

Kids Column

Mk.9:2-10

Jesus Shows His Glory



Jesus knew He was going to die, and He knew the apostles were going to be afraid. So He decided to show some of them something that they would not be able to forget. He took Peter, James and John up a mountain and suddenly He became dazzlingly bright, like the sun! The apostles were terrified. Then Jesus began to talk with Moses and Elijah, who stood beside Him.

Afterwards, Jesus told Peter, James and John not to tell anyone what had happened until after He rose from the dead. They were confused because they didn't understand that Jesus had to die. But now they knew that Jesus was not just a normal man. They had seen some of the awesomeness of God.



Later on, when Jesus was taken away and killed, the apostles were very sad. But some of them knew something amazing about Jesus. Like those apostles, when we are having a hard time we just need to think about Jesus. He is awesome and amazing, and waiting for us to come to Him in Heaven. The bad times will come, but Jesus is always there- we just need to remember Him!



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PLANTING A LENTEN GARDEN

Five Rows of Squash:

1. Squash gossip
2. Squash indifference
3. Squash unkindness
4. Squash temper
5. Squash the idols of greed and lust

Six Rows of Peas:

1. Prayer
2. Penance
3. Perseverance
4. Purity
5. Patience
6. Politeness

Seven Heads of Lettuce:

1. Let us be unselfish
2. Let us be charitable
3. Let us be obedient
4. Let us be truthful
5. Let us be gentle and kind
6. Let us be repentant
7. Let us be renewed

No garden is complete without Turnips:

1. Turn up for Daily Mass
2. Turn up for Eucharistic Adoration
3. Turn up for Daily Morning and Night Prayer

Turn up for Spiritual reading on Breathing Catholic.

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Conclude with Thyme:

Thyme with God, thyme for fasting, thyme for generosity and care of the poor, the sick, the suffering.

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Weekdays:

6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Saturdays:

6:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sundays:

12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Holidays:

7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Eucharistic



Adoration

Water daily with patience
Feed with love
The Beloved Saviour will provide the growth.



St. Joseph the Worker Parish
Gros Islet, Grande Riviere & Monchy

CONFESSIONS

Every Saturday
9.00 - 10.00 a.m.

&
by appointment



Freed from death.

The Lenten season continues with another story of testing. Last Sunday, we heard the trial of Jesus in the desert. In this week's First Reading, we hear of how Abraham was put to the test. The Church has always read this story as a sign of God's love for the world in giving His only-begotten son. In today's Epistle, Paul uses exact words drawn from this story to describe how God, like Abraham, did not withhold His only Son, but handed Him over for us on the Cross.

In the Gospel, too, we hear another echo. Jesus is called God's "beloved Son", as Isaac is described as Abraham's beloved son. These readings are given to us in Lent to reveal Christ's identity and to strengthen us in the face of our afflictions. Jesus is shown to be the true son that Abraham rejoiced to see. In His transfiguration, He is revealed to be the "prophet like Moses" foretold by God, raised from among their own kinsmen, speaking with God's own authority. Like Moses, He climbs the mountain with three named friends and beholds God's glory in a cloud. He is the one prophesied to come after Elijah's return, and, as He discloses to the Apostles, He is the Son of Man sent to suffer and die for our sins.

As we sing in the Psalm, Jesus believed in the face of His afflictions, and God loosed Him from the bonds of death. His rising should give us the courage to face our trials, to offer ourselves totally to the Father as He did, as Abraham and Isaac did. Freed from death by His death, we come to this Mass to offer the sacrifice of thanksgiving, and to renew our vows as His servants and faithful ones.

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SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading

Gen.22:1-2,9-13, 15-18

Second Reading

Rom.8:31-34

Gospel

Mk.9:2-10



MASS TIMES

GROS ISLET

Morning Prayers:
5:45a.m.



MONDAY:

6:00 a. m./12:30 p.m.



TUESDAY:

6:00 a.m.



WEDNESDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.
G/Riviere: 6:00 p.m.



THURSDAY

6:00 a.m./12:30 p.m.
Monchy: 6:00 p.m.



FRIDAY

6:00 a. m./12:30 p.m.



SATURDAY

6:30 a.m./6:00 p. m.



SUNDAY

Gros Islet/G. Riviere
7:30 a.m.

Gros Islet/Monchy

10:00 a.m.



HOLIDAY

Variable



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Fasting for Lent.

