



Our Lady of the Rosary Church  
14 Barker Rd, Prospect 5082

# Dominews

5th Sunday of Lent - Year B  
March 17, 2024  
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St Laurence's Church  
134 Buxton St, North Adelaide 5006

**FR PAUL RANKIN OP PARISH PRIEST**

**Mobile: 0406 040 913**

## Mass Timings

### **Rosary Church**

Thursday, Friday  
1st, 3rd, 5th Saturday:  
12 noon

Saturday Vigil:  
6pm

Sunday:  
8am, 10am, 5:30 pm

### **St Laurence's**

Monday, Tuesday, 2nd  
& 4th Saturday:  
12 noon

Wed School Term  
7:45 am

Wed School Hols and  
every Saturday  
8:30 am

Sunday:  
9 am, 11 am

Friday 7 pm  
Adoration and  
Confession

### **Calvary Chapel**

Wednesday 12 noon

Confessions will be  
available  
before 12 pm Mass,  
Monday- Saturday and  
Saturday Vigil Mass

## Parish Office

If you need to visit the  
Parish Office, please  
note it will be open by  
appointment only.

Email:

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8344 1347

If you need a priest  
urgently: contact  
St Laurence's Priory on  
**08-8267 2674.**

## St Laurence's Priory

Fr Peter Toan Nguyen  
OP  
(Prior)  
Br Frank McKinnon OP  
Fr Kieran Adams OP  
Fr Ben Hensley OP  
Fr Paul Rankin OP  
Fr Mannes Tellis OP

## **'WE SHOULD LIKE TO SEE JESUS'**

Written by Michael McGirr (edited)

As we approach the climax of our Lenten journey, this week's readings ask questions about our hearts. The psalm begs 'a pure heart create for me, O God.' Those words invite the Lord to come right inside us, into the very core of our being. The prophet Jeremiah quotes the Lord as saying, 'deep within them I will plant my Law, writing it on their hearts.' In other words, we won't find God's most intimate whisperings to us just in books or lectures. We will find it when we are genuinely in touch with our core, our most intimate space. God's love is inscribed on our hearts.

In his letter *Fratelli Tutti*, Pope Francis speaks against 'a culture of walls.' He asks us to treasure the hope found in every heart:

Hope 'speaks to us of something deeply rooted in every human heart, independently of our circumstances and historical conditioning. Hope speaks to us of a thirst, an aspiration, a longing for a life of fulfillment, a desire to achieve great things, things that fill our heart and lift our spirit to lofty realities like truth, goodness and beauty, justice and love... Hope is bold.'

In today's Gospel, Jesus speaks of the grain of wheat that must die to create a rich harvest. Of course, he is referring to his own passion. But there is a message here for us all. 'Anyone who loves their life will lose it.' We are called to wear our hearts on our sleeves. To be led by love for others.

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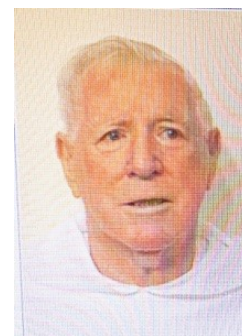
Some of you have heard that Fr Paul will be moving to Melbourne after Easter. The Dominicans will be asking the Archbishop to approve Fr Mannes Tellis to be the parish priest.

Some of you have already met Fr Mannes, who has recently joined the Dominican Priory at St Laurence's. Fr Mannes has worked in Adelaide before, at Blackfriars Priory School as chaplain, and taking part in the parish too.

Br Frank McKinnon also joined the community. He has already made his mark on the Dominican community there with his practical skills and willingness to put them to good use.



Fr Mannes Tellis OP



Br Frank McKinnon OP



## MARRIAGE MATTERS

### Unconditional Love

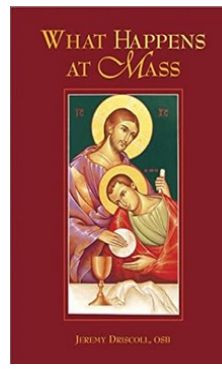
Love is called to be unconditional, not 'counting the cost', not 50/50, but both giving 100%. Today's Gospel reminds us a rich harvest is only possible when a single wheat grain falls on the ground and dies. Our loving efforts, trials and difficulties in marriage are ways of 'dying' to a lifestyle contrary to what God is calling us to.

