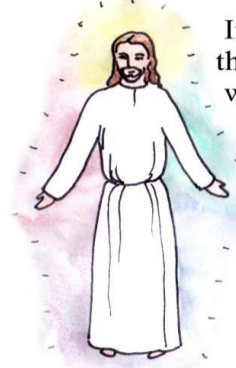


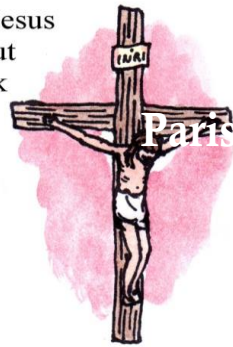
Looking at Jesus



In today's Gospel reading Jesus took three of His apostles up a mountain where they saw Him shining like the sun and talking with Moses and Elijah. They were talking about how Jesus was going to go to Jerusalem and be killed. The apostles were amazed and confused.

Jesus let the apostles see Him in glory to help them to understand why He had to suffer and die. We won't see Jesus in His glory until we see Him in Heaven, but it is good for us to think about the things that He and Moses and Elijah were talking about.

Look at a crucifix or picture of Jesus on the cross every day. Think about how much He loves you, and think about how you act toward Him. What can you do to love Him better? Lent is a good time to try to find ways to love Jesus more.



Answer to St. Joseph Puzzle:
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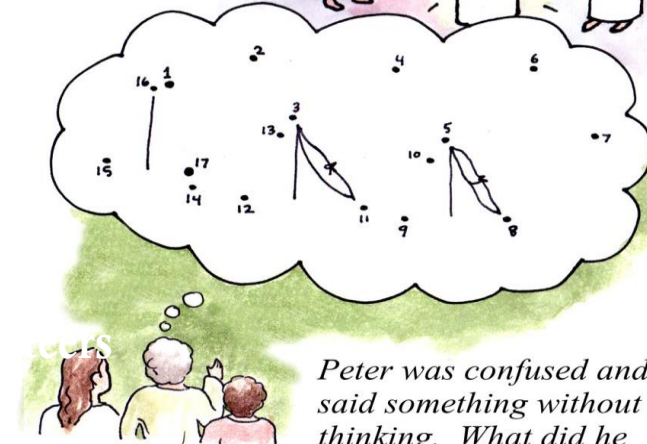
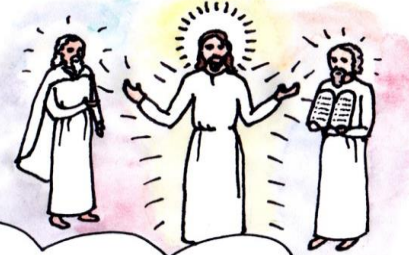
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Second Sunday of Lent
March 16th, 2025

Jesus shone like the sun when He took his three friends up the mountain.

Luke 9:28-36



Peter was confused and said something without thinking. What did he say he could make?

Connect the dots to find out!

St. Joseph Puzzle March 19

The Gospel tells us that Saint Joseph was a just man. What did he do?

Match the things that he did (on the right) with the circumstances on the left.

