

Dear brothers and sisters,

Today's Gospel (Lk 9:28-36) confirms the way of life and mission of Jesus as it was crystallised by his testing in the desert of which we heard last Sunday. Now, Peter, James and John have a mysterious new experience of Jesus at the watershed moment of his public life. Soon he begins the long journey to Jerusalem, where he will suffer and die. Earlier at Caesarea Philippi, Peter acknowledged him to be the Messiah. Jesus then spelt out what his messianic mission will involve – both for him and for the disciples. He is destined to be rejected, to suffer and die. For us, following him will mean taking up our own cross daily and laying down our life in order to find it. The transfiguring glory of Jesus on the mountain provides divine confirmation that Jesus is the Messiah and that his messianic destiny will be realised through suffering and death, rather than worldly power and glory. The brilliance of his face and garments strengthens our hope in the midst of the apparent failure of his life and mission.

Jesus appears in his transfigured state along with two prophetic figures, Moses and Elijah. There was a belief current among the Jews that both would return to earth to herald the messianic era. The appearance of these two Old Testament heroes signals that in the person of Jesus the messianic age has begun. They speak of his passing, or departure (in Greek: exodus) in Jerusalem. The death, resurrection and ascension of Jesus is an exodus in which a human injustice becomes God's decisive act of liberation.

The cloud signals which envelopes them is divine presence from which God declared Jesus is not merely the messiah or a prophet or teacher but 'my Son, the Beloved'. God tells them, and us, 'Listen to him'. Listen, that is, to what he has been saying about the direction his life and mission will take. Listen to the invitations of the Spirit in our daily lives.

Jesus enters into the divine glory only after entering fully into the pain and suffering of the world so as to heal it from within. For us to be true disciples we need to constantly listen to the voice of God and respond as we are invited to raise the spirits of others by connecting with them through friendship and practical caring. In this way the light of Christ will shine in us in all we say and do.—*Blessings, Greg*



### PRAY THIS LENT

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Wednesdays 7.00-7.30pm

All welcome.

PLEASE NOTE: *The Perpetual Novena to Our Lady of Mt Carmel will not be held during Lent. It will be recommenced after Easter.*

### PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE

and for all those in that country, and beyond, who in so many different ways are enduring great suffering at this time.

Fr Ihor Holovko and the Ukrainian Catholic community here in Perth have expressed their gratitude via Archbishop Tim Costelloe for our support and prayers. The letter from and prayer by the Archbishop can be obtained from [www.infantjesusparish.org.au](http://www.infantjesusparish.org.au)

Limited printed copies are available from the bulletin stands in the church foyer.

### FAST

Pope Francis had some suggestions —try fasting from:

- ♦ hurtful words and say kind words
- ♦ sadness and be filled with gratitude
- ♦ anger and be filled with patience
- ♦ pessimism and be filled with hope
- ♦ worries and trust in God
- ♦ complaints and contemplate simplicity
- ♦ bitterness and fill your hearts with joy
- ♦ selfishness and be compassionate to others
- ♦ grudges and be reconciled
- ♦ words and be silent so you can listen.

### GIVE

from what you have and from your heart

- ♥ Support Caritas Australia-Project Compassion [lent.caritas.org.au](http://lent.caritas.org.au) and
- ♥ Caritas Australia-Caritas Ukraine appeal [caritas.org.au](http://caritas.org.au)
- ♥ Salesian Missions Australia Emergency Appeal to aid Salesians of Don Bosco (SDB's) in Ukraine and surrounding communities to bring aid to refugees. [givenow.com.au/salesianmissionemergencyrelief](http://givenow.com.au/salesianmissionemergencyrelief)

*Please pray and consider offering your time and helping hands- volunteer with some parish group or other.*

- ♥ FLOWER MINISTRY—still looking for people who like arranging flowers. Help and guidance will be provided by existing team members.

- ♥ CLEANING MINISTRY — another team member to help vacuuming the church on Thursday morning, once a month.

- ♥ visit or phone elderly relatives and friends
- ♥ give food, clothing and other needed items each week to charities eg Vinnies.

WA Government Level 2 measures:

At Infant Jesus Church and Parish centre  
Our parish continues to support and to comply with both WA Government and Archdiocese of Perth directives. You can access these directives at [www.wa.gov.au](http://www.wa.gov.au) and [www.perthcatholic.org.au/covid19](http://www.perthcatholic.org.au/covid19).

**Please note the following measures are in place in our parish:**



Mask-wearing are required for adults and children in Year 3 and above in the church and parish centre, unless an exemption applies.



Contact registers—checking in with SafeWA App or on the slip provided on the tables.



Sanitise your hands as you enter church or parish centre.



Keep a safe physical distance between people of different households.

Entry to the Church is through the left hand door (marked 'Entry') and exit through the right hand door (marked 'Exit') before and during Mass. Exit is also permitted through the double glass doors at the conclusion of Mass.



A maximum of 150 people limit allowed in the Church. At this stage, no booking is planned for attending Mass. It will be on first come best dressed basis. As the limit applies to both in the church and outside the church, it will not be possible for anyone to stay outside once the limit is reached.



Frequent cleaning/disinfecting of the church and parish centre will be carried out by parish staff.



