

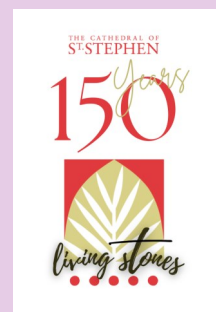
FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

YEAR B – 17TH MARCH 2024

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: Jeremiah 31:31-34; Hebrews 5:7-9; John 12:20-30



Dear friends,

While this Sunday retains its Lenten character, today is also the traditional Solemnity of St. Patrick (although the liturgical feast has been moved to Monday this year). Those of us from an Anglo-Celtic background have been steeped in the stories and traditions of St. Patrick, usually based in sentimental and exaggerated memories of a place (Ireland) that previous generations were trying to forget and subsequent generations had never visited.

As a boy, I remember coming into City Hall to sing at the St. Patrick's Day concert and later as a young man finding my way to Irish pubs that were dotted around the city. All this had something to do with cultural heritage and appropriation, and vague connections to traditions in a non-traditional land and not much to do with spirituality or faith. It is the classic arc of migrant populations seeking some identity and nostalgia for a homeland that is never quite the way that remember or imagine.

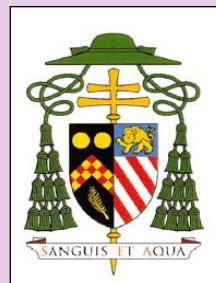
The same rhythm is also happening with more recently arrived migrant communities. The broader celebration of the Lunar New Year is a more contemporary example.

The St. Patrick of history is not quite

the St. Patrick of hagiography. The stories that we tell are grander than the real story of St. Patrick but, as is the case often enough, the real story is more interesting. The writings he left behind present a man whose mission was much more extreme and vulnerable and unstable than the mythology depicts.

The basic details of the Patrick story which most people are familiar with are true. He was captured as a youth in Roman Britain, transported to Ireland, where he spent six years as a slave. He eventually escaped and made his way back home. He became a priest and many years later left Britain and returned to Ireland as a missionary. However, being a missionary in a pagan land was no easy task but Irish Catholicism, just like Patrick, has always had a missionary heart. It is this missionary heart that we celebrate, not just on this feast day, but any feast of a saint whose life work bears fruit in the life of a people or nation.

Being a fruitful seed is on Jesus' mind today, so it is appropriate also to consider the energy and efforts of St. Patrick. The real St. Patrick may not have been so glorious, but we can still hail his missionary zeal. *Fr. Anthony*



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St Patrick's Church
58 Morgan Street
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No public Masses until further notice.

Cathedral of St Stephen Mass Times

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

* The 8.00am weekday and 10:00am Sunday Masses are livestreamed.

** Thursday 21 March 4:30pm Reconciliation & 5:10pm Mass will not be held.

Cathedral Reconciliation Times

Monday to Friday **	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

Sunday	9:00am	11:00am
Brazilian Catholic Community (Portuguese Mass)		5:00pm

Cathedral Exposition Times

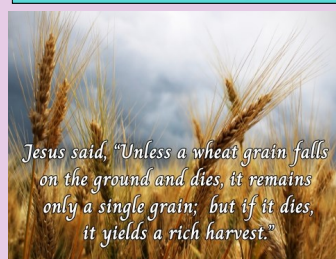
Monday to Friday	10:30am-12:15pm
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Cathedral Benediction Times

Monday to Friday	12:15pm
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Jesus said, "Unless a wheat grain falls on the ground and dies, it remains only a single grain; but if it dies, it yields a rich harvest."



**Fifth Sunday of Lent
16 & 17 March 2024**



The work of Caritas Australia is only possible with generous supporters and the dedication, passion and tenacity of our local partners who implement the programs. They are the heroes on the ground working tirelessly behind-the-scenes every day to create a better future for their communities.

Please donate to Project Compassion.

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 and envelopes available from your parish, by visiting caritas.org.au/project-compassion or by calling 1800 024 413.



