

## 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent March 11, 2018

2 Chronicles 36.14-17a, 19-23; Ephesians 2.4-10; John 3.14-21

### Daily Readings for the week of March 12-18 :

**Monday:** Isaiah 65.17-21; John 4.43-54

**Tuesday:** Ezekiel 47.1-9, 12; John 5.1-16

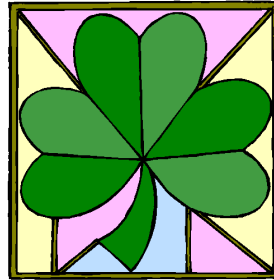
**Wednesday:** Isaiah 49.8-15; John 5.16-30

**Thursday:** Exodus 32.7-14; John 5.18, 31-47

**Friday:** Wisdom 2.1a, 12-22; John 7.1-2, 10, 25-30

**Saturday: St. Patrick:** Jeremiah 11.18-20; John 7.40-53

**Sunday: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent:** Jeremiah 31.31-34; Hebrews 5.7-9; John 12.20-33



**Welcome!** We are delighted to welcome each and every one who has come to worship with us here at St. Patrick Co-Cathedral. Whether you are a parish family member, friend or visitor, know that your presence enlivens our celebration and our faith community. Please take a moment to introduce yourself to our pastor and fill out a registration form found on the main bulletin board.

### Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- **Adult Faith Formation** is on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm in the side meeting room.
- **K of C** will meet on Thursday, March 15 at 7:30 pm in the foyer.



### Invitation to the Ordination of Bishop-elect Jon Hansen:

Please join the diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith as they gather in joy and thanksgiving for the ordination of Bishop-elect Jon Hansen. The ordination will take place this Friday, March 16, 2018 at 7:00 pm at Ecole St. Patrick High School. A reception will follow. Everyone is welcome!

**Update Your Address!** Whether you are moving in town or out of town, please take time to provide your updated information to the parish office. Please pick up an Address Update Form from the bulletin board. Forms can be dropped in the collection basket or dropped at the parish office.

Help us help you stay informed and connected!

### Share Lent Week 4

#### *A school of community leaders in Peru*

For the fourth week of Lent, let's go to Peru and discover one of Development and Peace's partners, the Bartolomé de Las Casas Institute! It runs the Hugo Echegaray leadership school, where students strengthen their capacity for dialogue, consensus, participation, and consultation in order to exercise ethical and responsible civic leadership in their communities.



Photo: Lidia Rojas, IBC Project Coordinator.

The Solidarity Sunday collection will be celebrated in all Canadian parishes next week. We will appeal to your generosity in support of our sisters and brothers in the Global South who fight every day for peace, human dignity, and social justice.



### LENT CORNER

**Penitential Service:** St. Patrick's will have a Lenten Penitential Service on Wednesday, March 21 at 7:00 pm.

**Stations of the Cross** are held on Fridays during Lent after the 5:30 pm Mass. Persons willing to lead the Stations are asked to sign up. Everyone is invited to participate. There are materials to borrow on the table in the foyer.

**Lenten Lunches:** Lunches are served at Holy Trinity Anglican Church at noon with a talk on Jesus' Parables. See the schedule on the bulletin board.

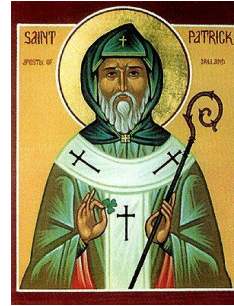
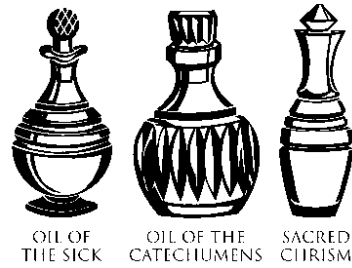
### Stewardship Reflection

*"For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son..." (John 3:16)*

Of all the wonderful gifts that God has given to us, the gift of His own Son is truly the greatest. How can we ever thank God for a gift like that? God does not ask us to sacrifice our own precious firstborn, but He does ask that we are grateful and generous with our God-given gifts. That we nurture and develop them and return with increase.