### Parish Calendar

- Mar 16 7 pm Nocturnal Adoration, Parish Hall  
Contact Mario 0412 700 300
- Mar 22 7 pm Adoration & Confessions at  
St Laurence's
- Mar 23 12 pm Mass at St Laurence's

### Feasts & Solemnities

- Mar 18 St Patrick, Bishop
- Mar 19 St Joseph, Husband of Mary



## BRINGING THE GIFTS TO THE BISHOP OR PRIEST

Through the work of the baptised in the world, the Church brings to the hands of Christ the fruits of creation and the work of human hands. This is an exercise of the priesthood of the faithful. These gifts are an offering with which we would wish to give thanks to the Father for all that he has done for us...But what offering could be made that would be worthy thanks to the Father? In fact there is nothing... Nonetheless, it is precisely in this condition of poverty before God that Christ comes to meet us and reveal his solidarity with us in this poverty. He will take our gifts into his hands, and he will transform them into his very body and blood, transform them into his Paschal Sacrifice that he is continually offering in heaven. (pp. 64-65)

## TIMINGS FOR HOLY WEEK MASSES AND CEREMONIES

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY	ST LAURENCE'S
Holy Thursday: 7:30 pm: 28 March	Holy Thursday: 7:30 pm: 28 March
Good Friday: 11 am: 29 March: Stations of the Cross	Good Friday: 10 am: 29 March: Stations of the Cross
Good Friday: 11:30 am: 29 March : Confessions	Good Friday: 10:30 am: 29 March: Confessions
Good Friday: 3 pm : 29 March : Passion of our Lord	Good Friday: 3 pm : 29 March: Passion of our Lord
Easter Vigil: 7:30 pm: 30 March	Easter Vigil: 7:30 pm: 30 March
Easter Sunday: 8 am: 31 March	Easter Sunday: 9 am: 31 March
Easter Sunday: 10 am: 31 March	Easter Sunday: 11 am: 31 March

*Saint Joseph, Husband of Mary*



*Saint Patrick*



*Saint Patrick is the Patron Saint of Ireland.*

## PARISH

### **Get Involved during Lent**

We are still seeking volunteers for various roles within the Parish. Some of these are undertaken at Sunday Mass, some can be done from home, some can be tailored to fit in with your busy schedule.

### **Project Compassion Boxes**

Please remember to return your Project Compassion Boxes back from Palm Sunday onwards. Containers will be available in the Church porches.

### **Palms for Palm Sunday - 23/24 March**

The Parish would appreciate palms or olive branches for use at the Palm Sunday Masses. Please contact the Parish office or Fr Paul if you are able to provide some.

### **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY FEAST**

You, your family and friends are invited to join us to celebrate the Divine Mercy Sunday feast  
On **Sunday April 7, 2024**, (the Sunday after Easter)  
At **Our Lady of the Rosary Church**  
14 Barker Rd, Prospect, from 1:00 pm – 4:30 pm  
Divine Mercy goods table: 12:30pm – 1:00pm

- \* Don't forget to bring your Rosary beads, prayer cards, books, etc, So Fr can bless them.
- \* Please take a flyer or three from the church entrances, and spread the good news.
- \* Car parking available.

#### ENQUIRIES:

Mario Forte 0412 700 300;  
Lothar Bukojemski 0422 982 860;  
Julie Caridi 0422 982 851

## ARCHDIOCESE:

### **Project Compassion 5th Sunday of Lent March 16 & 17**

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.

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## **Chrism Mass**

We welcome all to celebrate Mass of the Oils on Monday March 25 in St Francis Xavier's Cathedral at 6pm. Please note NO onsite car parking will be available. If you would like more information regarding this event, please contact the Events Office on 8210 8220.

