Benediction Hymns and Prayer

O SAVING VICTIM

O saving victim, op'ning wide The gate of heav'n to us below. Our foes press on from ev'ry side, Thine aid supply, thy strength bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend For evermore, blest One in Three; O grant us life that shall not end, In our true native land with thee. Amen.

HYMN OF ADORATION

Down in adoration falling, This great sacrament we hail; Ancient types have long departed Newer rites of grace prevail Faith for all defects supplying Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing To the Father and the Son, honour, might and praise addressing while eternal ages run; Equal praise to him confessing who proceeds from both as one. AMEN V. You have given them bread from heaven R. Having in itself all delight.

GOD WITH HIDDEN MAJESTY (Gather Aust. 388)

God with hidden majesty, lies in presence here, I with deep devotion my true God revere: Whom this outward shape and form secretly contains, Christ in his divinity manhood still retains.

All my other senses, cannot now perceive, But my hearing, taught by faith, always will believe: I accept whatever God the Son has said: Those who hear the word of God, by the truth are fed.

Blest reminder of the death suffered for the world, Sacrament of living bread, health to every mind, Let my soul approach you, live within your grace, Let me taste the perfect joys time shall not efface.

PRAYER FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS

Celebrant: At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved.

Response: For they were like sheep without a shepherd.

Celebrant: Jesus said, 'The harvest is ready.'

Response: But the labourers are few. Celebrant: Ask the Lord to send our labourers for the harvest. **Response**: O Lord, we pray for more young people to answer the call to become priests and religious in your harvest.

Celebrant: And shepherd for your people. *Response: Amen.*





MONDAY 24 APRIL 2023 Monday of the third week of Easter

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

The Good Shepherd has risen, who laid down his life for his sheep and willingly died for his flock, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

Acts 6:8-15 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 118:23-24, 26-27, 29-30 (JB) R. Blessed are they who walk in the way of the Lord.

R. Alleluia.

Though princes sit plotting against me I ponder on your statutes. Your will is my delight; your statutes are my counsellors. R.

I declared my ways and you answered: teach me your statutes. Make me grasp the way of your precepts and I will muse on your wonders. R.

Keep me from the way of error and teach me your law. I have chosen the way of truth with your decrees before me. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 6:22-29 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you, says the Lord, alleluia.

WEEKDAY PRAYER SHEET

23 — 29 APRIL 2023 THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER YEAR A

> TUESDAY 25 APRIL 2023 Anzac Day

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord. Let them rest from their labours, For their good deeds go with them.

FIRST READING:

Wisdom 3:1-9 (JB) <u>OR</u> Isaiah 9:1-6 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 71:1-4, 7-8 (*JB*) **R**. I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

or R. Justice shall flourish in his time and fullness of peace for ever.

Ps 114 and Ps 115 (JB) R. I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living. or

R. Alleluia.

SECOND READING:

1 Corinthians 1:18-25 (JB) <u>OR</u> Ephesians 2:13-18 (JB)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Happy are those who have died in the Lord; let them rest from their labours for their good deeds go with them. Alleluia!

<u>OR</u>

Alleluia, alleluia! Peace I leave with you ,says the Lord, my own peace I give you. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

John 12:23-28 (JB) <u>OR</u> John 14:23-29 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Greater love has no one than to lay down his life for his friends, says the Lord.

WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL 2023

Saint Mark (F)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Go into all the world, and proclaim the Gospel to every creature, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

1 Peter 5:5-14 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 88:2-3, 6-7, 16-17 (*JB*) R. For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord. or R. Alleluia!

I will sing for ever of your love, O Lord; through all ages my mouth will proclaim your truth.

Of this I am sure, that your love lasts for ever, that your truth is firmly established as the heavens. R.

The heavens proclaim your wonders, O Lord; the assembly of your holy ones proclaims your truth.

For who in the skies can compare with the Lord or who is like the Lord among the sons of God? R.

Happy the people who acclaim such a king, who walk, O Lord, in the light of your face, who find their joy every day in your name, who make your justice the source of their bliss. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! We preach a Christ who was crucified; he is the power and the wisdom of God. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mark 16:15-20 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age, says the Lord, alleluia.

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ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Let us sing to the Lord, for he has gloriously triumphed. The Lord is my strength and my might;

he has become my salvation, alleluia.

FIRST READING: Acts 8:26-40 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 65:8-9, 16-17, 20 (*JB*) R. Let all the earth cry out to God with joy. or

R. Alleluia.

O peoples, bless our God, let the voice of his praise resound, of the God who gave life to our souls and kept our feet from stumbling. R.

Come and hear, all who fear God. I will tell what he did for my soul: to him I cried aloud, with high praise ready on my tongue. R.

Blessed be God who did not reject my prayer nor withhold his love from me. **R**.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: John 6:44-51 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Christ died for all, that those who live may live no longer for themselves, but for him, who died for them and is risen, alleluia.

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FRIDAY 28 APRIL 2023

Saint Peter Chanel (M)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Perpetual light will shine on your Saints, O Lord, and life without end for ever, alleluia.

FIRST READING: Acts 9:1-20 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 116 (JB) **R**. Go out to all the world, and tell the Good News.

or

R. Alleluia.

O praise the Lord, all you nations, acclaim him all you peoples! R.

Strong is his love for us; he is faithful for ever. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! All who eat my flesh and drink my blood live in me and I in them, says the Lord. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

John 6:52-59 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

Unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat; but if it dies, it produces much fruit, alleluia. SATURDAY 29 APRIL 2023 Saturday of the third week of Easter

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Here is a wise virgin, from among the number of the prudent, who went forth with lighted lamp to meet Christ, alleluia.

FIRST READING:

Acts 9:31-42 (JB)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Ps 115:12-17 (JB) R. What return can I make to the Lord for all that he gives to me? or

R. Alleluia.

How can I repay the Lord for his goodness to me? The cup of salvation I will raise; I will call on the Lord's name. R.

My vows to the Lord I will fulfil before all his people. O precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of his faithful. **R**.

Your servant, Lord, your servant am I; you have loosened my bonds. A thanksgiving sacrifice I make: I will call on the Lord's name. R.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia! Your words, Lord, are spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life. Alleluia!

GOSPEL:

John 6:60-69 (JB)

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

If we walk in the light, as God is in the light,

then we have fellowship with one another,

and the blood of his Son Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin, alleluia.