1. Before they were married and he found out that Mary was expecting a baby ___

2. When the angel came in a dream and told him to take Mary as his wife ___

3. When the government said that everyone had to register in their home town ___

4. When an angel came in a dream and told him that the soldiers were coming to kill baby Jesus ___

5. When Jesus stayed in the Temple instead of coming home with him ___

6. While Jesus was growing up ___

A. St. Joseph taught Jesus to be a carpenter.

B. St. Joseph looked for Jesus for three days until he found Him.

C. St. Joseph took Mary and baby Jesus to Egypt right away.

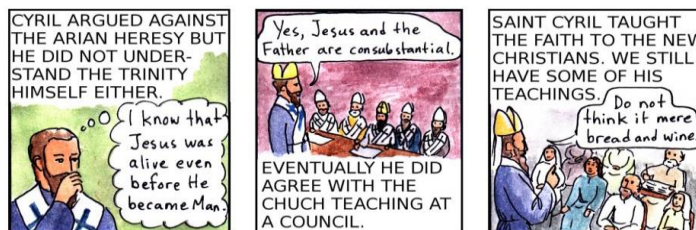
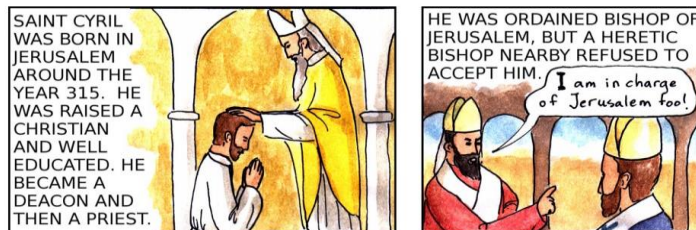
D. St. Joseph went to Bethlehem with Mary.

E. St. Joseph planned to break off his engagement quietly so that Mary wouldn't be ashamed.

F. St. Joseph married Mary.



SAINT CYRIL OF JERUSALEM MARCH 18



AT FIRST CYRIL DIDN'T HAVE A VERY GOOD UNDERSTANDING OF THE HOLY TRINITY, BUT HE KNEW THAT THE ARIANS WERE WRONG. THEY SAID JESUS WAS LESS IMPORTANT THAN GOD THE FATHER. CYRIL TAUGHT WHAT HE KNEW WAS RIGHT ANYWAY. DO YOU TELL OTHERS WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT GOD?

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Sunday Mass
Messes du Dimanche
Breynat – Sunday 9 am
Plamondon - Sunday 11 am

Daily Mass
Messes du Chaque Jour
Plamondon – Tues to Fri 9am
Rosary begins 8:40 am

Adoration & mass
Plamondon – Every first
Friday of the month at 7pm

March 16, 2025 &
March 23, 2025
2nd and 3rd Sunday
of Lent



God's Graciousness & Generosity

This Second Sunday of Lent is like a breather in our Lenten pilgrimage, which is characterized by penance and greater awareness of our sinfulness. Weak and wounded in many ways, we fix our gaze on the transfigured Christ, to derive from him the inspiration we need to undertake or continue our quest for the values of the Kingdom and the splendor of a holy life. A key word to reflect on today is **GENEROSITY**.

Let us remember that Jesus was transfigured while he was praying. His relational stance before the Father speaks of mutuality and deep love. And it was in his dialogue with the Father that the glory of his true self was revealed. God's faithful response to His Son shone at his transfiguration. May our own response of fidelity in and through prayer, fasting and almsgiving, along with our participation in this Eucharistic celebration bring about

A Life of Relationality Marked by Mutuality & Generosity

God's goodness and gracious generosity shine out today ... in His call to Abram, for one. Such profligate generosity also shows in His patience. He did not give up even when fruits were not forthcoming. He was willing to give more time and more second chances. It only means that the Lord, in His patient love for us, is waiting for us to produce the fruits of a sincere and loving response to His initiatives.

There ought to be, indeed, a state of mutuality in our relationship with a God who is graciously generous and patient with us. We should not think though, that "conversion" as our response, consists only in avoiding sin. It also includes moving away from doing little for the Lord, to doing as much as we can for the building of the Kingdom and for our own sanctification. It also means being more kind, understanding, forgiving, and generous toward our neighbor like He is with us.



This year, GrACE invites you to celebrate St. Patrick's Day through the power of prayer. Join us in praying his 9-day novena leading up to March 17th, offering it for the cause of Catholic education.

St. Patrick's Novena

This novena is traditionally prayed for nine days leading up to St. Patrick's Day, but it can also be prayed at any time to seek his intercession.

Day 1-9 Prayer:

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

O **glorious St. Patrick**, apostle of Ireland, you brought the light of Christ to a people steeped in darkness. With unwavering faith, you fearlessly preached the Gospel and won countless souls for Christ. We ask for your powerful intercession as we journey in faith.

Pray for us, dear St. Patrick, that we may remain steadfast in our beliefs, courageous in our witness, and ever devoted to God's call in our lives. Intercede for our **Catholic schools in Alberta**, for our students, teachers, leaders, and all who seek to deepen their faith. May our Catholic education system continue to flourish, bringing Christ's light to the world.

