

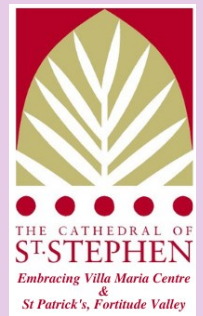
THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

YEAR A – 12TH MARCH 2023

The community of the Cathedral of St Stephen acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land on which our parish stands.

The Cathedral Parish has zero tolerance for all forms of abuse and is committed to safeguarding everyone involved in its activities, ministries and services. The safety and wellbeing of children and adults-at-risk is paramount.

Readings for today: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 4:1-11



Dear friends,

I drank water from Jacob's Well a few years ago. This well – certainly not the original – is located underneath a Greek Orthodox Church in the Palestinian town of Nablus. It is rare for foreigners to be able to access Nablus because of on-going tensions. Indeed recently, Nablus and surrounding towns have experienced an upsurge in violence. A couple of weeks ago, Israeli troops killed 11 Palestinians and wounded many more during a raid in the occupied West Bank. In recent days, Israeli settlers have burnt down homes and injured Palestinians in nearby towns. An Israeli government minister called for the settlement of Huwara, just south of Nablus, to be "wiped out". This is what passes for peace in this part of the world.

I am attuned to what is happening in Israel at the moment because I am heading to the Holy Land this week. I am accompanying a group of pilgrims from Brisbane Catholic Education, mostly school principals, as we undertake a pilgrimage to Israel and Rome.

Jesus' world was also a world of occupation and violence; a world of constant tribal tension lived against

the back drop of Imperial rule. This tension is clear in today's gospel.

In the bright light of the midday sun, a Samaritan woman and a Jewish man engage in something of a dance—at least a linguistic one. Jews don't associate with Samaritans, men don't initiate conversations with women, especially one who is up to relationship number six, and women don't go to the well in the hottest part of the day. This whole situation is indeed very awkward. Out of this awkwardness and bubbling tension comes faith in Jesus as "the Messiah".

Israel continues to be a world of unsettled peace, waiting for a messianic moment where, by some miraculous manifestation, the God of Israel, the God of our spiritual ancestors, lays claim to both people and place. For those of us who accept and trust in Jesus' messiahship, that manifestation has already come. We are taken today by the gospel right into the heart of the troubles of modern Israel and the Palestinian territories, and there we hear the voice of the One who embodies the fulfilment of the Law and the prophets: the One who is the water of life; the eternal well-spring; the peace of every hostility.

Fr. Anthony



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58 Morgan Street
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*Villa Maria Aged Care Chapel
171 St Paul's Tce
Spring Hill*

No public Masses until further notice.

Cathedral of St Stephen Mass Times

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|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------------|
| Mon to Fri | 8:00am | 10:00am | 12:30pm | 5:10pm |
| Saturday | 11:30am | | | 6:00pm Vigil |
| Sunday | 8:00am | 10:00am | 12:00pm | 7:30pm |

Cathedral Reconciliation Times

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| Mon to Fri | 10:30-11:30am | 1:00-1:30pm | 4:30-5:00pm |
| Saturday | 10:00-11:00am | | 4:30-5:30pm |

St Patrick's Mass Times

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| Sunday | 9:00am | 11:00am |
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Cathedral Exposition Times

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| Monday to Friday | 10:30am- 12:15pm |
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Cathedral Benediction Times

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| Monday to Friday | 12:15pm |
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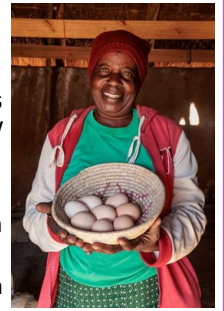




Third Sunday of Lent 11/12 March 2023



Zimbabwe is experiencing an intense drought, exacerbated by climate change. With the support of Caritas Hwange, Priscilla learnt conservation farming skills to grow drought-resistant crops and started poultry farming to support her family during the current food crisis.



Please donate to Project Compassion 2023.

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow **For All Future Generations.**

You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes/envelopes available from your parish, be visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion, or by calling 1800 024 413.

Lenten Concert Series Cathedral of St Stephen

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| 2nd March | Christopher Trikalis (organ) |
| 9th March | Iremi Utley (soprano) Dominic Perissinotto (piano) |
| 16th March | Dominic Perissinotto (organ) |
| 23rd March | D'Arne Sleeman (soprano) Dominic Perissinotto (organ) |
| 30th March | Christopher Trikalis (organ) Fr Scot Armstrong (violin) |

A time of inspiration and reflection
before the 12.30pm Mass.
All welcome, free admission.



