



THE COMBINED CATHOLIC PARISHES OF KYNETON & TRENTHAM

revealing the Kingdom together ...

Deuteronomy 26: 4-10
Romans 10: 8-13
Luke 4: 1-13

The confession of faith of the elect.
The confession of faith of the believers in Christ.
Filled with the Holy Spirit, Jesus was led by the spirit through the wilderness where he was tempted.

Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18
Philippians 3:17-4:1
Luke 9: 28-36

1st Sunday of Lent Year C ~ 10th March, 2019

Reflection

Lent is a time when we are reminded that there is nothing we can do to win our salvation. It is a pure gift from God. Like Jesus in the wilderness, we are to allow God's plan to unfold in and through us. Lent is a time for us to enter actively into the mysteries of the death and resurrection of Jesus, and there to marvel at what God has done for us.

The temptations of Jesus are the same temptations that we face when we are inclined to think that somehow we are in control. While the goals of the temptations may be admirable – feed the hungry, bring the world under the control of good, trust in God's power to protect us – we often choose to accomplish them in ways that are less than admirable. We try to perform the extraordinary so that what we do reflects favourably on us. We use brute force in order to achieve control. We put God to the test rather than live peacefully with God's plan as it unfolds within and around us. We seek to become the super-hero, the super-minister, the super-Christian on our own. In his responses to the tempter, we see Jesus constantly deferring to the power of God: It is not by bread alone . . . worship only God . . . do not put God to the test. In a real sense, these temptations are a reminder that the fundamental temptation is to deny our human limitations and refuse to let God be God for us.

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Today's Psalm: Psalm 90:1-2,10-15

Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High
and abides in the shade of the Almighty
says to the Lord: 'My refuge,
my stronghold, my God in whom I trust!'

Upon you no evil shall fall,
no plague approach where you dwell.
For you has he commanded his angels,
to keep you in all your ways.

They shall bear you upon their hands
lest you strike your foot against a stone.
On the lion and the viper you will tread
and trample the young lion and the dragon.

His love he set on me, so I will rescue him;
protect him for he knows my name.
When he calls I shall answer: 'I am with you.'
I will save him in distress and give him glory.

Be with me, Lord, when I am in trouble.

Gospel Acclamation

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!
No one lives on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ, king of endless glory!

Our combined Parishes Vision

We, the family of Our Lady of the Rosary Parish and St Mary Magdalen Parish are people of God, loved unconditionally by God. We are called into a communion of life and love with Jesus Christ, who impels us to deepen our relationship with each other and with all people without distinction or favouritism. We are inspired by the Holy Spirit of God to use our gifts in the service of others and as stewards of creation. We are committed to the protection of all children, young and vulnerable people. Their inherent dignity is respected and nurtured within our safe parish environs as their fundamental right. This is particularly so for the most vulnerable children, including Aboriginal, Torres Strait Islander children, children from culturally and/or linguistically diverse backgrounds, and children with special needs.

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### Parish Contact details

Office hours for the Parish Pastoral and Administration Center are

Tues to Fri from 10.00am to 4.00pm.

Phone: 5422 1261 email: [kyneton@cam.org.au](mailto:kyneton@cam.org.au)

Web: [www.cam.org.au/kynetontrentham](http://www.cam.org.au/kynetontrentham)

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Sat: 6.00pm (Kyneton)

Sun: 8.30am (Trentham)

Sun: 10.30am (Kyneton)

BLACKWOOD: (St Malachy's)

Monday of Long Weekends at 10.30.00pm

### Masses during the Week

**Tuesday 12th March** 5.00pm OLR KYN

**Wednesday 13th March** 9.30am R.M.Begg

**Wednesday 13th March** 1.30pm OLR KYN

Requiem Mass of Joan Edmonds

**Thursday 14th March** 9.00am OLR KYN

**Friday 15th March** 9.30am OLR KYN

**Saturday 16th March** 9.00am OLR KYN

### SACRAMENTS

#### PENANCE (Reconciliation)

*Kyneton—Saturday 9.30am and 5.15pm*

#### BAPTISMS

Meet with Father

4th Tuesday at 9.30am or 7.00pm

Ceremony:

2nd Sunday (Welcome)

3rd Sunday (PERFERED)

EACH DURING 10.30 MASS

**MARRIAGES** -Six months notice

## Child Safe Standards

Our parishes have a dedicated phone number for your use if you have any concerns regarding the safety of children or vulnerable people in our communities.

**This number is 0478 850 754.**

Always believe, and never doubt. If a child tells you they've experienced something that has made them feel unsafe, listen to them, believe them, and don't judge or pry for more information. With their permission, seek help from someone else or from a professional. Reporting of child abuse is mandatory for anyone who is a registered medical practitioner, a nurse or midwife, a teacher, school principal, or police officer, but beholden on all of us.