**Third Sunday of the month
Vinnies Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser
under the veranda of Mercy House**

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

- Sausage & Bun with Chips and Drink - \$7.00
- Sausage & Bun with Drink - \$5.00
- Sausage & Bun Only - \$4.00
- Chips & Drink - \$3.00

Sunday 17 March 2024
following 10:00am & 12:00pm Masses



BENEDICTUS
a Photographic Exhibition
by Alan Edgecomb
Purple Moon Photography

grand opening
by Archbishop Mark Coleridge **6pm Friday 15 March**

exhibition duration **15 - 22 March**
location **Hanly Room**
cost **free**

LENTEN CONCERT SERIES

21st March
Christopher Trikilis (organ)



Please Note: Benediction will be held at 11:45am to enable the concerts to commence at 12 noon.

**Cathedral of St Stephen
Lenten Concerts 2024
Thursdays at Noon
Free Admission**

**** Thursday 21 March 2021**

As the Chrism Mass will be celebrated at 7:00pm on Thursday 21 March and we will be preparing the Cathedral for the Blessing of the Holy Oils, 4:30pm Reconciliation and 5:10pm Mass will not be held.

Archbishop Mark Coleridge
invites you to the annual

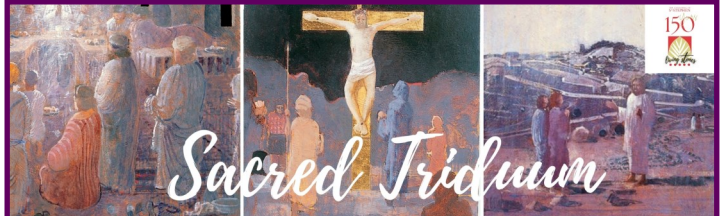
CHRISM MASS

Thursday 21st March 2024 @ 7:00pm
Cathedral of St Stephen

A CELEBRATION FOR THE ENTIRE ARCHDIOCESE
ALL WELCOME



CAR PARKING AVAILABLE FROM 6:00PM
A LIGHT SUPPER WILL BE SERVED FOLLOWING THE MASS



	Holy Thursday	Good Friday	Holy Saturday	Easter Sunday
Cathedral of St Stephen	Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00pm	Way of the Cross 10:00am	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord 3:00pm	Easter Sunday Mass 8am; 10am 12pm; 7:30pm
St Patrick's Church		Way of the Cross 10:00am	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord 3:00pm	Easter Sunday Mass 9am; 11am

2nd Rite of Reconciliation

The 2nd Rite of Reconciliation will be held on **Monday 25 March 2024 @ 5:10pm**. There will be no 5:10pm Mass on that day. The Cathedral car park will be available.

Easter Triduum

Thank you to those who have already responded to our call for the Cathedral Easter Triduum Liturgies, ie, **Holy Thursday** - Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper @ 7:00pm, **Good Friday** - Way of the Cross @ 10:00am; Celebration of the Passion of the Lord @ 3:00pm; **Holy Saturday** - Easter Vigil @ 7:00pm.

Readers and Ministers of Holy Communion who will be attending these Liturgies and are available to minister, are invited to add their name to the rosters in the sacristy or email the Cathedral office cathedral@bne.catholic.net.au as soon as possible. Rosters will be distributed on Monday 25 March.

**Cathedral of St Stephen
150th Celebrations Merchandise**

Available for sale following the Sunday morning Masses and from the Cathedral Office during the week.



Pens, Keyring, Mousepad, Coffee Mug, Picnic Blanket, Umbrella

Support for the Cathedral Parish

As we become an increasingly cashless society, EFTPOS facilities enable us to continue to financially support the Cathedral of St Stephen and St Patrick's.

You are invited to look for our collectors at the doors of the church following Mass, where you will have the opportunity make your donation.

You may also 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.



Your support for the Cathedral Parish is appreciated.

MUSIC FOR THE 10.00AM SOLEMN MASS

*We extend a warm welcome to the Irish Association,
who are joining us today.*

INTROIT

John 12

Iudica me Deus, et discerne
causa meam de gente non
sancta: homine iniquo et
doloso eripe me: quia tu es
Deus meus, et fortitude mea.

*Vindicate me, O God, and
defend my cause against an
ungodly nation;. From wicked
and deceitful men deliver me,
for you are my God and my
strength.*

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

CWB 463

Christ be beside me, Christ be before me,
Christ be behind me, King of my heart.
Christ be within me, Christ be below me,
Christ be above me, never to part.

Christ on my right hand, Christ on my left hand,
Christ all around me, shield in the strife.
Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting,
Christ in my rising, light of my life.