Stations of the Cross

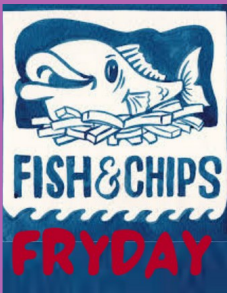
Stations of the Cross will be held
in the Cathedral on Fridays during Lent
commencing at 10:30am.

Please note on 17th March,
because of the St Patrick's Day Mass,
Stations of the Cross will commence
once Mass has concluded.



St Patrick's Day Mass—Friday 17 March 2023

Fr Gerard McMorro will celebrate the 10:00am Mass on
Friday 17 March with the Queensland Irish Association.
Everyone is welcome to attend.
There will be no Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament or
Benediction on this day.
The Mass will be livestreamed.



EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT

FROM 12:00PM - 1:30PM
UNDER THE VERANDA OF MERCY HOUSE



\$5
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Your \$5 donation will enable Vinnies to help those who
have come off second best in our local community.

Liturgical Ministers for the 7:30pm Sunday Mass

Do you regularly attend the 7:30pm Sunday Mass?
Would you like to participate more fully in the Mass by
volunteering as a Reader or Extraordinary Minister of Holy
Communion?

Training and formation will be given and a roster will be
compiled. Please register your interest by emailing the
Cathedral office: cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au.





Archbishop Mark Coleridge
invites you to the annual

CHRISM MASS

Thursday 30th March 2023
@ 7:00pm

Cathedral of St Stephen
249 Elizabeth Street,
Brisbane

A celebration for the entire Archdiocese

All Welcome

car parking available from 6:00pm
A light supper will be served following in the Mass

10th Anniversary of Pope Francis



On 13th March 2013, Pope Francis was elected as
successor of Pope Benedict XVI. He chose
Francis as his papal name in honour of St Francis
of Assisi. At the doors of the church are
postcards which were produced upon his
succession. Please take as many of these cards as
you like as we continue to pray for Pope Francis.

Archdiocesan Summit—May 18 to 20 2023



Summit 2023 is a three-day event for all
who belong to the faith community of the
Archdiocese; parishioners, educators,
parents, support staff, catechists, lay
leaders, religious and clergy, this event is
for everyone. The Summit is intended to
empower, inspire and equip delegates to
engage in the mission of the Church.

Brochures are available at the doors of the church.

If you are interested in attending the Summit as a Cathedral or
St Patrick's representative, please register your interest at
cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au or telephone 33234 3030.

Support for the Cathedral Parish

You may place your donations in the collection plate
during the Offertory, "Tap & Go" at the doors of the
church or donate on-line by scanning the QR Code which
will direct you to the donation page on the Cathedral
website.



EFTPOS machines also are available at the doors of the church and have the
capacity to enable us to select the amount we wish to contribute. As we
become an increasingly cashless society, this facility gives us the opportunity
to continue to financially support the Cathedral and St Patrick's.

Your support for the Cathedral Parish is appreciated.

ENTRANCE SONG

Psalm 24

At the conclusion of the Introit the assembly **responds** as the Ministers process towards the altar with the following translation of the Introit text. The **first** verse (which is the Antiphon) is repeated after the final verse.



Antiphon:

My eyes are fixed on God;
 From snares he rescues me.
 Behold my poor and lonely soul;
 Have mercy, Lord, on me.

To you, O Lord, I pray,
 I trust in your great name.
 Let not my enemies exult,
 Nor put my soul to shame.

Reveal your ways to me
 And guide me in right paths,
 That you may teach me in your truth,
 O Lord, is all I ask.

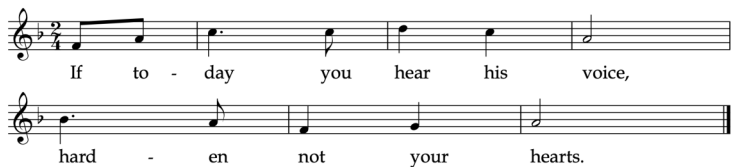
Give glory to our God,
 The Father and the Son,
 And also to the Paraclete,
 Eternal Three-in-One.