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COMBINED LENTEN STUDY

Come and join in 'Praying the Scriptures in Lent' using a study resource titled "Discerning the Way of Jesus".

Sessions to be held Wednesday evenings.

Study booklets available.

Alternating Locations are:

13 March 7pm – OLR Catholic Church

20 March 7pm – St Paul's Anglican Church

27 March 7pm – OLR Catholic Church

3rd April 7pm – St Paul's Anglican Church

10th April 7pm – OLR Catholic Church

17th April – NO Group

24th April – St Paul's Anglican Church

All Welcome

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## Broken— BBC Drama

Broken explores issues of faith and modern living. The central character is Fr Michael Kerrigan a Catholic Priest who is confident, counsellor and confessor to members of his congregation who, like himself, struggle to reconcile their beliefs with the challenges of daily life. The six part series will be screened at the home of the Sherlock's in Trentham at 2.30—4.15 each Sunday of Lent' starting March 10th, **TODAY.**

**Address: 3 Lelant St Trentham**

For more details please phone Charles 0423020699

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2019 RITE OF ELECTION

Sunday 17 March, 2.30pm,

St Patrick's Cathedral,

1 Cathedral Place,

East Melbourne

The Rite of Election is an important and beautiful rite of the Church. This year, the Rite will take place on the first Sunday of Lent. Our of RCIA Candidate, Co-Ordinators, and Fr Declan will attend. This is the beginning of Welcome for Adult Candidates into our Faith Community culminating at Easter time. Please remember in your prayers Amanda leading up to this very special time in her life. We would also very much like to thank Paul Marson, and his team for giving of their time and knowledge to walk with Amanda during this enlightening journey. We wish you well Amanda and God Bless.

Welcome Weekend

This Sunday we welcome Lilly Linfield into our Faith Community. Remember Lilly, her parents and family in your prayers as she begins her Baptismal Journey.



Project Compassion—1st Sunday of Lent



Thandolwayo, a 12-year-old girl in Zimbabwe, would walk seven kilometres each day to collect contaminated water for her family. She then went to school exhausted from hours fetching and carrying water. It looked like she would never realise her hope of finishing her education and becoming a nurse, until a Caritas Australia supported project created access to clean water helping Thandolwayo to stay at school and achieve a future full of hope.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2019 to provide clean water and a future full of hope for vulnerable communities in Zimbabwe.

Lives change when we all give 100%. You can donate through Parish boxes and envelopes, by visiting www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion or phoning 1800 024 413.

ASRC Collection next weekend 16th & 17th March

Pre Loved Pedlar – News

Looking to Volunteer?

Do you have some free time – we can use you! We are particularly looking for assistance on Wednesdays at the moment. A day, a half day or a couple of hours. Please contact the Pre Loved Pedlar via email: prelovedpedlarolr@gmail.com or call into the Pedlar at any time and chat with one of our Day Managers who will be happy to show you around and give you a form to complete. A Working with Children and Police Check is required – this can be done through the Parish Office.

Kerri Ruff Coordinator

0412 339 112

Cooks Who Care:

This is a service offered through the Parish Centre with the assistance of a band of willing volunteers.

Based on a roster, our cooks deliver a prepared meal/s (freezer friendly) to the parish approximately twice a year. The meals are stored frozen and offered to families or individuals who may require a meal.

Please let us know if you aware of anyone who would appreciate this service.

AND if you would like to be part of this program and occasionally prepare a meal for someone in need then call the Parish Centre or Patrick on 0400 010 696.

Even if you do not wish to be a regular “cook” please feel welcome to bring in a meal occasionally if this suits you better.

Plenary Council

“What do you think God is asking of us in Australia”.

The preliminary process of praying, discussing and submitting of our thoughts to the Plenary Council body ended at the start of Lent this year. We have had boxes at the back of the two churches for several weeks so that you could let us know your thoughts for a Parish submission.

We have now collated these comments (and those from our earlier meetings) into a broad Parish submission which will be forwarded to the Council body. We have placed a copy of the submission on the Parish website so that you may see what people are saying, and there are limited copies on the table at the back of the Church.

If you wish, you can still make a direct submission online to: plenarycouncil.catholic.org.au

The Council body has already received well over 70,000 submissions. They will then try to “package” all our thoughts into connected themes and topics for further prayer and discernment during 2019-20.

The last phase, from October 2020, will see the Council itself meeting in two sessions in Adelaide, before the final submission to Rome.

The combined Parishes extend our sincere thanks to Paul Marson for gathering and collating our submissions.

House Sitter

Parishioner is seeking a house sitter / pet minder for May 8th – to June 3rd.

2 (can be 3) bedroom house in Woodend, 500 metres to shops , with a dog and a cat , both very easy care.

