

LITURGY OF THE WORD**FIRST READING**

Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron, 'If a swelling or scab or shiny spot appears on a man's skin, a case of leprosy of the skin is to be suspected. The man must be taken to Aaron, the priest, or to one of the priests who are his sons. 'The man is leprous: he is unclean. The priest must declare him unclean; he is suffering from leprosy of the head. A man infected with leprosy must wear his clothing torn and his hair disordered; he must shield his upper lip and cry, "Unclean, unclean." As long as the disease lasts he must be unclean; and therefore he must live apart: he must live outside the camp.'

The word of the lord

All: Thanks be to God**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**

Psalm 31:1-2, 5, 11

Response: I turn to you, Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation.

Happy the man whose offence is forgiven, whose sin is remitted. O happy the man to whom the Lord imputes no guilt, in whose spirit is no guile. **R.**

But now I have acknowledged my sins; my guilt I did not hide. I said: 'I will confess my offence to the Lord.' And you, Lord, have forgiven the guilt of my sin. **R.**

Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord, exult, you just! O come, ring out your joy, all you upright of heart. **R.**

SECOND READING

1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

Whatever you eat, whatever you drink, whatever you do at all, do it for the glory of God. Never do anything offensive to anyone – to Jews or Greeks or to the Church of God; just as I try to be helpful to everyone at all times, not anxious for my own advantage but for the advantage of everybody else, so that they may be saved. Take me for your model, as I take Christ.

The word of the lord

All: Thanks be to God**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Luke 7:16

Alléluia, alléluia! A great prophet has appeared among us; God has visited his people. **Alléluia!**

GOSPEL

Mark 1:40-45

A leper came to Jesus and pleaded on his knees: 'If you want to' he said 'you can cure me.' Feeling sorry for him, Jesus stretched out his hand and touched him. 'Of course I want to!' he said. 'Be cured!' And the leprosy left him at once and he was cured. Jesus immediately sent him away and sternly ordered him, 'Mind you say nothing to anyone, but go and show yourself to the priest, and make the offering for your healing prescribed by Moses as evidence of your recovery.' The man went away, but then started talking about it freely and telling the story everywhere, so that Jesus could no longer go openly into any town, but had to stay outside in places where nobody lived. Even so, people from all around would come to him.

The gospel of the lord

All: praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Mass intentions

Sat	6:30pm	Gary Modini Imacolatta & Galileo Calisto
	7:30pm	
Sun	9:00am	Angela Sanfillipo Joseph & Maria Po Hto
	10:15am	Alberto Leone Agnello Antonino Agnello
	11:15am	Jose Luiz Tito Cecilia Maria Cavalheiro Valdomiro Santos Pinto

Readers

Sat	6:30pm	Mac Callisto & Carlo
	7:30pm	Neocatechumenal Way
Sun	9:00am	Anne & Greg Diamond
	10:15am	Italian Mass

Servers/Acolyte

Sat	6:30pm	Rory, Alexander, Connor, Emma, Daniel P & Izzy Brad
	7:30pm	
Sun	9:00am	Thineth, Clara, Grace, Tess, Joseph & Mariam Eugene & Brendon
	10:15am	Giovanni
Hospital		By appointment

Children's Liturgy

Sun	Anne-Marie	Barbara
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YOUR CONTRIBUTION TO OUR PARISH

Our Plan-giving is an essential part of the parish financial needs. If you are either new or old to our parish, Join the plan and help us to pay our bills. Talk to either Phil, Eugene or Judith Tresham to know more about it and be part of our plan-giving. You can either contribute weekly or monthly through our parish online accounts. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

Thank you!

Sunday Masses

Sat 6:30 & 7:30pm (longer liturgy)

Sun 9:00 am

10:15am (Italian)

2nd Sun 11:15am
(Brazilian)

Weekday Masses

Tues – Sat 8:00am

Rosary – Tues 7:30am

Adoration – Thurs 7:30am

Baptism

1st & 3rd Sun at 11:15am

Confession

Sat 8:30am & 6:30pm/ by appointment

Weddings & Funerals

By appointment

Parish Contacts

Parish Priest:
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Judith Tresham

Parish Secretary:
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Mon & Wed – closed,
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GREEK / HEBREW WORD

בְּרוּךְ הַגִּבּוֹר אֲשֶׁר יִבְטַח בַּיהוָה וְהָיָה יְהוָה מִבְּטָחוֹ

Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose trust is the LORD. (Jeremiah 17:7)

Betach (בִּטַח) and Bittachon (בִּטְחוֹן) express a sense of well-being and security that results from placing confident expectation in God. The ancient Greek translation of the Torah (i.e., the Septuagint) never translates words deriving from this root in terms of merely "believing in God" (i.e., intellectual assent), but in terms of hoping or relying upon God's emunah (faithfulness) as the only true Source of hope. As the Psalms repeatedly state, the confidence that comes from relying upon God is valid only because of God's chesed (his loyalty or covenantal faithfulness). Some of the Jewish sages have said that bittachon can be of two forms: "active" bittachon and "passive" bittachon. Active bitachon is self-confidence to carry out actions and goals we set for ourselves. However, it is by God's grace that we are enabled to do anything at all, and this recognition leads to passive bitachon, namely, the confidence that God will work all things together for good to those who are trusting in Him (Rom. 8:28).

