

Entrance Antiphon

Rejoice, Jerusalem, and all who love her.
Be joyful, all who were in mourning;
exult and be satisfied at her consoling breast.

Responsorial Psalm

(R.) The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.

Gospel Acclamation

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!
I am the light of the world, says the Lord;
whoever follows me will have the light of life.
Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

Communion Antiphon

The Lord anointed my eyes: I went, I washed,
I saw and I believed in God.



**We, the people of Corpus Christi,
seek to grow in living
a Christ-centred mission,
sharing our gifts to foster welcome,
justice and community in today's world.**

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**A very warm welcome to anyone who
is new to the parish.**

*So that we can get to know who you are,
it would be great if you would please fill out a
Census Card available in the foyer.*

Let us Offer Gifts of Prayer:

Mass Intentions:

Pauline Meilak (24/02/2020), Frank Buttigieg (31/01/2020)

Anniversaries:

Mario Vella, Grace Xuereb, Emmanuel Camilleri, Georgina & Fortunato Zahra,
Doris & Paul Grech, Toni & Mary Agius, Sheila Tavares, Tiegán Rickard Perdue,
Jovito Juinio Jr. Jack Cottee.

◇ If you would like a family member or friend's name to be included in the sick list, please
gain permission from that person before you make the request to the parish team.

◇ Intentions for Recently Deceased, Anniversaries and for those who are sick will remain in
The Net for 4 weeks. Please contact the parish Office for further inclusion.

Bishop's Good Samaritan Appeal

The appeal which was to take place this weekend around the theme of the Good Samaritan, has been postponed until later in the year.

First & Second Collections

Due to the Coronavirus and our duty of care, a decision has been made that the First and Second Collections will not take place at the normal time during Mass. So as these collections can still proceed, baskets (labelled First & Second Collection) will be placed at both entrances. Thank you for your understanding.

Email Scam

Some parishioners may have received an email from someone posing to be Fr Chris asking for a favour or assistance. The email address used with Fr Chris' name is joyb9360@gmail.com. If you have, please delete the email as this is not his email address. Sorry if it has caused any disturbance.

Cooking Food for the Homeless

For the past nine months families from our parish youth group have been cooking and providing meals for the homeless in our local area. We are on a roster to provide food on a Tuesday night, once a month. We would like to extend the invitation for the rest of our parish to join us.

If you are interested in contributing, or would like to know more details, please contact Jessica Mifsud on 0490365394.

Please note that the following will be on hold until further notice:

- Children's Liturgy
- Kind Corpus Christians (KCC)
- Monthly Sunday Adoration
- Corpus Christi Easter Egg Hunt
- Baptism Preparation

**** Please note that Corpus Christi 2749 (Youth Group) will meet through Facebook Live Stream.**

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Third Sunday of Lent

Barry grew up in a tough environment. With the support of a program from Caritas Australia's partner, Red Dust Healing, Barry has overcome many of life's challenges. He is now an inspirational father to his four girls and a leader in his community.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2020 and help vulnerable people like Barry, so that they are empowered to assist members of their communities in Australia. You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT - YR A

Reflection by Dianne Bergant CSS

Humans see and judge by appearances, but God looks into the heart, and there finds the real person. God's standards are not superficial, as are so many of the standards of the world. It is not age, beauty or physical strength that is important; it is not social position or religious role that is preferred. God chooses whom God chooses. God saw in David, the insignificant shepherd, the potential for being the chief shepherd of his people. The man who was born blind became the one through whom others would see the mighty works of God. Yet, neither young David nor the man in the gospel made the initial step; each simply responded with openness to God's choice of him.

By what criteria do we judge others? Do we consider some people too insignificant for greatness? Are we overly concerned with status? Do we categorise people according to the disease or physical limitation that they must endure? Do we sometimes blame them for their disability? Do our eyes perceive life in accord with the standards of a materialistic, body-orientated, pleasure-seeking society? Or do we look into the other's heart, as God does?

As with the other scrutiny Sundays, catechumens and long-standing members alike are exhorted to make a choice. Jesus is the one who gives sight to blind eyes and religious insight to those open to receive it. However, there is a price to pay. Will it be the standards of the world, or the power of God in Jesus Christ?



21ST & 22ND MARCH, 2020

SUNDAY MASSES

Saturday: 6.00pm
 Sunday: 7.30am & 9.30am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Tuesday 7.00pm
 Adoration & Rosary Tuesday at 6.30pm
 Wednesday 9.10am
 Thursday 9.10am
 Friday 9.10am

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