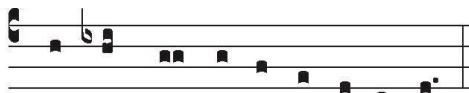
Christ be in all hearts thinking above me,
Christ be in all tongues telling of me.
Christ be the vision in eyes that see me,
in ears that hear me, Christ ever be.

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Missa L'Hora Passa Lodovico Grossi da Viadana (1560-1627)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

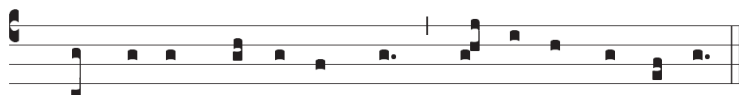
Ps 50:3-4, 12-15



✠ A pure heart cre-ate for me, O God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

John 12:26



✠ Praise to you, Lord Je-sus Christ, King of end-less glo-ry.

*If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord;
and where I am, my servant will also be.*

OFFERTORY MOTET

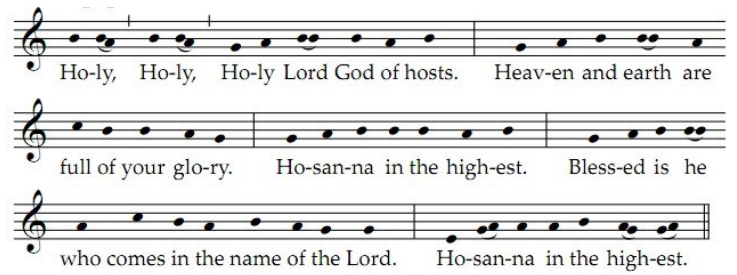
A Gaelic Blessing

*Deep peace of the running wave to you,
Deep deep peace of the flowing air to you,
deep peace of the quiet earth to you,
deep peace of the shining stars to you,
deep peace of the gentle night to you,
moon and stars pour their healing light on you,
deep peace of Christ, of Christ the light of the world, to you,
deep peace of Christ to you.*

Music: John Rutter (b.1945)

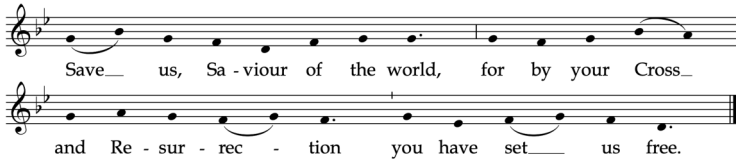
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Mass XVIII



MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

ICEL #3



LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

Missa L'Hora Passa Lodovico Grossi da Viadana (1560-1627)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

John 12

Qui mihi ministrat, me
sequatur: et ubi ego sum,
illic et minister meus erit.

*If a man would serve me, let
him follow me; wherever I am,
my servant will be there too.*

COMMUNION HYMN

CWB 455

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
be all else but naught to me, save that thou art,
be thou my best thought in the day and the night,
both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word;
be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord,
be thou my great Father, thy child let me be,
be thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight,
be thou my whole armour, be thou my true might,
be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower,
O raise thou me heav'n ward, great Power of my power.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
be thou my inheritance now and always,
be thou and thou only the first in my heart,
O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun,
O grant me its joys after vict'ry is won,
great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

RECESSIONAL

Piper

MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL

Music at today's Mass is drawn from the Catholic Worship Book II, with congregational hymn texts on this sheet.

The 10:00am Solemn Mass is led by the Cathedral Choir, the music for this mass is inside this bulletin.

The Midday Mass is today led by the Cathedral Schola. All other Masses are led by a cantor.

Processional Hymn Grant to us, O Lord (CWBII 291)

Refrain Grant to us, O Lord, a heart renewed;
recreate in us your own Spirit, Lord!