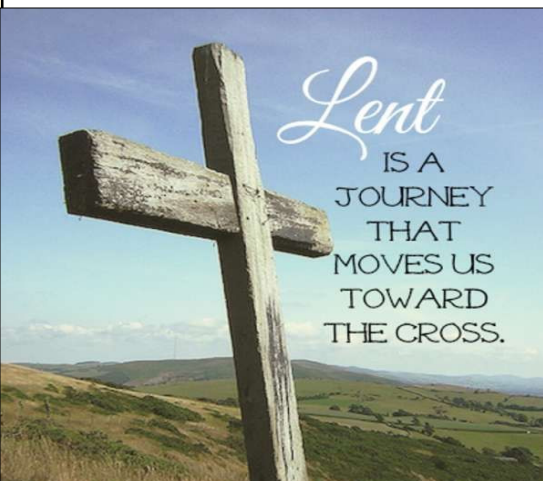
Many of us give up something as part of a Lenten fast. Fasting helps us in our almsgiving by allowing us to have more to give away to others, serves as a penitential offering for past wrongdoing, and unites us in solidarity to those who are hungry. Fasting is good, especially if we keep in mind it is a means and not an end in itself.

But as we move through these days and weeks of Lent, we are called to give even more deeply: to give up aspects of our lives and even our selves to God.

During Lent, we are being asked to consider where we have not yet surrendered our lives to God, not so much by way of great gestures, but rather in concrete and practical ways. For example:

- Do I seek to make my family's everyday life happier rather than putting my own desires first?
- Can I make do without some material goods, so that I can share with others who lack even the basics?
- Can I stop dwelling on past hurts so that I can give generously here and now?
- Do I listen when I want to speak and make room for others' voices and dissenting opinions?
- Am I willing to let teenage or adult children, friends, or my spouse grow in new directions, even when that means certain kinds of losses for myself?
- Am I able to let go of any desire that exists to prop up my own sense of self, and trust that there is a deeper self beneath whose joy lies in self-gift?

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PLEASE PRAY FOR

THE SICK

Patsy Crafton
Iris Macauldy
Martha Mason
Teresa Huntley
Marie Joseph

DECEASED

Filia Gomez
George Forde
Keith Fletcher
Clement Casimir
Rosaline Williams
Augustin Theophile

WEEKDAY READINGS



MONDAY

Dan.9:4-10
Lk.6:36-38



TUESDAY

Is.1:10,16-20
Mt.23:1-12



WEDNESDAY

Jer.18:18-20
Mt.20:17-28



THURSDAY

Jer.17:5-10
Lk.16:19-31



FRIDAY

Gen.37:3-4,12-13,
17-28
Mt.21:33-43,45-46



SATURDAY

Mic.7:14-15,18-20
Lk.15:1-3,11-32



MASS INTENTIONS

GROS ISLET	CLERGY /RELIGIOUS	INTENTIONS
2ND SUNDAY OF LENT - YEAR B		
Sat Feb 24- 6:00 p.m.		B'day: Kateri Parker Thks: Shane Defreitas Laura & Madison Stanislaus & family
Sun Feb 25 - 7:30 a.m.		MISSA PRO POPULO
10:00 a.m.		B'day: Mario Severin, Sianna Charles
Grande Riviere -7:30 a.m.		B'day: Lucella Sandiford Thks: Catherine Augustin & family
Monchy - 10:00 a.m.		B'day: Peter Cherry
WEEKDAY MASS INTENTIONS		
Mon Feb 26 - 6:00 a.m.	Rev. Nathalbert Husbands Sr. Stephania Banda	B'day: David Junior Popo
12:30 p.m.		Thks: Kateri Parker Keva & Kadie Chong
Tues Feb 27- 6:00 a.m.	Fr. Kevin Murray Rev. Gabriel Geoffrey	Int: Bernadette Pamphile
Wed Feb 28 - 6:00 a.m.	Fr. John Milton Sr. Margaret Maynard	Int: Anthony Robinson
12:30 p.m.		Int: Melissa Charlemagne
Grande Riviere - 6:00 p.m.		Parishioners
Thu Feb 29 - 6:00 a.m.	Rev. David Popo Rev. Gerard Calderon Rev. Herald Wilson	Int: Donors & Benefactors
12:30 p.m.		Thks: Caritas Volunteers Soup Kitchen Volunteers
Fri Mar 1 - 6:00 a.m.	Fr. Ignatius Cetoute Fr. Cleophus Joseph Sr. Marie Therese Clement	B'day: Davilia Desir, Janetha Louis Holy Spirit: Huntley & Wells families
12:30 p.m.		Dc'd: Josephine & Felix Remy
Sat Mar 2 - 6:30 a.m. Mass at the Shrine	Fr. Joseph Akande Fr. Celestine Nwakwuo Fr. Philomin Zacharias	Dc'd: Winston Taylor Holy Souls in Purgatory