## Chrism Mass – Sunday, March 18 at 11:00 am

The annual Mass of Chrism gathers representation from the whole Diocese of Mackenzie-Fort Smith: our bishop, priests, pastoral leaders and all the baptized. The church grows in holiness through worship, community, and discipleship. The presence of the Diocesan church at this liturgy roots our sense of belonging, strengthens the universality of our communal prayer, and manifests hope for the future. With its rich rituals of oil blessing, consecration and prayer, the Mass of Chrism reveals God's abundant love realized in the anointing of the sick, the catechumens, the newly baptized, the confirmed, the ordained, and in the anointing of Christ as altar and church. Each year representatives from many parishes across our Diocese come to St. Patrick Co-Cathedral to join in the celebration of the Chrism Mass and to bring home the Oils that will be used in the parish celebration of the sacraments. Please join us in this important celebration in the life of our church community.



# St. Patrick Co-Cathedral

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**Parish Office Hours:** Tuesday-Friday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

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Email: [stpatrickchurchyk@gmail.com](mailto:stpatrickchurchyk@gmail.com)

## 3rd Sunday of Lent ~ March 4, 2018

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday 5:00 p.m.      **Daily Mass:** Tuesday - Friday 5:30 pm  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** Tuesdays from 12:00 – 4:00 pm  
Please use the side door.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Priest available ½ hour before each Mass or by appointment

### Pastoral Team

#### Pastor

Fr. Marek Pisarek, OMI (444-8700)  
[pisarekomi@gmail.com](mailto:pisarekomi@gmail.com)

#### Pastoral Assistant

Susan Waddell  
[swaddell@theedge.ca](mailto:swaddell@theedge.ca)

#### Bookkeeper

[parishadmin@theedge.ca](mailto:parishadmin@theedge.ca)

Offertory collection for February 25-----\$ 3,561.07  
Other revenue-----\$ 2,495.00  
Total Income -----\$ 6,056.07  
Cost to operate our Parish per week-----\$ 6,800.00  
Surplus/(Shortfall) for the week-----(\$ 743.93)

### Rachel's Corner

*"Let the oppressed see it and be glad; you who seek God, let your hearts revive. For the LORD hears the needy and does not despise his own that are in bonds."*  
-Psalm 69:32-33

Have you felt oppressed inside since your involvement in decisions that led to abortion? Has this pain you hold in silence led you to feel like a prisoner to a secret? Come on a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat and allow Him to free you from all that keeps you from being fully alive.

#### Healing After Abortion

[rachelsvineyard.nwt@gmail.com](mailto:rachelsvineyard.nwt@gmail.com)

1-867-444-9383

### St. Patrick's Vinnies

920-4961

Tues-Sat 10:00 am – 5:30 pm

### RCIA

Andre Corriveau

[andrecorriveau@icloud.com](mailto:andrecorriveau@icloud.com)

### Catholic Women's League

Tina Rivera - President

873-5900

### Knights of Columbus

Chris Wood – Grand Knight

[cwood11@theedge.ca](mailto:cwood11@theedge.ca)

### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

446-1934 (leave a message)

### Development & Peace

Suzette Montreuil 920-2765

### Finance Council – Chairperson

Gord Van Tighem

### Sacrament of Marriage

Contact the Parish Priest to set up an initial interview for Marriage at least one year in advance and prior to setting a wedding date. Marriage preparation is required. Next session: April 13/14 and April 20/21.

**Sacrament of Baptism** Contact the parish office to pick up a Baptism Preparation Package (also on the bulletin board in the church). The next preparation session is Wed., April 18, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

**1st Eucharist/Reconciliation-** Next session on March 11, 2018 at 2:00 pm.

**CWL Prayer Line:** Prayer requests can be emailed to Barb McDonald at [barbmcd@theedge.ca](mailto:barbmcd@theedge.ca). The rosary is prayed every Monday evening for these requests.