As we pray this novena, may we be reminded of your tireless efforts to **educate and spread the Catholic faith**. Just as you nurtured the faith of a nation, we seek your prayers for **GrACE's mission to strengthen and sustain Catholic education in Alberta**. May our schools remain places of **truth, excellence, and faith-filled learning**, forming young hearts and minds in Christ.

(Mention your personal intentions here.)

Through your prayers, may we always walk in God's grace and be faithful disciples of Jesus Christ. Amen.

St. Patrick, pray for us!

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intentions - March

For families in crisis

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

LENTEN SCHEDULE			
Mar 05	Ash Wednesday	7 pm	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
Apr 13	Palm Sunday	9 am	St. Therese Parish, Breynat
		11 am	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
Apr 17	Holy Thursday: - Mass of the Lord's Supper	7 pm	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
Apr 18	Good Friday: - The Way of the Cross - The Passion of the Lord	2:30 pm	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
		3 pm	
Apr 19	Easter Vigil	9 pm	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
Apr 20	Easter Sunday	9 am	St. Therese Parish, Breynat
		11 am	St. Isidore Parish, Plamondon
The Way of the Cross		Every Friday at 7 pm before the Holy Mass	From March 07 to April 18

Lent is a penitential season, a time for Catholics to reflect on their lives, examine their consciences, and seek God's mercy.

As we do not have additional priests available for Lenten Reconciliation this time, we encourage everyone to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation on **Fridays before the 7 PM Mass and Way of the Cross** or to schedule an appointment with our parish priest.

Weeks of March 16 & March 23 – Semaine du 16 Mars a 23 Mars

Sun/Dim	March 16 th	9:00 am	[Breynat]
		11:00 am	[Plamondon] + Rita Marie Plamondon (offered by Vern and Maria Plamondon and Family)
Tues/Mar.	March 18 th	9:00am	
Wed/Mer.	March 19 th	9:00am	
Thurs/Jeudi	March 20 th	9:00am	
Fri/Vend.	March 21 st	9:00am	for birthday blessings of Rowena Beland (offered by Lilia Escultura)
Sun/Dim	March 23 rd	9:00 am	[Breynat]
		11:00 am	[Plamondon] + Reginald Plamondon (offered by Vern and Maria Plamondon and Family) + Lucia Lord (offered by Linda Lord)

Parish Volunteers

Date	Lector	Extra Ordinary Minister	Welcoming	Collection
March 2, Sun 11am English	Caroline Giammarioli Luisa Piontek	Franco Gimmarioli	Diane Gingras Marlene Ulliac	Joel Girard Gerald Dube
March 5, Ash Wednesday 7 pm English	Guy Lambert Paulette Pressling	Bonita Marchand	Sophie Plamondon Martha Ryan	No Collection
March 9, Sun French	Rena Braund Franco Giammarioli	Lori Girard	Geraldine Plamondon Debra Hrynyk	Theresa and Rick St. Jean
March 16, Sun 11am English	Lori Girard Kathy Plamondon	Rena Braund	Lena and Jacques Labonte	Alex Richard Leon Ulliac
March 23, Sun 11 am French	Anita Gauthier Bonita Marchand	Sylvia Cote	Lori and Cletus Girard	Steve Plamondon Hal Pressling
March 30, Sun 11am English	Sylvia Cote Claire Richard	Luisa Piontek	Jacinthe and Stephen Lemay	Bernice and Denis St. Jean

Prayer Chain

We recommend to your prayers the healing & recovery of:
Laurette Casavant, Jeannette Hebert, Kumal Mary Kumar, Delores Mikulen, Randy Biollo, Fr. Gerard Gauthier,
Nick Grygus, Chantal Vaillancourt, Gisele Girard, Harold Hrynyk and Mary Jones

St. Theresa St. Isidore

March 2, 2025 \$ 130.00 \$ 1,808.00
March 9, 2025 \$ 250.00 \$ 498.00

Pre-Authorized (month of February) \$ 3,641.00 including Special Collection

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