Collections are not to be taken up during the Mass. Please place your offerings of 1st and 2nd Collections in the box, in the foyer of the church or consider direct bank deposit into parish accounts. Please see our bank details below.

**SECOND COLLECTIONS**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Jul 2021—28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022**

Envelope Pledges	\$ 71,026
Envelope Receipts	\$ 66,032
<b>Shortfall</b>	<b>\$ 4,994</b>

Thank you for your continued contributions.  
If you are 'catching up', you need only use the current week's envelope.  
To assist our parish, would you consider having your pledge automatically bank-transferred? Just set & forget!

Call 9276 8500 or  
email [accounts@infantjesusparish.org.au](mailto:accounts@infantjesusparish.org.au)

### 2022 FLOOD APPEAL—19/20 March

We have all been watching with great sadness the terrible floods that have devastated parts of Queensland and New South Wales. The floodwaters have left thousands of homes and businesses damaged. People and families have been evacuated, and don't know when they will be able to return home. Now all the hard work of cleaning, repairing and rebuilding begins.

One of the areas that was badly flooded was the city of Lismore. We here in the Parish of Infant Jesus have a link with the Diocese of Lismore. Their Bishop, Greg Homeming, is one of our fellow Carmelites. He has asked for our prayers for all the people effected by the floods. We are also wanting to support his 2022 Flood Appeal. Our parish will be holding a retiring collection at all masses next weekend 19/20 March to show our solidarity.

You can also donate directly to the appeal. Below is a link to the diocese website where you will find all the details on how to donate at <https://www.lismorediocese.org/>  
Other agencies are also assisting across both states. St Vincent de Paul Society has an appeal running as well, the link is below: <https://donate.vinnies.org.au/appeals-qld/vinnies-disaster-appeal-qld-2022>

If you can help, please donate. More importantly, your prayers are needed for all those effected by this disaster and for those who are working tirelessly to help.

### In Our Church

Morning Mass: Mon-Fri: 7am & 9am, Sat and Public Holidays: 8.30am  
Sunday Masses: 6pm (Saturday), 7.30am, 9.30am, 11.30am (Italian), 6pm  
Reconciliation: Saturday 10 - 11am and 5pm - 5.30pm  
Perpetual Novena in Honour of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel: cancelled during Lent

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Friday 9.30am  
Eucharistic Prayer: Friday 6.30 - 7.30pm  
Baptisms, Weddings & Sacraments: Please contact the Parish Office.—Ph: 9276 8500

### Parish Bank Account Details

#### First Collection EFT Details

Account Name: Carmelite  
BSB: 066 132 Account Number: 0080 0015  
Reference: Your name

#### Second Collection EFT Details

Account Name: Infant Jesus Parish Morley  
BSB: 086 006 Account Number: 66860 6029  
Reference: PG-Your name

### Our Parish Team

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## PROJECT COMPASSION For All Future Generations

As a person with a disability living in remote India, Biru faced the prospect of a life of poverty and discrimination. With your support, he participated in entrepreneurship training and gained the skills to become financially independent.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2022 and help people living with disabilities in India gain access to education and clean water, empowering them with skills to build a better future.

Together, we can help vulnerable communities face their challenges today and build a better tomorrow For All Future Generations.



You can donate through Project Compassion donation boxes and envelopes available from your Parish, by visiting [lent.caritas.org.au](http://lent.caritas.org.au), or by calling 1800 024 413



### PILGRIM STATUE

This week in the home of  
Mr & Mrs D Nathanielsz  
18 Cardwell Ave, Noranda. Ph: 9276 5048

### PARISH PRAYER CONCERNS

Recently Deceased: John Chong;

Deceased: Arthur Chemello;

Anniversaries: Jesus Abellanosa, Elaine Veronica Luscombe, Gerald Wright and Ross Lewis;

The Sick of the Parish: All who are in need of our prayers.

*“I shall see God’s goodness  
in the land of the living”*



### POPE FRANCIS’S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTIONS 2022

Month of March  
A Christian Response to  
Bioethical Challenges

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

### CALENDAR OF SAINTS

**17 Mar:** St Patrick, bishop

**19 Mar:** St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary

#### NEXT WEEKEND — 3rd Sunday of Lent—20 March 2022

Ministry	Sat 6pm	Sun 7.30am	Sun 9.30am	Sunday 6pm
Acolytes/Altar Ministers	John Tomczak	Chris Lambert	Marion Wayne	Tung Nguyen
Altar Servers	Aaditya; Abhay and Abigail	Madeleine and Frank	Gabrielle; Victoria and Manuel	Tim; Dan and Ruben
Proclaimers	Chris A and Marian F	Brian and Teresa	Personal Advocacy (Joanne)	Pramila and Volunteer
Extr. Ministers Of Communion	John T and Chris T	Teresa and Andrew	Josephine and Anna	Maureen and Thuy
Hospitality	Ann and Denise	Barb and Veronica	Julia and Roma	Brenda and Volunteer
Church Cleaning	Team A—Saturday, 19 March @ 9.30am			

**PLEASE NOTE: If you are unable to attend on your rostered day, please arrange for someone else in your Ministry to take your place.**

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