### **Please pray for:**

**Recently deceased:** Nicola Pipicella, Anna Elizabeth Martin, Nikoll Gjeka, Prena, Vgsel, Van Tam Nguyen, Domenic Celeste, Rita Cardone, Iolanda Pellegrini, Sr Rosemary Campbell OP, Romano Cittadini, Natalie Whibley, Angelo Giammaria, Juanita Paclar, Angela Bulian, Sister Elisabeth Dmytryk RSJ, Rosemary Ryan, Helen Davoren, Laurence Stanley, Rachel Kelly, Patricia Bright, Gino Romaldi, Margaret Lean, Sister Margaret Hocking, Fiore Garzarella, Fr Michael Doherty, Olimpia Santorufo

### **Those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:**

Jim Smith, Florence Huff, Cristina Stenta, Eric Rossi, Alberto Villoria Sr, Pedro Membrebe, Fr Joseph Wilson OP, Francis Xavier Brown OP, Jerome O'Rorke OP, Gianna Comacchio, Biagio Ciacciarelli, Sean Woods, Antonio Caridi, Tony Centofante, Mafalda & Giuseppe Forte & family, Antonino Franze, Ben Newland, Bill Button, Lucja Newmann, Pasqualina DiMella, Maria Tkalec, John Brennan, Paolo Percat, Franciszek Szumylo, Maria Szumylo, Ria Swart, Ethan, Antonio Tarraran, Mary & Theodore Hennig, Fr Stephen Tarrant OP, Patricia McEvoy, Elda Pezzotta, Francesca Pollifrone, Gillian Milne, Martino Brendan Chau Nguyen, Gillian Milne, Rosa Curtale, Molly & Ivan Oswald, Elide & Gino Gazzola, Kathleen Grace Kelly, Nina Stenta & Concetta Di Francesco

**Those who are sick:** Please keep in your prayers Bob Bates, Julie Cooper, Derek Stacy, Leanne Worrell, Tom Allen, Vincent Allen, Lucy Sloane Tran, Rosa Dathici, Fletcher Adams, John Perry, Maria Antonelli, Anthony Rissi, Maria Stilie, Domenico Carrotti, Ann Gibbings, Marion Hiosan, David Vignone, Angela, Charalambros Popadopoulos, Tam Thi Thu Pham, Ray Bishop, Berryl Wannut, the Olesinski family, the Van-der Borch family

**Baptisms:** Preston Farren, Scarlett O'Dea, Gianni Pascale

***To have the names of your loved ones printed in the weekend bulletin, please contact the office no later than Wednesday afternoon of that week.***

### **2nd Collection 9 & 10 March**

Planned Giving Envelopes:	\$ 378.00
Our Lady of the Rosary Church	\$ 1018.70
St. Laurence's Church	\$ 396.65
	\$ 1793.35

***Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.***

**This Week's Readings  
5th Sunday of Lent - Year B**

**Entrance Antiphon**

Give me justice, O God, and plead my cause against a nation that is faithless. From the deceitful and cunning rescue me, for you, O God, are my strength.

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah *Jeremiah 31:31-34*

A reading from the letter to the Hebrews *Hebrews 5:7-9*

Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!  
If you serve me, follow me, says the Lord;  
And where I am, my servant will also be.  
Glory to you, Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John *John 12:20--33*

**Communion Antiphon**

Amen, Amen I say to you: Unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains a single grain. But if it dies, it bears much fruit.

**Responsorial Psalm**

Have mercy on me, God, in your kindness. In your compassion blot out my offence. O wash me more and more from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin.

A pure heart create for me, O God, put a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me away from your presence, nor deprive me of your holy spirit.

Give me again the joy of your help; with a spirit of fervour sustain me, that I may teach transgressors your ways and sinners may return to you.

**Next Week's Readings:**

Palm Sunday  
Isaiah 50:4-7  
Philippian 2:6-11  
Mark 14:1-15:47



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