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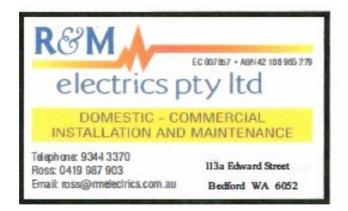


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Fr Jeronimo Flamenco

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It has come to our attention that some people are choosing to wear their masks improperly and endangering other church goers.

Unless you have an exemption, everyone is required to wear a mask when entering the church.

If you have an exemption, you need to wear the lanyard issued by the Department of Health around your neck while in the church.

GOSPEL REFLECTION

- Taken from Pastoral Liturgy

Our Lenten disciplines are focused on the possibilities of life in God, a vista opened up by our first reading. The unlikely Abram is offered an unlikely future by God, one greatly cherished by the ancients whose fortune was measured in descendants as much as in riches. Offspring meant security in old age, a measure of peace in the marketplace, and protection against enemies. Family ensured life.

This invitation from God has some aspects that would have left Abram somewhat bemused. He has no offspring, and he had no great hopes in a promising future. He is right to be a bit sceptical. Yet God has had Abram in mind. The divine one has kept track of him, indeed brought the shepherd from his homeland in Ur to the present site. The wanderings of Abram have not been without divine direction.

Feast Days this week......

Thurs 17 March—St Patrick—Born in Roman Britain around the end of the fourth century. He faced hardship as a missionary bishop in Ireland and opposition even from his friends and fellow Christians. He worked to conciliate, to evangelise, and to educate local chieftains and their families.

He is remembered for his simplicity and pastoral care, for his humble trust in God, and for his fearless preaching of the gospel to those who had enslaved him in his youth.

He is specially honoured in Australia because of the many Irish people who came to settle here and brought with them the faith and zeal of St Patrick. He died in Ireland about the middle of the fifth century.

Sat 19 March—**St Joseph**—A carpenter, although born of the royal house of David, Joseph was an upright man who, as husband of the Virgin Mary, cared for Mary and the child Jesus.

He was venerated in the East after the fourth century, and his cult flowered in the West during the fifteenth century, following the development of medieval nativity plays, the Christmas crib, and increased devotion to Mary.

STABAT MATER Lenten Reflections

Sacred music praying with Our Lady at the Foot of the Cross— Gregorian Chant—Lenten Choral Works

Sunday, 27 March, 2022 at 4.00pm at Sacred Heart Church, 50 Mary Street, Highgate—Refreshments at interval.

Adults: \$30 donation for fundraising

Children 16 and under: Free

Fundraising for the St Elizabeth of the Trinity Choir

Secure your booking at www.trybooking.com/BXTYO

Donations also accepted at the door.



TREE RIPENED APPLE DRIVE

At the end of April (when apples ripen) the social committee are running an apple drive - deliciously, naturally tree ripened apples sourced directly from the grower. We will have Granny Smiths (green) & a red variety. The cost will be \$5.00 for approx 1 kg.

Orders must be placed & paid for by 10th April to make sure no one misses out.

Orders will be taken by a social committee member before & after masses at the back of the church.



Stations of the Cross

EACH FRIDAY
IN LENT AT
7.00pm
UNTIL 8 APRIL

Parish Finances

Planned Giving 6 Mar \$1,418.80 D/Debit (Feb) \$1,644.00

WEEKDAY MASS RESPONSES

Available at the back of the church

On behalf of Fr Jeronimo and the Parish Council, we thank Sue Pinto for her time as a parish councillor.

Sue has tendered her resignation and will be greatly missed for the time and effort she has given to the parish.

Baptism

Last week we welcomed **Juliet Howard** to God's family in Baptism.

Congratulations to Juliet and her family.

Baptism Preparation Session

If you wish to have your child baptised in our parish, it is a requirement that parents and godparents attend a preparation session **prior** to Baptism.

The session dates for 2022 are as follows:

Sundays—15 May, 17 July, 11 September and 13 November 2022

Please contact the parish office— 0492 091 376— for more details.

A Reading from the book of Genesis 15: 5-12, 17-18

Taking Abram outside the Lord said, 'Look up to heaven and count the stars if you can. Such will be your descendants' he told him. Abram put his faith in the Lord, who counted this as making him justified.

'I am the Lord' he said to him 'who brought you out of Ur of the Chaldaeans to make you heir to this land.' 'My Lord, the Lord'Abram replied, 'how am I to know that I shall inherit it?' He said to him, 'Get me a three-year-old heifer, a three-year-old goat, a three-year-old ram, a turtledove and a young pigeon.' He brought him all these, cut them in half and put half on one side and half facing it on the other; but the birds he did not cut in half. Birds of prey came down on the carcasses but Abram drove them off.

Now as the sun was setting Abram fell into a deep sleep, and terror seized him. When the sun had set and darkness had fallen, there appeared a smoking furnace and a firebrand that went between the halves. That day the Lord made a Covenant with Abram in these terms:

'To your descendants I give this land, from the wadi of Egypt to the Great River.'

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: 26: 1, 7-9, 13-14

R: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

- The Lord is my light and my help;
 whom shall I fear?
 The Lord is the stronghold of my life
 before whom shall I shrink?

 R.
- 2. O Lord, hear my voice when I call; have mercy and answer.
 Of you my heart has spoken:
 'Seek his face.'
- 'Seek his face.'

 R.

 It is your face, O Lord, that I seek, hide not your face.

 Dismiss not your servant in anger; you have been my help.

 R.

 Lam sure I shall see the Lord's good.
- you have been my help.

 R.

 I am sure I shall see the Lord's good ness in the land of the living.

 Hope in him, hold firm and take heart.

 Hope in the Lord!

 R.

A Reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians 3: 17—4: 1

My brothers, be united in following my rule of life. Take as your models everybody who is already doing this and study them as you used to study us. I have told you often, and I repeat it today with tears, there are many who are behaving as the enemies of the cross of Christ. They are destined to be lost. They make foods into their god and they are proudest of something they ought to think shameful; the things they think important are earthly things. For us, our homeland is in heaven, and from heaven comes the savior we are waiting for, the Lord Jesus Christ, and he will transfigure these wretched bodies of ours into copies of his glorious body. He will do that by the same power with which he can subdue the whole universe.

So then, my brothers and dear friends, do not give way but remain faithful in the Lord. I miss you very much, dear friends; you are my joy and my crown.

The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation: Matthew 17: 5

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ! From the shining cloud the Father's voice is heard:

this is my beloved Son, hear him.

Glory and praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ!

A Reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke 9: 28-36

Jesus took with him Peter and John and James and went up the mountain to pray. As he prayed, the aspect of his face was changed and his clothing became brilliant as lightning. Suddenly there were two men there talking to him; they were Moses and Elijah appearing in glory, and they were speaking of his passing which he was to accomplish in Jerusalem.

Peter and his companions were heavy with sleep, but they kept awake and saw his glory and the two men standing with him. As these were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is wonderful for us to be here; so let us make three tents, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.' – He did not know what he was saying. As he spoke, a cloud came and covered them with shadow; and when they went into the cloud the disciples were afraid. And a voice came from the cloud saying, 'This is my Son, the Chosen One. Listen to him.' And after the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. The disciples kept silence and, at that time, told no one what they had seen.

The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.