



#### FROM THE PARISH PRIEST

Righteous indignation is something with which we are probably reasonably familiar. I encourage it of baptism families when we proclaim our faith in God! We have many forums on which we ourselves can have a rant - and can equally hear or see others voicing such frustration. Twitter and Facebook, news channels and print media, even a quiet drink in the local give us all the opportunity to vent.

And vent we do! We are passionate people. It's frustrating when people don't clear up after their dogs. Or park in our parking spaces. Or damage things, or rifle through the jumble, or act carelessly etc etc etc.

We are familiar with righteous indignation - and on the whole, expressing it is a healthy thing to do. To bottle up is to store up frustration that will come out at some point.

So - we understand Jesus in the temple expressing such emotion. Or do we?

Jesus' righteous indignation is aimed at something which is, for him, a matter of faith. More than that - a matter of salvation. It's not that the money changers are doing business in the Temple - it's that they are profiteering from the forgiveness and love of God. His passion is clear to see - writ large in his actions.

Lent is a good time to consider our own passion when it comes to our Father's house and what we do here. How is that passion expressed? Let's get to the point Jesus gets to; that our passion too might be writ clear in all we do and all we give - and perhaps we might give some consideration to the tables that should be overturned in our own temples, in our own lives.

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# THIS WEEK'S SERVICES

	7.30am	9.30am
Presider	Fr Patrick	Fr Patrick
Preacher	Fr Patrick	Fr Patrick
Liturgical Assistant	Lisa Bateson	Jolanta Edwards
Server	Erwin	Jolanta
Readers	Christine Crook Ann Muir	Hugh Luckhurst-Smith Annie O'Dowd
Welcomers	Christine & Ann	Hugh
Morning Tea	Merryl & Suzette	Elenoa
Readings	Exodus 20.1-17 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 1.18-25 John 2.13-22	Exodus 20.1-17 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 1.18-25 John 2.13-22

# **SENTENCE**

God spoke these words and said, 'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.' Exodus 20.1

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER Chapman Pl, Comus Av, Castletown St, Farrer St, Comus Cr. Scots Presbyterian Memorial Church Clayfield.

#### FOR HEALING

Ange Batiste, Kim Robb, Libby Yap, Kate Smith, CJ Golledge, Nick Beck, Emilia Hook, Betty Dingle, Phim, Diane Peterson, Jackie Thomas, Glenda, Jordan Bilney, Ken Slipper, Katie, Josephine Cornish, Jodie Geddes, Val Curry, Robert and Mary Edwards, Ian Cameron, Reg Staines, Gwenda Allen, Brett Rogers.

#### IN MEMORY

Lyndal Worthington-Wilmer 03.03.2019 Richard Henderson 04.03.2011 Timothy James Mould 06.03.2008 Neville Coleman Davis 06.03.2018 Bryan Philip Chapman 06.03.2006 Peter Crook

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

Lord our God, by your Holy Spirit write your commandments upon our hearts and grant us the wisdom and power of the cross, so that, cleansed from greed and selfishness, we may become a living temple of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

# **COLLECT OF THE WEEK**

Lord God, our Redeemer, who heard the cry of your people and sent your servant Moses to lead them out of slavery: free us from the tyranny of sin and death and, by the leading of your Spirit, bring us to our promised land; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

# THE WEEK AHEAD

#### **MONDAY 4TH MARCH**

8am Morning Prayer (Online only) 5pm Evening Prayer (Online only)

#### **TUESDAY 5TH**

8am Morning Prayer (Online only) 5pm Evening Prayer (Online only)

#### **WEDNESDAY 6TH**

8am Morning Prayer (Online only) 10am Eucharist 5pm Evening Prayer (Online only)

#### THURSDAY 7TH

8am Morning Prayer (Online only) 4.15pm Meditation (in Columbarium) 5pm Evening Prayer (in Columbarium)

# FRIDAY 8TH

#### **SATURDAY 9TH**

## SUNDAY 10TH MOTHERING SUNDAY

7.30am Said Eucharist (with hymns) 9.30am Sung Eucharist (with hymns and choir)

# **REGULAR GROUPS**

Contact Parish office for more information.

#### **MONDAYS**

1.30-4.30pm Community Quilting Group: Weekly

### **WEDNESDAYS**

2-4pm Crafties: 1st & 3rd Wednesdays

2-4pm Mahjong: 2nd & 4th Wednesdays

5-6pm English Čonversation Class: Weekly during term time

#### **THURSDAYS**

2.30pm Bible Study: Running During Lent 4.15pm Meditation in Columbarium

#### **SATURDAYS**

7.30am Requiem Eucharist: 1st Saturday of month

# **NEWS**

#### CHILDRENS MINISTRY DONATIONS

Thank you to all those who have so far responded so generously for the funding of this position. If you or anyone you know might be interested in applying, please do let us know - a job description is now ready to be circulated.

# LENT BIBLE STUDY

The Lent Bible study will continue on Thursdays at 2.30pm in the Parish Office - and will run weekly in Lent, with the final one on Thursday 22nd March. All are welcome to join us.

#### PRAYER LABYRINTH

Huge thanks to Jolanta, Ross and Trevor for designing and painting the labyrinth on the lawn outside church for Lent. All are welcome to use it: a prayerful walk in our beautiful grounds.

#### **IUMBLE WEEK**

It's a jumble week again - thanks to all who are busy setting up and preparing. Do spread the word as ever - we will be open in the hall on Wednesday 6th March from 9.15am until 11.15am.

#### FR PATRICK AWAY

Fr Patrick will be away for a week in the UK seeing family. He returns Thursday 14th March. In the meantime in the event of any occurrences, Erayne in the office is able to contact Fr Patrick, or arrange alternative cover.

# **ELECTIONS AND SAUSAGE SIZZLE**

We are a polling station in the local government elections on 16th March, so will be sizzling sausages in the morning! Volunteers welcome - also we are looking to have another of our famous produce stalls - volunteers to staff that on the day, as well as to provide cakes, jams etc are hugely welcome. There's a sign-up sheet in church.

#### PANTRY CHALLENGE

This week's challenge is tooth paste and tooth brushes of which they are short. The Pantry is really grateful for our support. Don't forget that there is a bin outside the office if it is easier to bring your donation on another day.

#### EMAIL NEWSLETTERS

Please let us know if you are not in receipt of the newsletters by email – this is a much more efficient way of keeping you up to date with all that's going on, and Fr Patrick sends out a weekly email with more news.

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Welcomers	Emma & Merryl	Jill & Felicity
Morning Tea	Pippa & Jan	Frances & Teresa
Readings	Numbers 21.4-9 Psalm 107.1-3,17-22 Ephesians 2.1-10 John 3.14-21	Numbers 21.4-9 Psalm 107.1-3,17-22 Ephesians 2.1-10 John 3.14-21

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# YOUR GIVING MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

It costs \$5000 a week to run the parish. This includes ministry costs, the provision of our music, upkeep of the church, keeping the office running and our missional giving. We depend on your generosity - it is appreciated!

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BSB: 704-901 ACC: 00000210

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# LIVE-STREAMING

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