

47 Adelaide Street, Fremantle, WA, 6160

Basilica of St. Patrick

Passion of the Lord, Year C

Sunday 10th April 2022

Oblate Priests' at the Basilica

Fr. John Sebastian OMI (Rector & Parish Priest)
Fr. Leo Mifsud OMI (Assistant Parish Priest)
Fr Angelo Wijewickrama OMI
(Asst. Parish Priest & Hospital Chaplain)
Fr. Anthony Colbert OMI (Assistant Parish Priest)
Fr. John Archbold OMI (Assistant Parish Priest)

Daily Mass & Adoration

Monday to Saturday: 11am Adoration followed by
Angelus and Midday Mass

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 6pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 8am, 8.15am (St Anne's, North Fremantle),
9.30am (Italian) 11am and 5pm

Confessions

First Friday of Each Month: 11am
Saturday: 9.30am, 10.30am (Italian),
11am and 4.30pm

Parish Council Members

Marlene Dullard (Chair)
Maria Gorman
Domenic Burgio
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Trevor Gorey (Chair)
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Parish working hours

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Safeguarding of our children in the Parish

The Archdiocesan Safeguarding Project was started in 2016 by Archbishop Timothy Costelloe SDB with the aim of providing a safe and secure environment for all its members, leaders and especially children and vulnerable adults. The parish of St Patrick's Basilica is committed to creating a safe parish.

Masks are mandatory and must be worn inside the Basilica. Please ensure that your mask is covering your nose, mouth and chin.

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Greetings to you all!

Today we celebrate Palm Sunday. The journey of Lent we had begun on Ash Wednesday gets intensified with this week's liturgy and reaches its culmination on Easter Sunday. Beginning from today the liturgy is filled with external and rich symbolisms: procession with Palms, the washing of the feet, veneration of the cross etc., However, let us not allow these celebrations to pass us by as mere external rituals, but rather consider them as an occasion to examine our faith, fidelity, and relationship with the Lord.

For three years Jesus went around teaching, healing, and showing them how much he loved them as his heavenly father loved him. Wherever he went there were crowds of people who followed him. Now as he is about to be handed over: he is alone; not even his beloved apostles who ate and walked with him are with him. He is lonely in his agony. From the moment of his passion, he was arrested, put in prison, led before Caiaphas, Herod, and Pilate, interrogated, crowned with thorns, given a heavy wooden cross to carry, stripped of his clothes, nailed to the cross, mocked and finally he died. He underwent all these for my sake. He endured all these so that I would have life through him. Jesus did it out of love for me so that I will have eternal life through him. Through his painful suffering Jesus shows me his loyalty to the father in fulfilling the will of His father and also his love and concern for me.

I sincerely invite you all to participate in the Holy week liturgy and thus journey with Jesus in his Passion, death, and resurrection. When we do this, we will understand how much God loves us and how much God does for us. And also, active participation in the Holy Week liturgy will also deepen our relationship with God, increase our Faith, and strengthen our lives as disciples of Jesus.

Wishing you all a fruitful holy week observance. Amen

Fr. John Sebastian OMI
Rector & Parish Priest

Music Ministry

Organists & Cantors

Sat 6pm Vigil: Hugh Lyndon (cantor); Adrian Soares (pianist)
Sun 8am, 11am Masses: Gilbert Rodgers (cantor); Adrian Soares (pianist)
5pm Mass: Tom Almeida (cantor); Adrian Soares (pianist)

Hymns

Mass Setting: Missa Simplex
Processional Hymn: CWB 229 All glory, praise and honour
Thanksgiving Hymn: CWB 743 Love is His word
Recessional Hymn: CWB 692 God of mercy compassion

The Liturgy of the Word

Entrance Antiphon

Six days before the Passover,
when the Lord came into the city of Jerusalem,
the children ran to meet him;
in their hands they carried palm branches
and with a loud voice cried out:

Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

O gates, lift high your heads;
grow higher, ancient doors.
Let him enter, the king of glory!
Who is this king of glory?
He, the Lord of hosts, he is the king of glory.

Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed are you, who have come in your abundant mercy!

First Reading

A reading from the book of Prophet Isaiah 50: 4-7

The Lord has given me a disciple's tongue. So that I may know how to reply to the wearied he provides me with speech. Each morning he wakes me to hear, to listen like a disciple.

The Lord has opened my ear. For my part, I made no resistance, neither did I turn away. I offered my back to those who struck me, my cheeks to those who tore at my beard; I did not cover my face against insult and spittle.

The Lord comes to my help, so that I am untouched by the insults. So, too, I set my face like flint; I know I shall not be shamed.

The word of the Lord.
All: Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

All who see me deride me.
They curl their lips, they toss their heads.
"He trusted in the Lord, let him save him;
let him release him if this is his friend.

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Many dogs have surrounded me,
a band of the wicked beset me.
They tear holes in my hands and feet.
I can count every one of my bones.

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

They divide my clothing among them.
They cast lots for my robe.
O Lord, do not leave me alone,
my strength, make haste to help me!

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

I will tell of your name to my brethren
and praise you where they are assembled.
You who fear the Lord give him praise;
all sons of Jacob, give him glory.
Revere him, Israel's sons.

