

# PARISH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION, NORTH WODEN

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## 15-16 March 2025, Second Sunday of Lent, Year C

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

Monday 9.30am Tuesday 9.30am

Wednesday 9.30am - Liturgy of Word and Holy Communion

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: Of you my heart has spoken, Seek his face. It is your face, O Lord, that I seek; hide not your

face from me.

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM**: The Lord is my light and my salvation.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**: 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!

**<u>COMMUNION ANTIPHON:</u>** This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him.

## MAY THE DECEASED REST IN PEACE AND RISE IN EASTER GLORY

<u>Recently Deceased</u>: Anne Therese Bryant, Con Van Nguyen, Fr Kevin Flynn, Brother Matt McKeon, Washington plane crash victims, Val Crane, Fr John Ryan, Margaret McNamee, Ray Whitings, 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: John Frawley, Keith McLaughlin, Swaine Schinkel family and relatives, Richard Pugh, Gary Parker, Laurence Raymond Spargo, Marilyn Bennett, George Pugh, Anna Khanh, Diomina De Simone, Desmond Lilley, Kevin Wilson, Noel Lane, Lyn Granlund, Brian Brown, Malcolm Blain, 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

Geraldine Sord, Lex Govaars, 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.

**In this Jubilee year, with the theme, 'Pilgrims of Hope'** I like to meditate on St Teresa of Calcutta's "Radiating Christ" prayer that she asked her sisters to pray every day.

"Let them look up and see no longer me, but only Jesus! Stay with me and then I shall begin to shine as You shine, so to shine as to be a light to others.

The light, O Jesus, will be all from You; none of it will be mine. It will be you, shining on others through me."

Fridays in lent, we will have stations of the cross after the 9.30 am Mass. Come along and walk in the footsteps of Jesus. Let us carry our own cross together with Jesus.

**SACRAMENT OF FIRST RECONCILIATION:** Sacramental program has now commenced for First Reconciliation for baptised children in Year 3 and above. Sacramental Program is for students of Sts Peter and Paul School, Garran, Holy Trinity School, Curtin, or residents of Curtin, Lyons, Phillip, Garran, Hughes and O'Malley. Holy Trinity School and Sts Peter and Paul School have contacted their school families directly, other families should contact the Parish Office.

PARISH SECRETARY POSITION: NORTH WODEN part-time, permanent role (19 hours/week). Essential requirements: proficiency in database packages - strong communication, liaison, and organisational skills - ability to work independently and within a team - knowledge of regulatory compliance (WHS, Child protection, Copyright) - Understanding and respect for Catholic Church teachings - Current office experience -Conditions under clerks award. Contact 6281 3999 for a duty statement. send applications addressing selection criteria with a resume to Fr James T Antony at james.antony@cg.org.au by 4 april 2025.

**BISHOP-ELECT TONY PERCY FAREWELL:** You are warmly invited to join Archbishop Christopher and the Archdiocese for a special farewell Mass for Fr Tony Percy. This will take place at 5.00pm on the Solemnity of St Joseph, Wednesday 19 March 2025, at St Christopher's Cathedral, Forrest ACT. Following the Mass, light refreshments will be served in Haydon Hall at 6.00pm.

# 18 March 2025 Ancient Spark, New Fires | 7:00AM - 9:00AM

Join Jill Weber, a global leader in the 24-7 Prayer movement, for a morning of inspiration and practical insight hosted by Youth With A Mission in collaboration with the Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn. RSVP by 14 March 2025 to: refresh@ywamcanberra.org

## 22 March 2025 Journeying with the Spirit

Women's Day retreat "Journeying with the Holy Spirit organised by Call to Connect catholic women's ministry and will be led by the MGL Sisters. Come along and enjoy a day of talks, prayer, discussion groups and more For all details go to <a href="https://events.humanitix.com/journeying-with-the-holy-spirit">https://events.humanitix.com/journeying-with-the-holy-spirit</a>

# 18 March 2025 Rhythms of Grace | 2:30PM - 5:00PM

A growing number of churches and faith communities all around the world are rediscovering the power of ancient prayer practices and shared rules of life. Come join in this afternoon seminar hosted by the Catholic Archdiocese of Canberra & Goulburn in partnership with YWAM Canberra, where Jill Weber will explore how these rhythms—rooted in monastic traditions—are shaping spiritual renewal today and fostering deeper unity across the body of Christ. RSVP by 14 March 2025 to: elc@cg.org.au

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**: Third Sunday of Lent, Year C; Ex 3: 1-8, 13-15; 1 Cor 10:1-6,10-12; Lk 13:1-9.

LITURGICAL ROSTERS NEXT WEEK: 22-23 March 2025					
4th Sun. of the month	Curtin Sat. 6 pm	Curtin Sun. 9.30 am		Curtin Sun. 5.30 pm -	
Acolyte	Dan McKay Maryanne O'Connor		r	Mark Murphy	
Reader	Hilary Honey John Eyers		Kerry Lehoczky		
Commentator	Volunteer Needed Jane Hunt		NA		
Welcomer	Robert Kennelly	Max Grinsell-Jones			
Ministers of Comm.	Tony Butler	Brendan Ryan		Marianne Crane	
Communion to Sick	Warr:Helen Crain-	FWG: Patricia and Ravi Yapp		Homes: Nanette Bonato	
	Welsby				
Counters	24 Mar. Bryan Stevens	evens			
Wednesday Liturgy	26 Mar. Prayer Leader	Prayer Leader: Emma Fairfax Eucha		ucharistic Minister: Liz Anderson	