בְּטַח אֶל-יְהוָה בְּכָל-לִבְךָ

Trust in the LORD with all your heart
(Proverbs 3:5)

בְּטַח בַּיהוָה וַעֲשֵׂה-טוֹב

Trust in the LORD and do good
(Psalm 37:3)

Notice that this pasuk implies that when we trust in the LORD, we are more likely to do good in our world. So, have trust, bring more good into your life and be nourished.

Upcoming events

8th Parish Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Many thanks to each and every one who attended our Parish AGM for 2023. Combining the AGM and the morning tea has drawn a good number of attendances for the meeting.

St Kieran Parish Project.

Many thanks to our Parishioners and Contributors for our Parish Project, fundraising activities will continue in 2024 to fund the renovations.

For contributions to St Kieran Project, please donate to the following parish Fundraising account.

Parish Fundraising account: BSB – 086006, Account Number- 940251782

Ash Wednesday 14th February

Day of fast and abstinence, Mass at 8am and 6:30pm.



Way of the Cross During Lent every Friday

Starting from Friday 23rd February 2024 @ 6:00pm.

Busy Bee

Busy Bee weekend to clean around the church, coming up soon.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Classes commence this week Wednesday 14 Feb 4:00-5:00pm.

Parish Activities



Every Tuesday
6:15-7:15pm
\$10 per person

Line Dancing



Every Wednesday
6:15 – 7:45pm
\$10 per person
Contact Pat: 0407 561 470

LITURGIA DELLA PAROLA

PRIMA LETTURA

Levitico 13,1-2.45-46

Il Signore parlò a Mosè e ad Aronne e disse: «Se qualcuno ha sulla pelle del corpo un tumore o una pustola o macchia bianca che faccia sospettare una piaga di lebbra, quel tale sarà condotto dal sacerdote Aronne o da qualcuno dei sacerdoti, suoi figli. Il lebbroso colpito da piaghe porterà vesti strappate e il capo scoperto; velato fino al labbro superiore, andrà gridando: "Impuro! Impuro!". Sarà impuro finché durerà in lui il male; è impuro, se ne starà solo, abiterà fuori dell'accampamento».

Parola di Dio

A: Rendiamo grazie a Dio

SALMO RESPONSORIALE

Sal 31

Response: Tu sei il mio rifugio, mi liberi dall'angoscia

Beato l'uomo a cui è tolta la colpa e coperto il peccato. Beato l'uomo a cui Dio non imputa il delitto e nel cui spirito non è inganno. **R.**

Ti ho fatto conoscere il mio peccato, non ho coperto la mia colpa. Ho detto: «Confesserò al Signore le mie iniquità» e tu hai tolto la mia colpa e il mio peccato. **R.**

Rallegratevi nel Signore ed esultate, o giusti! Voi tutti, retti di cuore, gridate di gioia! **R.**

SECONDA LETTURA

1 Corinzi 10,31-11,1

Fratelli, sia che mangiate sia che beviate sia che facciate qualsiasi altra cosa, fate tutto per la gloria di Dio. Non siate motivo di scandalo né ai Giudei, né ai Greci, né alla Chiesa di Dio; così come io mi sforzo di piacere a tutti in tutto, senza cercare il mio interesse ma quello di molti, perché giungano alla salvezza. Diventate miei imitatori, come io lo sono di Cristo.

Parola di Dio

A: Rendiamo grazie a Dio

CANTO AL VANGELO

Alleluia, Alleluia. Un grande profeta è sorto tra noi, e Dio ha visitato il suo popolo. **Alleluia.**

VANGELO

Marco 1,40-45

In quel tempo, venne da Gesù un lebbroso, che lo supplicava in ginocchio e gli diceva: «Se vuoi, puoi purificarmi!». Ne ebbe compassione, tese la mano, lo toccò e gli disse: «Lo voglio, sii purificato!». E subito la lebbra scomparve da lui ed egli fu purificato. E, ammonendolo severamente, lo cacciò via subito e gli disse: «Guarda di non dire niente a nessuno; va', invece, a mostrarti al sacerdote e offri per la tua purificazione quello che Mosè ha prescritto, come testimonianza per loro». Ma quello si allontanò e si mise a proclamare e a divulgare il fatto, tanto che Gesù non poteva più entrare pubblicamente in una città, ma rimaneva fuori, in luoghi deserti; e venivano a lui da ogni parte.

Parola del Signore

A: Lode a Te, O Cristo.