Response: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

Second Reading

A reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Philippians 2:6-11

Christ humbled himself but God raised him high

His state was divine,
yet Christ Jesus did not cling
to his equality with God
but emptied himself
to assume the condition of a slave
and became as men are;
and being as all men are,
he was humbler yet,
even to accepting death,
death on a cross.
But God raised him high
and gave him the name
which is above all other names
so that all beings
in the heavens, on earth and in the underworld,
should bend the knee at the name of Jesus
and that every tongue should acclaim
Jesus Christ as Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Christ became obedient for us even to death dying on the cross.

Therefore God raised him on high and gave him a name above all other names.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

*Please scan the QR code to access the Passion Narration
according to St. Luke.*

Communion antiphon

Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it,
your will be done.

Prayer for Peace and Justice in Ukraine

God of peace and justice,
who change the hardened heart and break the power of violence,
we entrust the people of Ukraine to you.

Protect them in this time of peril;
let them know not death but life, not slavery but freedom.

You are Father of all;
we are brothers and sisters.
Give us the strength to live that truth in love,
choosing peace not war.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God,
the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
he descended into hell;
on the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the
Father almighty;
from there he will come to judge the living and
the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

Plenary Council Prayer

Come, Holy Spirit of Pentecost.
Come, Holy Spirit of the great South Land.
O God, bless and unite all your people in
Australia and guide us on the pilgrim way of
the Plenary Council.

Give us the grace to see your face in one
another and to recognise Jesus, our
companion on the road.
Give us the courage to tell our stories and to
speak boldly of your truth.
Give us ears to listen humbly to each other
and a discerning heart to hear what you are
saying.

Lead your Church into a hope filled future,
that we may live the joy of the Gospel.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord, bread for the
journey from age to age.

Amen

Our Lady Help of Christians, pray for us.
St Mary MacKillop, pray for us.

Parish Notices

Annual Chrism Mass in Cathedral

The Annual Chrism Mass will be celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday 12 April 2022 at 7pm. If you are available, you are encouraged to join our Archbishop and the clergy in the diocese and pray for them.

Easter Offerings

Usually twice a year you are invited, as a community, to make a special effort to financially support the Priests of the Basilica. As the special season of Easter is fast approaching, you are encouraged to support the Priests during this special season of Easter. The envelopes are in the pews, so kindly use them and support your priests generously.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER CEREMONIES 2022

HOLY WEEK MONDAY 11th & TUESDAY 12 APRIL 2022

Adoration: 11am; Mass: Midday

HOLY WEEK WEDNESDAY 13 APRIL 2022

Adoration: 11am; Mass: Midday
2nd Rite of Reconciliation at 7pm

HOLY THURSDAY - 14 APRIL 2022

No Adoration and No Midday Mass
7pm Mass of the Lord's Supper
8pm-8.30pm Reconciliation in English
Adoration 8pm till 10pm

GOOD FRIDAY - 15 APRIL 2022

No Adoration and No Midday Mass
11am Stations of the Cross at the Basilica of St Patrick
11am Stations of the Cross at St Anne's, North Fremantle
12noon to 1pm Reconciliation in English
3pm Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion
4.30pm-5.30pm Reconciliation in English

HOLY SATURDAY - 16 APRIL 2022

No Adoration and No Midday Mass
9.30am, 11am and 4.30pm Reconciliation in English
10.30am Reconciliation in Italian
4pm Polish Blessing of Food
7pm Easter Vigil Mass

EASTER SUNDAY - 17 APRIL 2022

MASSSES: 8am, 9.30am (Italian), 11am and 5pm
8.15am St Anne's, North Fremantle

Mass Intentions

Sunday 10th April

8am Mass:

Josef Tuyszecki (dec'd)

Giuseppe & Maria Giuseppa Camporeale (Dec'd)

9.30am Italian Mass:

Int. of the Ursuline Lay Association Prayer Group

Felice Spina (dec'd)

11am Mass:

Annie & Patrick Keogh (dec'd)

5pm Mass:

Monday 11th April

Midday Mass: Pasquale De Gennaro (dec'd)

Tuesday 12th April

Midday Mass: Libera Gizzarone (dec'd)

Robby Vandermark (int Birthday)

Wednesday 13th April

Midday Mass: Francesca Vinci (dec'd)

Thursday 14th April

Midday Mass:

Saturday 16th April

7pm Vigil Mass: Holy Souls & Julie Bok (Dec'd)

Joan Swindells (int 90th Birthday)

Children's Liturgy

Children's Liturgy has been cancelled for the rest of this term.

Liturgy will return in term 2. Watch this space for dates.

Planned Giving

The Planned Giving Programme is an important part of the Parish as it allows us to maintain all aspects of the Basilica, Presbytery and Parish Administration Centre. To keep the Parish viable, we must maintain a target of 95% and above each week. Last week giving was 56%.

Please consider joining the Planned Giving Programme. For more information contact the Parish Office. Thank you!

2022/2023 NEW PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SIDE FOYER OF THE CHURCH THIS WEEKEND. PLEASE COLLECT YOUR NEW ENVELOPES.

Upcoming Events

Sunday 10 April:

Palm Sunday

Wednesday 13 April:

2nd Rite Reconciliation

Thursday 14 April:

Holy Thursday Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7pm

Friday 15 April:

Good Friday Stations of the Cross at 11am

Liturgy of the Lord's Passion at 3pm

Saturday 16 April:

Holy Saturday Vigil Mass at 7pm

Sunday 17 April:

Easter Sunday