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2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
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BULLETIN



Welcome to St Patrick's Mortlake Parish



First Reading

A READING FROM THE FIRST BOOK OF SAMUEL
1 SAM 3:3-10.19

Speak, O Lord, your servant is listening.

Samuel was lying in the sanctuary of the Lord where the ark of God was, when the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' He answered, 'Here I am'. Then he ran to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' Eli said, 'I did not call. Go back and lie down.' So he went and lay down. Once again the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' He replied, 'I did not call you, my son; go back and lie down.' Samuel had as yet no knowledge of the Lord and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. Once again the Lord called, the third time. He got up and went to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' Eli then understood that it was the Lord who was calling the boy, and he said to Samuel, 'Go and lie down, and if someone calls say, "Speak, Lord, your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place. The Lord then came and stood by, calling as he had done before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' Samuel answered, 'Speak, Lord, your servant is listening.' Samuel grew up and the Lord was with him and let no word of his fall to the ground.

The Word of the Lord

Responsorial Psalm

PS 39:2. 4. 7-10. R. VV. 8.9

(R.) Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.

1. I waited, I waited for the Lord. and he stooped down to me; he heard my cry.
He put a new song into my mouth, praise of our God. (R.)

2. You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings, but an open ear. You do not ask for holocaust and victim. Instead, here am I. (R.)

3. In the scroll of the book it stands written that I should do your will. My God, I delight in your law in the depth of my heart. (R.)

4. Your justice I have proclaimed in the great assembly. My lips I have not sealed; you know it, O Lord. (R.)

Second Reading

A READING FROM THE FIRST LETTER OF ST PAUL TO THE CORINTHIANS 1 COR 6:13-15. 17-20

Your bodies are members of the body of Christ.

The body is not meant for fornication; it is for the Lord, and the Lord for the body. God, who raised the Lord from the dead, will by his power raise us up too. You know, surely, that your bodies are members making up the body of Christ; anyone who is joined to the Lord is one spirit with him. Keep away from fornication. All the other sins are committed outside the body; but to fornicate is to sin against your own body. Your body, you know, is the temple of the Holy Spirit, which is in you since you have received him from God. You are not your own property; you have been bought and paid for. That is why you should use your body for the glory of God.

The Word of the Lord

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

We have found the Messiah:

Jesus Christ, who brings us truth and grace.

Alleluia!

Gospel

A READING FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO JOHN JN 1:35-42

They saw where Jesus lived and they stayed with him.

As John stood with two of his disciples, Jesus passed, and John stared hard at him and said, 'Look, there is the lamb of God.' Hearing this, the two disciples followed Jesus. Jesus turned round, saw them following and said, 'What do you want?' They answered, 'Rabbi,' – which means Teacher – 'where do you live?' 'Come and see' he replied; so they went and saw where he lived, and stayed with him the rest of that day. It was about the tenth hour.

One of these two who became followers of Jesus after hearing what John had said was Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter. Early next morning,

Andrew met his brother and said to him, 'We have found the Messiah' – which means the Christ – and he took Simon to Jesus. Jesus looked hard at him and said, 'You are Simon son of John; you are to be called Cephas' – meaning Rock.

The Gospel of the Lord

Recently Deceased

Maud Chin; Frank Bova; Brendan Corcoran; Elvira Alessio (Italy); Greg Smith; Anna Donato; Gillian Virginie; John Stevens; Albert Calleja; Kenneth Ooi; Severino Jugovac; Atish Sengupta; Anthony "Tony" Wilson; Eileen Boland; James Pinterics; Sylvia Violi; Maura Rossi.

Anniversaries

Brad Bolster; John Costigan; Margaret Holahan; Natale Pelle; Charles Curran; Anna Caldariri; Michael Vogt 10th; Gerald Gleeson 6th; Sylvia Violi 1mth; Bjarne Johansen 30th; Anne Breen 5th; Maurice Casey; Bill Posavec 24th; Glenda Rutz 10th; Francey Bagala 2nd; Diana Falgiatori 1st.

Please pray for

Ness Wallace; Mary Lou Bolster; Cheryl Costigan; Damian Gleeson; Nick Severino; Cameron & Damian Sue; Colleen Gibson; Bill Yeates; Ted & Denise Cramsie; Katrina; Beth; Rosa Andreacchio; Eugenio Alessio; Robyn; Marie Dulihanty; Dale; Brian; Tony & Vitoria C; Nance Walker; Diane Shore; Renee; Rod Jeffrey.

To have your petition included, phone Carmel Moliterno 9736 1718

Congratulations

to John and Margaret Cullen who celebrated their 65th Wedding Anniversary. Blessings to you both.

Also to the Mouawad, Dickson and Battle Families on the Baptism of their children.

Know their is nothing the Lord can not handle.

Open to children of all ages

Attend a captivating Violin Master Class with renowned artist Ella Laskova on **Tuesday, January 23, 2024, from 10-12 noon at St Patrick's Parish Hall,** 33 Gale St, Mortlake. This unique opportunity is **free of charge** and offers a hands-on session for children to explore their musical abilities under expert guidance. Secure your spot now to witness the magic of the violin and ignite a passion for music in your child.



St Patrick's Mortlake presents

Flamenco Music Night

Immerse yourself in the captivating allure of Spanish cultural music at our upcoming concert, featuring traditional flamenco and soul-stirring violin melodies that transport you to the heart of Spain for an unforgettable evening of passion and energy.

9TH FEBRUARY

6pm Welcome drinks at Parish Hall
7pm concert start

**TICKETS - \$22
PER PERSON
CHILDREN FREE**

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SUNDAY MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil: 6pm
Sunday: 9am; 10.30am & 6pm

WEEKDAY MASSES & SERVICES:

Monday & Saturday
8am Communion Service

Tues to Friday 8am Mass

Please note: The First Friday of the month Mass is at 9.15am

PLEASE NOTE:

Communion Services will replace midweek Masses from January 9-12 and 16-19

Reconciliation: Saturday 5.30pm

Baptisms: 11.45am on 2nd, 3rd & 4th Sundays of the month.

Please call parish secretary with enquires.