

Liturgical Music for the Fourth Sunday of Lent

ENTRANCE HYMN: *Be Thou My Vision*

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that thou art.
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, and thou my true word;
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;
Thou and thou only, first in my heart,
Great God of heaven, my treasure thou art.

Great God of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.

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(Please remain standing)

FIRST PENITENTIAL RITE: Confiteor [spoken]

I confess to Almighty God, and to you, my
brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I have failed to do,
through my fault, through my fault,
through my most grievous fault;
therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and
sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Kyrie, Kyrie, eleison. (Twice)
Christe, Christe, eleison. (Twice)
Kyrie, Kyrie, eleison. (Twice)

PSALM RESPONSE: Psalm 22

If today you hear God's voice
harden not your hearts,
harden not your hearts.

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GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ,
King of endless glory.

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OFFERTORY: *Open My Eyes*

Open my eyes, Lord. Help me to see your face.
Open my eyes, Lord. Help me to see.

Open my ears, Lord. Help me to hear your voice.
Open my ears, Lord. Help me to hear.

Open my heart, Lord. Help me to love like you.
Open my heart, Lord. Help me to love.

I live within you, deep in your heart, O Love.
I live within you. Rest now in me.

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HOLY, HOLY: [Sung]

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ACCLAMATION:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup,
we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.

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LAMB OF GOD: [Sung]

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COMMUNION: *Because the Lord is My Shepherd*

Because the Lord is my shepherd,
I have ev'rything I need.
He lets me rest in the meadow and leads me
to the quiet streams.
He restores my soul and he leads me
in the paths that are right:

**Lord, you are my shepherd,
you are my friend.
I want to follow you always,
just to follow my friend.**

And when the road leads to darkness,
I shall walk there unafraid.
Even when death is close I have courage
For your help is there.
You are close beside me with comfort,
You are guiding my way:

In love you make me a banquet
for my enemies to see.
You make me welcome, pouring down honor
From your mighty hand;
And this joy fills me with gladness,
It is too much to bear:

Your goodness always is with me
and your mercy I know.
Your loving kindness strengthens me always
as I go through life.
I shall dwell in your presence forever,
giving praise to your name:

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RECESSIONAL: *City of God*

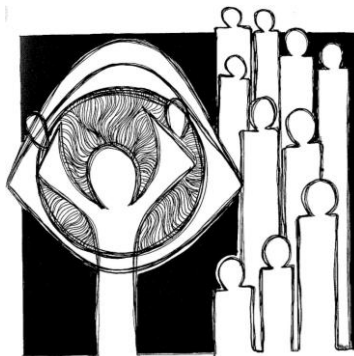
Awake from your slumber! Arise from your sleep!
A new day is dawning for all those who weep.
The people in darkness have seen a great light.
The Lord of our longing has conquered the night.

**Let us build the city of God.
May our tears be turned into dancing!
For the Lord, our light and our love,
Has turned the night into day!**

We are sons of the morning; we are daughters of day.
The one who has loved us has brightened our way.
The Lord of all kindness has called us to be
A light for his people to set their hearts free.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED: Michael Mulkerin, Margaret Pawson & Jean Cummings.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOM WE REMEMBER: Andrew & Mary Killin, Lorraine Murphy, Deceased members of the Lobeiger & Slattery families, Eric & Peter Tilley, Rita Vanderbyl, David Samson, Brian McCarthy, Peter Maczyszyn, Gerry Thiele, Brian Meara, Kirtley & Dolan families, Brian Czisowski, Jack Short, Jim Ryan, Jack & Eileen McMahan, Frank & Miriam O'Leary, Eric Cross, Pearl Noonan, Bob & John Skippington, Val O'Dempsey, Thomas Boyle, Margery Boyle, Ellie & Ossie Cody, Mike Cody, Helen Cody, Maureen & Lex Levinson, Fr Harold Buckley, Harry & Marjorie Buckley, Moira Murphy, Melinda & Arthur Murphy, Bernice & Clement Goan, Arthur & Brian Bracey & Grahame Coultas.