Contacts details are : 0408190728 or kilkerrin@bigpond.com



Fr Declan O'Brien
Parish Priest

Daniel Bermingham
Principal

Mrs Rosalie White
Trentham Liaison
Parishioner

Moira Kopke
Book Keeper /
Secretary

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK :

Hymns for Today: Trentham: 188 158

Hymns for Today: Kyneton: 182 115 35 158

Choir Practice for Easter at OLR will be each Wednesday during Lent at 8.00pm in the Church starting 13th March—this Wednesday.

Next week's rosters 16th & 17th March 2019

	Sat 6.00pm In Kyneton	Sun 8.30am In Trentham	Sun 10.30am In Kyneton
Lectors:	Martin Bourke Lindy Priest	Janet Sims	Piotr Bankowski Holly Bankowski
Communion Assistance:	Sr Madeline Mary McGuirk Mary Elsum	Alan Reeves Volunteer	Kevin Lynch Michael O'Sullivan Elaine Toselli
Procession of Gifts:	Elizabeth Weston Peta Weston	Parish Children	Trish Bowe Mary Beattie
Welcome Before Mass:	Anne McCarthy	Kath Morrison	Brian Donovan Carmel Donovan
Altar Linen Trentham	Janet Sims	Flowers Trentham	No Flowers during Lent
Altar Linen Kyneton	Margaret Leahy (17th March)	Flowers Kyneton	

ROSARY STATUE Kyneton 10th March Leonie Brown 17th March Kerry O'Flaherty
Trentham 10th & 17th March C & B O'Connell 24th & 31st March A & D Walsh

ALTAR SERVERS: All are welcome. Please try to arrive 10mins before Mass starts.

Children's Liturgy—During School Term

Kyneton Leaders - Tandra Vardon, Bryanna Sandercock,
Josie Rutledge 0439743865 any enquires

Trentham Leader Some Sundays during the school term - Janet Sims

The Prayers of the Faithful: 16th & 17th March Margaret Lynch
Bulletin Folding: 15th March Dot Tranter
Audio Visual Operators: 16th March Michelle & Mia Cox
17th March Nadine Stanton

Cooks Who Care : March: Josie Rutledge, Margaret Murphy, Belinda Ryan

Sick: Elizabeth Hutton, Antonia Callus, Patricia Callus, Chantel McIntyre,
Austin Yeoman, Judy Hansford and Fabienne Toselli
Remember, we pray for ALL the sick at every Mass.

Recent Deaths: Joan Edmonds

Anniversaries:

Weekly Giving (Parish Support) - Trentham and Kyneton Parishes(03/03//2019)

Have your Credit Card details changed recently? To avoid difficulties, please let the parish office know.

PRESBYTERY-SUPPORT OF THE PARISH PRIEST-1ST COLLECTION

TRENTHAM: (L.M.) \$173.40	KYNETON: (L.M.) \$ 414.75
(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 22.50	(C.C. & D.D.) \$ 50.00
TOTAL: \$195.90	TOTAL: \$ 464.75

THANKSGIVING-UP KEEP OF THE PARISH-2ND COLLECTION

TRENTHAM: Pledge per Week \$441.00	KYNETON: Pledge per Week \$1,626.00
(Envelopes): \$ 230.00	(Envelopes): \$ 782.00
(C.C. & D.D.): \$ 76.00	(C.C. & D.D.): \$ 694.00
(L.M.): \$ 101.10	(L.M.): \$ 91.40
TOTAL : \$ 407.10	TOTAL: \$1,562.40

YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF THE PARISH PRIEST AND THE PARISH IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED.

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TRENTHAM PARISH

Barry's Reef, Blackwood
East Trentham, Fern Hill
Little Hampton, Lyonville,
Newbury, North
Blackwood, Spring Hill,
Trentham, Tylden

KYNETON PARISH

Bald Hill, Barfold, Baynton,
Blackhill, Carlsruhe,
Denver, Drummond East,
Metcalf, East Pastoria,
Edgecombe, Emberton,
Green Hill, Kyneton,
Langley, Lauriston,
Malmsbury, North
Drummond, Pastoria
Pipers Creek, Sidonia &
Taradale

Welfare

**St. Mary Magdalen's
Op Shop**

Bridge Street Trentham in
St. Mary Magdalen
Church Hall

Hours: Wed & Sat
10-3pm
Contact:

0423 854319

The Preloved Pedlar

136 Mollison Street
Kyneton

Opposite Kyneton
Town Hall

To donate goods or for
assistance please phone
the Shop: 5422 7134

or email:

prelovedpedlarolr@gmail.com

Cooks who Care

Please Contact:

Parish Office
54221261

We Care

For help of any sort please
contact one of our
coordinators;

Kyneton

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Rosalie 5424 1523

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