



PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, NORTH WODEN

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1-2 February 2025, Feast of The Presentation of the Lord, and Sunday of the Word of God, Year C

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND MASSES, LITURGY and RECONCILIATION TIMES:

Monday	9.30am
Tuesday	9.30am
Wednesday	9.30am
Thursday	5.30pm
Friday	9.30am (including Anointing on First Friday)
Saturday	Reconciliation 5.00-5.30pm; Mass 6.00pm
Sunday	9.30am and 5.30pm

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Who is this king of glory? It is the Lord!

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! This is the light of revelation to the nations, and the glory of your people Israel. Alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: My eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in the sight of all the peoples.

MAY THE DECEASED REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN EASTER GLORY

Recently Deceased: Washington plane crash victims, Val Crane, Fr John Ryan, Margaret McNamee, Ray Whittings, Victims of Los Angeles fires, Pasquale Calabria, Andrew Gillespie, Michael Hynes, victims of New Orleans terrorism and China earthquakes, Jennifer Wharton, Walter Stumpf, Michael Leunig, Elizabeth Smyth, Kevin Andrews, Vanuatu earthquake victims, Louisa Strasser, Ivan Benkovic, Sr Paulinus Croker RSJ, John Vincent, Doreen Johns, Letitia Baz, Spanish flood victims, Carmel Bourke, Yvonne Barlow, Susie Menadue, Marcelino Gulane, Melissa McAuliffe, victims of war in Ukraine and Gaza.

Anniversaries of Death: Mary Tuxworth, Laurence Raymond Spargo, Marilyn Bennett, George Pugh, Anna Khanh, Diomina De Simone, Desmond Lilley, Kevin Wilson, Noel Lane, Lyn Granlund, Brian Brown, Malcolm Blain, Joanne Binutti, Chris Perkins, Peter Clarke, Margaret Frawley, Sharon Woods, Peter Marlow, Vincent and Mary Huang, Peter Mayer, Michael Morrisroe, Oreste Trinca, Pushpa Dwaly, Fr Leandro Infante, Pacifico Infante, Joe Caruana, Josh McKinnon, Anne Taylor, Benjamin and Bill Rowe, Melanie Swan.

MAY THE SICK BE COMFORTED BY OUR PRAYERS

Tom Gravanic, Carmel Coleman, Jeanette Ford, Fr Andrew Yang, Richard Foote, Chris Feeny, Moira O'Brien, Olga Johnson, Margaret Williams, Pieter van Gent, Mark Lodder, Ted Lindsay, George Toth, Greg Nash, Romeo Cicolini, Francis Boyd, Jeannette Clarke, Jarrod Clarkson, Karen Rankin, David Garratt, Marjorie O'Connor, Matthew Dwyer, Genevieve Crane, Maureen Sewell, John Warren, Lily Lim, Donald Stott.

WE FOLLOW CHRIST OUR LIGHT

Today we celebrate the Presentation of the child and Lord Jesus in the Temple. Eastern Churches call this feast 'the encounter'. Jesus comes to the Temple to encounter his people in the persons of Simeon and Anna, who stand for the Old Testament or Covenant. They recognise Jesus as the long-expected hope of Israel. He is to lead God's people into the New Testament or Covenant and from now on all are invited to follow the Lord Jesus. We recognise today Jesus as the light of our life and with lighted candles (in our hands) we are following him: we become lights of Christ our Light.

Marivoet, Fr. Camilo J. (2000). *Liturgy Alive Models of Celebration (Year C)*. Quezon City, Philippines: Claretian Publications.

WELCOME: This weekend we welcome Fr James Antony to the parish as our new parish priest.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT DINNERS: Thursday 6 February 6pm. For men interested in discerning a call to the Priesthood. A hearty meal provided with insightful discussions and prayer. To rsvp please contact Vocations Director Fr Emil emil.milat@cg.org.au 0414 523 036.

ARCHDIOCESAN EVENT 'PILGRIMS OF HOPE' celebrating the contribution of 30 different religious orders across our Canberra Goulburn Archdiocese with a Mass, 11am, Sunday 9 February, St Christopher's Cathedral; celebrated by Archbishop Christopher Prowse.

MARYMEAD CATHOLIC CARE GARAGE AND PLANT SALE: Saturday, 15 February, 8am to 2pm, 255 Goyder Street, Narrabundah. Unique range of pre-loved vintage items such as clothes, books, music, and much more!

ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH CANDELO 150TH BIRTHDAY: St Joseph's Church was opened by Reverend Dr. Rodger Bede Vaughan on Sunday 31 January 1875. The Candelo community will have a celebration for the anniversary on Sunday 16 February 2025 with a Mass at 10am, followed by a community gathering in the church hall.

SCREENING OF THE MOVIE 'The Warning': at Palace Electric Cinema Monday 24 February 6:30pm, 2 Phillip Law Street, Canberra. A movie about the world wide illumination of conscience according to prophecies of Catholic saints and mystics. To book a ticket just google fan-force.com/screenings and search by country and then ACT. For more info. contact Fr Emil emil.milat@cg.org.au.

SUMMER TRANSFIGURATION NEWSLETTER available at the exits or from the Parish Office.

2025 COLUMBAN CALENDARS available from the Parish Office, \$10 each.



CURSILLO RETREAT: Save the date: 4-6 April at St Clement's, Galong. A Cursillo is a faith formation course; the word 'Cursillo' literally means 'short course' in Spanish. The first Cursillo was held in Spain in 1944 and in Canberra-Goulburn in 1966.

Contact Michael and Erica michaelderaadt@gmail.com

More information is available at <https://bit.ly/cursillo2025>

JUBILEE OF FAMILIES EUROPEAN PILGRIMAGE: St Peter's Parish, Pambula, together with Fr George Ogah invite you to join our Jubilee of Families European Pilgrimage. In this dedicated jubilee year, be inspired to encounter the pathways of some of the Church's greatest saints. 19 May-4 June, 2025. Contact pambula@cg.org.au for more information. Flyer in foyer.

MEDITATION GROUP: 6pm, Wednesdays. All welcome. Contact Vikki, 0437 876 487, mulvaney@netspeed.com.au.

PRAYER CIRCLE SUPPORT: Cathy Harris, 6281 2574.

Readings for next Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C; Is 6:1-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11; Lk 5:1-11.

LITURGICAL ROSTERS NEXT WEEK: 8-9 February 2025			
<i>2nd Sun. of the month</i>	Curtin Sat. 6 pm	Curtin Sun. 9.30 am	Curtin Sun. 5.30 pm -
Acolyte	Marianne Crane	Anthony De Salis	Mark Murphy
Reader	Mark Bonato	Jane Hunt	Volunteer required
Commentator	Rachel Smith	Bob Perkins	NA
Welcomer	Gerard Hogan	Ted and Margaret Frawley	
Ministers of Comm.	Alex Eyers	Brendan Ryan	Volunteer required
Communion to Sick	Warr: Morna Falkland	FWG: Margaret and Lorraine Ryan	Homes: Nanette Bonato
Counters	10 Feb. John Eyers		
Wednesday Liturgy	12 Feb. Prayer Leader: Alex Eyers	Eucharistic Minister: Marianne Crane, John O'Connor	



A set of keys and a separate car key have been handed in to the parish office. Contact wodennorth@cg.org.au or 6281 3999 if you think they might be yours.