



# The Parish of Carrigwohill

4<sup>th</sup> / 5<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Second Sunday Lent Year A

Year I for Weekday Mass

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## Matthew 17:1-9

Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain where they could be alone. There in their presence he was transfigured: his face shone like the sun and his clothes became as white as the light. Suddenly Moses and Elijah appeared to them; they were talking with him. Then Peter spoke to Jesus. ‘Lord,’ he said ‘it is wonderful for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three tents here, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah.’ He was still speaking when suddenly a bright cloud covered them with shadow, and from the cloud there came a voice which said, ‘This is my Son,

the Beloved; he enjoys my favour. Listen to him.’ When they heard this the disciples fell on their faces overcome with fear. But Jesus came up and touched them. ‘Stand up,’ he said ‘do not be afraid.’ And when they raised their eyes they saw no one but only Jesus. As they came down from the mountain Jesus gave them this order, ‘Tell no one about the vision until the Son of Man has risen from the dead.’..’

## Responsorial Psalm 32(33):4-5,18-20,22

May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

Lent 2 - Year A

Patrick Killeen



May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

Lent calls us to Conversion. This begins when we open our hearts and minds to Jesus, listening to his word.



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## Lenten Series of Talks/Presentation

by women in leadership in the Church

### Talks based on Synodal way of Communion, Participation, Mission

These Talks are not specific to what the speakers do, they are based on personal faith, the work they do and how the Church goes forward. All Welcome.

- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March – **ANNE COLEMAN** – Accord – Catholic Marriage Care Service CLG, Specialist in Marriage Education
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> March – **BERNADETTE O’CONNOR** – Youth Worker Cloyne Diocesan Youth services, Mallow Parish Ministry, Director of John Paul II awards.
- Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March – **JULIEANN MORAN**– General Secretary for the Synodal Pathway of the Catholic Church in Ireland
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March – **MARIAN MORTELL** – Cork Scripture Group.

Time will be given for comments and reflection by participants.

**Open to all**

Venue - Parish Church: Time 7.30pm.

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### Confirmation

We welcome the Confirmation Candidates and their families to Sunday Masses. They will present their names to the Parish at the Gospel and at the end of Mass people are invited to take one name and pray for that Candidate preparing for Confirmation in the week ahead.

**Confessions for Confirmation** are on **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March from 7 – 8pm.** Parents are invited to bring their child and families if they wish to the Church at any time during that hour to celebrate the Sacrament of Confession. There will be 3 priests available that evening. Candidates are to sit with parents, and when a person or families have celebrated their Confession, they can return home. They do not need to stay for the hour. People can call in at any time in the hour.

Confirmation Practice will take place in St. Colman’s Cathedral on Thursday evening for the both sermons.

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## LENT

### **Lent is What You Do ———— What will you do?**

How is your Lenten observance going? Have you found time to pray more since lent began? Have you tried to begin to give up habits that are harmful to oneself or others, for example, smoking, bad language, complaining, giving out, blaming, refusing to forgive, holding a grudge, over use of alcohol?

### **Make a Lenten Commitment**

A Lenten Commitment may mean taking on one of the following:

- Make a personal pledge to pray each day.
- Celebrate daily Mass more frequently
- Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Mondays 10.30 -6
- Lenten Prayer every Sunday of Lent at 5.30pm
- Pray the Stations of the Cross each week
- Join the community for Taize Prayer on Fridays of Lent at 7pm leading into Mass at 7.30pm
- Take part in the Lenten series of Talks
- Fast and abstain from meat on Fridays of lent.
- Support the Trócaire Campaign
- Read the Passion of Jesus from the Gospel of Matthew, write it out in one's own handwriting. Matthew chapters 26, 27, 28.
- Give up alcohol for Lent, take the temperance pledge
- visit the sick, help someone in need.

### **Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March – 5.30pm – Evening Prayer of the Church**

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#### **Spring Stations: Station Masses**

#### **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March 7.30pm**

Clonee, Tibbotstown, Forrestown, Lackabeha, Ballyleary, Anngrove, Killacloyne, Terrysland, Ballynoe, Springhill, Ballyregan, Ballinbrittig, Reinasallagh, Gurrans, Longstown, Fahydorgan, Carrigtwohill West, Woodstock, Station Road, Tullagreine.

**Willing hands to help organise refreshments after the Stations welcome.**

Station Envelope to support the priests of the Parish can be handed in at Sunday Masses. Thanks to all who support the Priests through Lenten Station Offerings.

Priests depend on the offering that people give for their upkeep.

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**Thanks** to all who support the Parish Financially, the Parish depends on the weekly, monthly or yearly offerings that parishioners give to pay for the upkeep of the Parish and to promote the Mission of Christ in the Church.

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### **St. Patrick's Day – 17<sup>th</sup> March – Mass Times**

Vigil on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm and 10am Mass on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> .

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## Priests of the Parish

V. Rev. Patrick Winkle P.P. 021 4882439

*Priest in Residence*

Monsignor Denis Reidy

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### SUNDAY MASSES

**Vigil Mass:** Saturday 6.00p.m

**Sunday Morning**

10.00 a.m. and 12 noon

### Weekday Masses

Monday - Wednesday 10am

Friday -7.30pm

### Confessions:

After 6pm Mass Saturday

### Baptisms

Saturday 4pm or Sunday

2pm by appointment

**Parish Office**  
**Monday to Friday**  
**9.30am – 1pm**

### Pray for those who have died. May they rest in peace

We pray for Ann O'Brien, Mary McCarthy and Sr. Anselem Warren whose first anniversaries occurs: for Bridie Galvin who died recently: for those whose anniversaries occur: Mairead Redmond Cooney, Bridget Carty, Emily Kelleher, Eileen Fitzgibbon, John Fouhy, James McCarthy, Timothy O'Brien, Davey Collins, Dan and Sheila McCarthy.

### St. Vincent de Paul

Contact 085 8544426

If a family or person is in need  
contact the Society in confidence.

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Monday

**10.30am – 6pm**

**Support the Parish  
Financially.** Donate  
though the parish  
website.



### Pope Francis

*“we need to listen to Jesus;*

*- in the word of God*

*- through our brothers, sisters,*

*- in the faces and the stories of  
those who are in need.*

*- in listening to our brothers  
and sisters in the Church”*

*“Rise, and do not be afraid”*

Message for Lent 2023

### Come Back To Me

Come back to me with all your heart.

Don't let fear keep us apart.

Trees do bend, though straight and tall

So must we, to other's call.

*Long have I waited for your coming,*

*Home to me and living, deeply our new lives.*

The wilderness will lead you

To your heart where I will speak.

Integrity and justice,

With tenderness, you shall know.

### God of mercy and Compassion

God of mercy and compassion,

Lord of life and blinding light.

Truth whom creatures would refashion,  
give us the gift of sight.

Truth insistent and demanding,

Love resented and ignored;

Life beyond all understanding,

Give us peace and pardon, Lord.

God most holy and forgiving,

Penetrate our pride and sloth;

On a people partly living

Give the gift of life and growth.