LET US PRAY for those who are sick or recovering from surgery: John Franks, Graeme Peters, Fr Ray Kearney, Koreti Manutai, Sr Teresa Lyne, Marian Siczek, Lilian Morrison, Brian Kay, Margaret Leahy, Michele Besgrove, Phyllis Cook, Dale Murphy (Pat Murphy's son), Gordon Broughton, Dakoda Smith, Jodie Eade, Don Gallaway, Dominic Galligan, Ann Fowler, Norma Caldwell, Ron Jones, Monica Jones, Josie Champion, Jack Burchill, Kody Smith, Joana Ambrad, Nena Preverin, Imogen Smith, Valerie Mills, Sophie Leonard, Kalayanee Jitpakdee, David Stewart, Anthony Eden, Lachlan Summerville, Concetta Tiberi, Noela Shute, Ethan Bauer, Trish Spark, Philippa Swain, Stuart McLean, John McKeough, Aiden, Pat Stuart, Bridgette Muller, Darcy Watt, Hazel Seller, Lisa Lynch, Minna Ward, Paul McKean, Madge McLennan & Karen Purdie.

We also include in our prayers all the aged and sick to whom we take Communion.

We pray for the safety and good judgement of those serving in our defence forces overseas.

(Please contact us when you feel that it is appropriate to remove the name of your friend or loved one from our Parish Prayer List)

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE ANNIVERSARIES 26 March - 1 April

Ethel Klein, Jack McAndrew, Edward Mallon, James Rhodes, Marcel Zarb, Margaret O'Connor, Kevin Tobin, Peter Tobin, Douglas Seiler, Sara Siczek, George Butts, Ethel Dwyer, Bill Sheehan, Nonie Baker, Michael Brown, Les Coney, Elizabeth Windsor, Nancy Behm, Col Beverley, Jim Haviland, Rocky Millington, Stanley (Stan) Patch James Smith, Francis Young, Edward (Ted) Blight, John Ekner, Mieczyslaw Pietka, Marianna Pietka & Edward Leszek.

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY - GROUP 1

YEAR A - FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

1st Reading: Ezek 37:12-14

2nd Reading: Rom 8:8-11

Gospel Text: John 11:1-45

1/2 April	5.00pm Vigil	7.00am	8.15am - Riverview	9.30am
READERS	Evelyn Le Bherz Karen Sotiriadis Kate Sotiriadis	Francis Klein Gerard Marsh Denise Retchford	Neville Stagg Mike Wilkinson Mary Wilkinson	Katherine Toohill Eileen Behm Trish Watter Desmond Mok
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION	Mary Lloyd Lyll Newsome Ben Sotiriadis Jeff Newton -----	Bill McCrea Paul Peacock Cathy Peacock Yvonne Folan -----	Aukusitino Olamoe Seela Olamoe Eileen Adkins Cyprian Manutai Sia Aiono	Pat Smith Donna Conway Peter Conway Irene Murgatroyd Paul Everding
ALTAR SERVERS	5.00pm – Michael Morgan, Michael Tate 9.30am – Gabe Shirley, Sam Morris		8.15am – -----	
CHURCH CLEANING	Allan Hayes			
COUNTERS: Group 2	FIRST COLLECTION: \$ 1,105-20		SECOND COLLECTION: \$ 1,683-90	

REFLECTION

Our Lord, by the power of his word alone, could have healed the dis-ease of this man, blind since birth. Yet, he made a paste with spittle and put it over the eyes of the blind man. Just as God would have moistened the dust of the earth to shape the first human being, for the blind man, it was as though he had been created anew.

God rarely works by telepathy but has a preferred way of working through the elements of creation, especially in the Sacraments. So, with the Anointing of the Sick, pressing olive oil onto the forehead and hands of the sick or dying symbolises the Holy Spirit entering the very pores of the sick person, relieving that person of undue anxiety and giving strength for the next stage of life.

This sacrament is a formal ritual of healing by the Church. But there are a million informal ways, such as putting one's arm around someone who is lonely or unwell, which are sacramental to the world.

We could pause for a moment that we might go into the world like the man healed by Jesus, eyes wide open to see where we might exercise the healing power of the Lord of the Gospel. © Michael Tate

