St Paul to the Romans 5:1-2,5-8; John 4:5-42

PROJECT COMPASSION boxes and envelopes are available at the entrance to the Church. Project Compassion showcases how we work with our local partners around the world to walk alongside communities as they strive to be the architects of their own development. We pray for all people who are a source of hope in the world, who help to transfigure darkness into light. May our support of Project Compassion help to keep alive our vision of Christ as the one we should most listen to, the light of the world.



**World Day
of Prayer**

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2023

Thank you to everyone who attended the World Day of Prayer last Friday. A special thank you to Fr Marlon for opening the Prayer Service, to Larissa Chen, Lindy Chang and Susan Nichol who contributed their artifacts of Taiwan and explaining the significance of their items; to Nathan McGill our Guest Speaker who gave an inspiring and insightful talk on his family life in Taiwan; to those who provided morning tea and to our parish

organisers for their time and efforts in making it such a successful prayer meeting. Photos on the notice board soon!

PARISH NEWS

On this second Sunday of Lent, we begin to prepare for the feast of Easter. We are encouraged to look at this period of Lent as a journey. Copies of the Diocesan Lenten Program are available at the entrance to the Church for personal or group reflection.

Fr Marlon will be absent from the Parish from Monday 6th March to Thursday 9th March inclusive, attending Priest's PD Days in Bunbury.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Brad and Nadine Rundle and all their family, as Mr Trevor Rundle passed away recently.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Immigration Appeal last Sunday; a total of \$129.00 was collected.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS walk the way of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 6.00pm.



Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Laline Ford and David McGuire; Also our parishioners in Kerry Lodge and Bethshan, Eileen Smith, Clara Illiano, Ted Schaefer, Bonnie Quartermaine. 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	19th February	26th February
1 st Collection	\$ 207.40	\$ 332.15
2nd Collection	\$ 22.85	\$ 111.35
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 120.00	\$ 130.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
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