Behold, the days are coming,
says the Lord our God,
when I will make a new covenant
with the house of Israel. *Refrain*

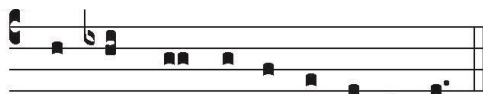
Deep within their being
I will implant my law;
I will write it in their hearts. *Refrain*

I will be their God,
and they shall be my people. *Refrain*

And for all their faults
I will grant forgiveness:
never more will I remember their sins. *Refrain*

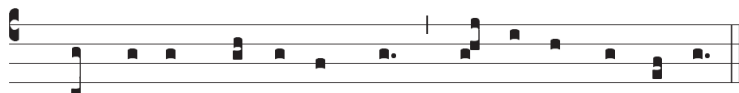
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and where I am, my servant will also be.*

Offertory Motet (Midday Mass) Richte mich, Gott Op. 78 (Psalm 43) – Felix Mendelssohn (1809 – 1847)

*Do me justice, O God,
and fight my fight against a faithless people;
from the deceitful and impious man rescue me.
For you, o God, are my strength.
Why do you keep me so far away?
Why must I go about in mourning,
With the enemy oppressing me?
Send forth your light and your fidelity;
they shall lead me on
And bring me to your holy mountain,
to your dwelling place.
Then will I go in to the altar of God,
the God of my gladness and joy;
Then will I give you thanks upon the harp, my God
Why are you so downcast, o my soul?
And why do you sigh within me? Hope in God!
Then I will again give him thanks,
In the presence of my saviour and my God.*

Sanctus

Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23c)

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

Agnus Dei Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23f)
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Communion Motet (Midday Mass) *Plange quasi virgo*
– Marco Antonio Ingegneri (1535-1592)

*Plange quasi virgo, plebs
mea, ululate, pastores, in
cinere et cilicio quia veniet
dies Domini magna et amara
valde. Accingite vos,
sacerdotes, et plangite,
ministri altaris, aspergite vos
cinere.*

*Weep like a virgin, my people,
howl, keepers of the flock,
covered with ashes and wearing
hair-shirts, for the great and
very bitter day of the Lord will
come. Prepare yourselves,
priests, and lament, acolytes
before the altar, cover
yourselves with ashes.*

Communion Hymn May this Lenten discipline
(CWBII 295)

Refrain May this Lenten discipline,
which we undertake with love,
turn our minds to things above.

1. Sin has sundered us from God,
selfish we have grown and cold,
foolish were the ways we trod,
evil habits keep their hold. *Refrain*

2. Now we fast that we may feast
where the Lord of Life presides;
may our hunger be increased
for the bread which he provides. *Refrain*

3. As we keep this Lent with prayer
and from pleasures are withdrawn,
minds and bodies we prepare
for the joy of Easter dawn. *Refrain*

The Liturgical Procession leaves in silence.

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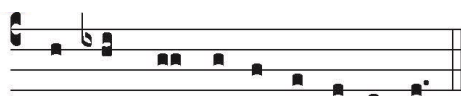
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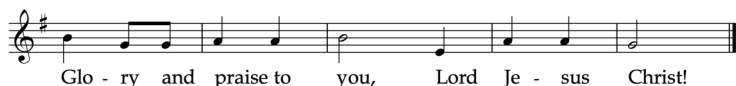
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Agnus Dei Mass of OLHC, Connolly (CWBII 23f)

Communion Organ music

Communion Hymn Song of St Patrick (CWBII 556)

*Refrain May the Spirit of Christ
be our hope through the day,
be our guard through the night,
our companion on the way.*

Christ be ever before us,
Christ be ever behind us,
Christ be ever within.

Refrain

God Creator, bless and keep us,
Christ, be ever near us;
Spirit be the light before us,
gentle be our pathway.

Refrain

Recessional Hymn Hail Glorious St Patrick

Hail, glorious St Patrick, dear saint of our isle,
On us thy poor children bestow a sweet smile;
And now thou art high in the mansions above,
On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.
*On Erin's green valleys, on Erin's green valleys,
On Erin's green valleys look down in thy love.*

Hail, glorious St Patrick, thy words were once strong
Against Satan's wiles and a heretic throng;
Not less is thy might where in Heaven thou art;
Oh, come to our aid, in our battle take part!
*Oh, come to our aid, Oh, come to our aid,
Oh, come to our aid, in our battle take part!*

In a war against sin, in the fight for the faith,
Dear Saint, may thy children resist to the death;
May their strength be in meekness, in penance, and prayer,
Their banner the Cross, which they glory to bear.
*Their banner the Cross, Their banner the Cross,
Their banner the Cross, which they glory to bear.*



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