

WEEKLY REFLECTION

By Dick Hauser, SJ

Paul presents the Christian ideal dramatically: We are ambassadors for Christ. Our journey in life is to reflect Christ's presence and become Christ's ambassadors to the world. There is no more exalted vocation.

Lent is the season of the year when we look deeply within ourselves and ask how we are living our identity as Christ's ambassadors.

In the gospels, Jesus suggests we pay special attention to three areas: prayer, fasting, and alms giving. Are we in communion with Christ through prayer, enabling our Lord's presence to shine through us and so become his ambassador? Are we temperate in our consumption, eating and drinking in a way that glorifies Christ's presence? Are we free to give of our time and money to those with far less than we have?

The notion of being Christ's ambassador may be overwhelming. Yet, there is good news – God gives us the Holy Spirit. We become Christ's ambassadors to the degree that we allow the Holy Spirit to transform our lives. As it says in Psalm 51: A clean heart create for me, O God, and a steadfast spirit renew within me. Cast me not out from your presence and your Holy Spirit take not from me."

Lent can become a joyful season for us if we open our hearts and allow the Spirit to transform us. In his Letter to the Galatians, Paul reminds us that the fruits of the Spirit are love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control!

And so this season as we strive to become more fully Christ's ambassadors we also pray for a renewal of Christian joy in our lives: "Give me back the joy of your salvation and a willing spirit sustain within me" (Ps 51,14).

Have a blessed Ash Wednesday and a fruitful Lent.



CAMPION COLLEGE CHAPEL COMMUNITY

February 11, 2018

• World Day of the Sick •



LITURGIES

Weekday (Monday – Friday) Eucharist: 12:30 pm

Sunday Eucharist: 6:30 pm

Confessions: Sundays at 6:00 pm

Adoration: Thursdays from 11:20 am to 12:20 pm



MINISTRY TEAM

Father Jeffrey S. Burwell, SJ

Sarah Hanna

Campion College Peer Support Students

Father John O'Brien, SJ

Father John Meehan, SJ

Father Sami Helewa, SJ



When not otherwise occupied, you are always welcome to visit the chapel for personal prayer or reflection.

THIS WEEK'S LITURGY

World Day of the Sick

First Reading: Leviticus 13: 1-2, 45-46

Psalm: You are my refuge, Lord; with deliverance you surround me.

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31 – 11:1

Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

NEXT WEEK'S LITURGY

First Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Genesis 9:8-15

Psalm: Your paths, Lord, are love and faithfulness
for those who keep your covenant.

Second Reading: 1 Peter 3:18-22

Gospel: Mark 1:12-15



THIS WEEK IN CAMPUS MINISTRY

Monday February 12, 2018	Daily Eucharist	12:30 pm
Tuesday February 13, 2018	Daily Eucharist	12:30 pm
Wednesday February 14, 2018	+ Ash Wednesday Eucharist +	12:30 pm
Thursday February 15, 2018	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Daily Eucharist	11:20 am 12:30 pm
Friday February 16, 2018	Daily Eucharist	12:30 pm
Sunday February 18, 2018	Confessions Sunday Eucharist	6:00 pm 6:30 pm

MARDI GRAS PANCAKE LUNCH

Campion College and Luther College invite you to the Mardi Gras Pancake Lunch. For only \$10 per person, you can indulge at the annual feast of multi-coloured pancakes, sausages, fruit, coffee and tea. The event takes place on Tuesday, February 13 from 11.30 am until 1 pm.

Tickets can be purchased from Jenny MacDonald (3rd Floor Campion) during business hours or from Fr. Jeffrey S. Burwell, SJ by reaching him in Office 103 or by email at jeffrey.burwell@uregina.ca anytime.

Only 30 tickets remain for for this great kickoff to Lent! Donations are accepted for those wishing to feed a hungry student at this lunch.

ASH WEDNESDAY AND LENT

All students, staff, and faculty are invited to the Ash Wednesday service this Wednesday at 12:30 pm. It is the official start to Lent, and we mark it by receiving ashes on our forehead and hearing the words, "Remember you are dust, and to dust you will return..." It is a sober reminder that we are called to continual conversion, focusing only on Jesus and his will in our lives.

Please pick up a pamphlet called *Living Lent 2018* before leaving the liturgy tonight. It will give you insight into the history of Lent, the ways that we as Catholics are called to keep it, and what we might do in terms of penance. This is a intense and important time of the year, and 40 days of prayer can do a lot—embrace the opportunity.

RACHEL'S VINEYARD MINISTRY: SPRING RETREAT

Are you hurting because of an abortion? Rachel's Vineyard is a safe place to renew and redeem hearts broken by abortion. Weekend retreats offer you a supportive, confidential environment where both women and men can express and release painful post-abortive emotions to begin the process of renewal and healing. Our next retreat in Saskatchewan will be held on April 6 to 8, 2018.

Please contact Elaine at 306-480-8911 or r.vineyardsk@sasktel.net for more information or to register.