

# St Patrick's Parish Bulletin



St. Patrick's Church, Quebec City

## Mission Statement

While honouring its Irish heritage, St. Patrick's Parish has a unique mission to live and share the teachings of Jesus Christ with Roman Catholics who worship in the English language in the Diocese.

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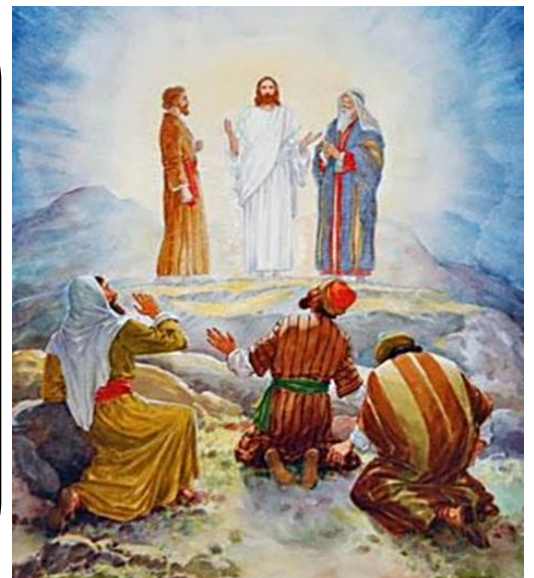
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**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent, February 28<sup>th</sup> 2021**

In his Transfiguration, we see an anticipation of Jesus' Resurrection. Jesus instructs the disciples to keep secret what they have seen until after the Son of Man has risen from the dead. The disciples wonder what Jesus means by rising from the dead. As we hear the story of Jesus' Transfiguration early in Lent, but we have the benefit of hindsight. In our hearing of it, we anticipate Jesus' Resurrection, even as we prepare to remember Jesus' passion and death.



Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!' (Mark 9.2-10)

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Ministers and servers	Saturday February 27 <sup>th</sup> 16:00	Sunday February 28 <sup>th</sup> 10:00	Saturday March 6 <sup>th</sup> 16:00	Sunday March 7 <sup>th</sup> 10:00
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Mass			Mass Intentions	
Day	Date	Liturgy	For	From
Saturday	February 27 <sup>th</sup> (14:30)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent		
	(16:00)			
Sunday	February 28 <sup>th</sup> (9:30)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent	Thomas & Lucy O'Grady	Ed Murphy & Family
	(11:00)		Adam & Eve	Anonymous
Monday	March 1 <sup>st</sup> (11:30)		Cecile O'Doherty	Barbara Fleury
Tuesday	March 2 <sup>nd</sup> (11:30)		Joan Holton	Helen Pichard
Wednesday	March 3 <sup>rd</sup> (11:30)		Propulo Mass	
Thursday	March 4 <sup>th</sup>		<b>No Mass</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
Friday	March 5 <sup>th</sup>		<b>No Mass</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
Saturday	March 6 <sup>th</sup> (14:30)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent		
	(16:00)		The O'Donnell McCauley Families	Constance O'Donnell
Sunday	March 7 <sup>th</sup> (9:30)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent	Madeleine Boulet Hobbs	
	(11:00)		1 <sup>st</sup> anniv. Mass	



CWL Ladies, you are all invited to a CWL Zoom Tea on Sunday, February 28th from 2:00 to 3:00 pm. So, dust off your prettiest tea cup and join us for some a spiritual thought and prayer and a little social time. Please use this zoom link: <https://zoom.us/my/cam3502> and log in with CWL included with your name. Use the Zoom app or Chrome browser. Hope to SEE you there! ♥

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### **Year of St Joseph: A father "In the shadows," centred on Mary and Jesus**

**(Taking a cue from *The Shadow of the Father* — a book by Polish writer Jan Dobraczyński — Pope Francis describes Joseph's fatherhood of Jesus as "the earthly shadow of the heavenly Father.")**

"Fathers are not born, but made," says Pope Francis. "A man does not become a father simply by bringing a child into the world, but by taking up the responsibility to care for that child." Unfortunately, in today's society, children "often seem orphans, lacking fathers" who are able to introduce them "to life and reality." Children, the Pope says, need fathers like St Joseph who will not try to dominate them, but instead raise them to be "capable of deciding for themselves, enjoying freedom and exploring new possibilities."

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### **Development and Peace Share Lent Campaign**

In his recent encyclical, *Fratelli Tutti*, Pope Francis calls upon us to live the love that would make us "one great family, where all of us can feel at home" (*Fratelli Tutti*, 62.). With the entire human family suffering from COVID-19, the *Share Lent* campaign invites us to share love and express solidarity with our sisters and brothers in the Global South, whose vulnerabilities are being exacerbated by the pandemic.

To donate to the Share Lent campaign please use the envelopes for Development and Peace placed at the entrance of the church or send your donation to the parish: **Development and Faith, 1145 De Salaberry, Quebec City QC G1R 2V7**. Thank you for your support.

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### **«Jesus went up the mountain to pray»**

Today we are contemplating the act «whereby the three apostles Peter, James and John appear enraptured over the beauty of our Redeemer» (Saint John Paul II): «And he was transfigured before them, and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them» (Mk 9:2-3).

As for us, a message has been revealed: «But is now made manifest by the appearing of our Savior Jesus Christ, who had abolished death, and had brought life and immortality to light through the gospel» (2Tim 1:10), St. Paul assures Timothy, his disciple. It is what, then, the three favorite Apostles are looking at, totally amazed, in this episode announcing the second Sunday of Lent: The Transfiguration.

It is good that in our Lenten exercise we receive that brilliant sun and shining light in Jesus' face and clothes. It is a marvelous icon of redeemed mankind, which no longer appears in the ugliness of sin, but in all the beauty divinity turns our flesh into. Peter's well-being is the expression of what we feel when we let the divine grace fill us.

The Holy Spirit also transfigures the Apostles' senses, and thanks to this they can witness the divine glory of the Man Jesus. Transfigured eyes to see what shines most; transfigured ears to hear the truest and most sublime voice: that of the Father who rejoices in his Son. Altogether, too impressive for us, rather used to grayish mediocrity. Only if we let Our Lord touch us with his Grace, our senses will be able to see and hear that which is most beautiful and most joyful, in God, and in those made holy by him, who raised from the dead.

«Christian spirituality -saint John Paul II wrote- has as a characteristic the disciple's duty to gradually and fully shape himself with his Master», in such a way that -through an assiduousness we could call "friendly"- we get to the point of «breathing his senses». Let us put in the Virgin Mary's hands the milestone of our true "transfiguration" in her Son Jesus Christ.

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