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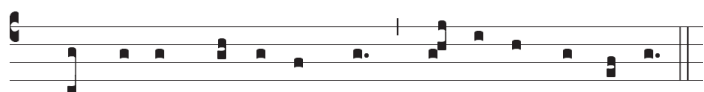
RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Psalm 102



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 4:42, 15



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Lord, you are truly the Saviour of the world;
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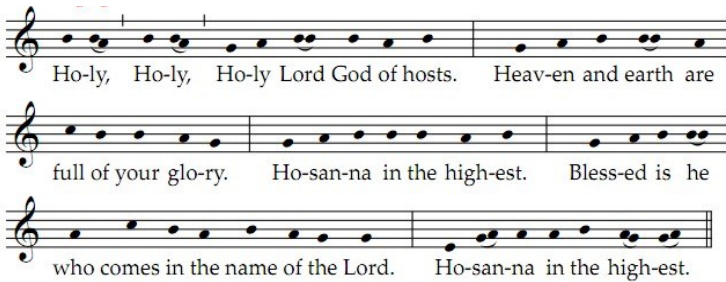
OFFERTORY MOTET

O Lord, increase our faith,
 strengthen us and confirm us in thy true faith;
 endue us with wisdom, charity, chastity and patience,
 in all our adversity.
 Sweet Jesu, say Amen.

Music: Henry Loosemore (1607 – 1670)

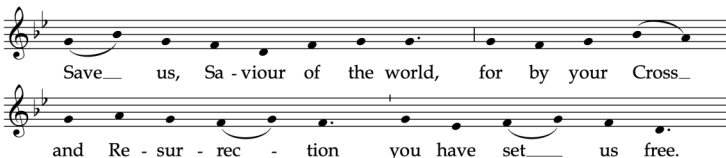
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Mass XVIII



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

ICEL #3



LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Missa Simile est Regnum Caelorum TL de Victoria (1548-1611)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Mt 17:9

Qui biberit aquam, quam ego
 do, dicit Dominus
 Samaritanae, fiet in eo fons
 aquae salientis in vitam
 aeternam.

"Whosoever drinks the water
 that I shall offer", said the Lord
 to the Samaritan woman,
 "shall have within him a spring
 of water welling up unto
 eternal life."

COMMUNION HYMN

CWB 595

Refrain Seek, O seek the Lord, while he is near;
 Trust him, speak to him in prayer,
 and he will hear.

1. God, be with us in our lives,
 Direct us in our calling;
 Break the snares the world contrives,
 Keep us from falling.

Refrain

2. God, increase in us the life
 That Christ by dying gave us:
 Though we faint in mortal strife
 His blood will save us.

Refrain

3. Strengthen in our hearts the love
 We owe to one another;
 How can we love God above
 And not our brother?

Refrain

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

An Wasserflüssen Babylon BWV 653
 – Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

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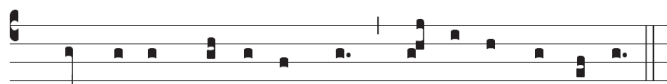
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Kyrie Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23a)
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Offertory Motet *Justitiae Domini* – Alessandro Scarlatti
(Midday Mass) (1660-1725)

Sanctus Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23c)

Memorial Acclamation Save us, Saviour of the world,
(ICEL #3): for by your Cross and Resurrection,
you have set us free. (CWBII 12c)

Agnus Dei Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23f)
(Midday Mass) Missa Quarti Toni
– Gregorio Allegri (1582-1652)

Communion Motet *Hide not thou thy face* – Richard Farrant
(Midday Mass) (c.1525-1580)

Communion Hymn May this Lenten discipline
(CWBII 295)

Recessional Hymn SILENCE

OFFERTORY MOTET, Midday Mass Psalm 18:9-12

Justitiae Domini rectae,
laetificantes corda; et judicia
eius dulciora super mel et
favum. Nam servus tuus
custodit ea.

*The statutes of the Lord are
right, and rejoice the heart;
his judgments sweeter also than
honey, and the honey-comb.
For thy servant keeps them.*

Music: Alessandro Scarlatti (1660-1725)

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"Come unto me and rest;
lay down, O weary one, lay down
your head upon my breast."
I came to Jesus as I was,
so weary, worn and sad;
I found in him a resting place,
and he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
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the living water; thirsty one,
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I came to Jesus, and I drank
of that life-giving stream;
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and now I live in him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light;
look unto me, your morn shall rise,
and all your day be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found
in him my star, my sun;
and in that light of life I'll walk
till trav'ling days are done.

Refrain May this Lenten discipline,
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1. Sin has sundered us from God,
selfish we have grown and cold,
foolish were the ways we trod,
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for the bread which he provides.

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