

REFLECTIONS

"THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT"

FIRST READING :- Exodus 20:1-17

The Ten Commandments are a series of apodictic laws, i.e., laws that impose a command directly on a person to perform some action that the legislator judges to be desirable.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM : You, Lord, have the words of eternal life.

SECOND READING :- 1 Cor 1:22-25

To the Jews who seek signs and to the Greeks who seek wisdom the crucified Christ is unintelligible, but for believers Christ is the power and wisdom of God.

GOSPEL :- Jn 2:13-25

To the Jews who witnessed Jesus' cleansing of the temple and asked for a sign from heaven to justify his action Jesus gave the sign of his resurrection.



चात्तीसों का तीसरा इतवार

पहला पाठ: निर्गमन-ग्रन्थ 20: 1-17

सिनाई पर्वत पर ईश्वर ने यहूदियों को यह बताया कि वे उसके साथ और अपने पड़ोसी के साथ कैसे व्यवहार करें। येशु ने बाद में पड़ोसी के साथ व्यवहार के विषय में कहा, "जैसे मैं तुम लोगों को प्यार किया है, वैसे ही एक दूसरे को प्यार करो।"

अनुवादक:- हे प्रभु! तेरे ही भावों में अनन्त जीवन का संदेश है।

दूसरा पाठ: कुरिथियों के नाम पत्र 1: 22-25

मसीह ने ईश्वर होते हुए भी दीनतापूर्वक क्रूस पर मर कर संसार के लिए मुक्ति का मार्ग खोल दिया। यह रहस्य बहुतसे लोगों की समझ में नहीं आ सकता है। इस लिए सन्त पीलुस कहते हैं कि बहुतसे लोग मसीह का दुःखभोग मूर्खता समझते हैं।

सुसमाचार: सन्त योहन 2: 13-25

येशु यहूदियों को यह चिन्ह देते हैं-इस मन्दिर को ढा दो और मैं इसे तीन दिन के अन्दर खड़ा कर दूंगा। यहूदी नहीं समझते हैं कि येशु सह-बात अपने भारीर के मन्दिर के बारे में कह रहे हैं। उनके पुनरुत्थान के बाद शिश्य समझ गये और उन्होंने धर्मग्रन्थ पर विश्वास किया।

सुसमाचार: मारकुस 1: 12-15

निर्जन प्रदेश में येशु मसीह की परीक्षा ले ली गयी थी। इसी तरह हर मनुष्य को ईश्वर और संसार में से एक को चुनना पड़ता है। हम चाहें तो ईश्वर के प्रति ईमानदार रह सकते हैं और संसार के कल्याण के लिए कार्य कर सकते हैं। ईश्वर का राज्य अब निकट है-ईश्वर हमारा सहयोग चाहता है।

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READINGS OF THE WEEK

09 Mon 2Kgs 5:1-15, Lk 4:24-30
10 Tue Dan 3:25,34-43, Mt 18:21-35
11 Wed Deut 4:1,5-9, Mt 50:17-19
12 Thu Jer 7:23-28, Lk 11:14-23
13 Fri Hos 14:2-10, Mk 12:28-34
14 Sat Hos 6:1-6, Lk 18:9-14

CATHEDRAL Calling

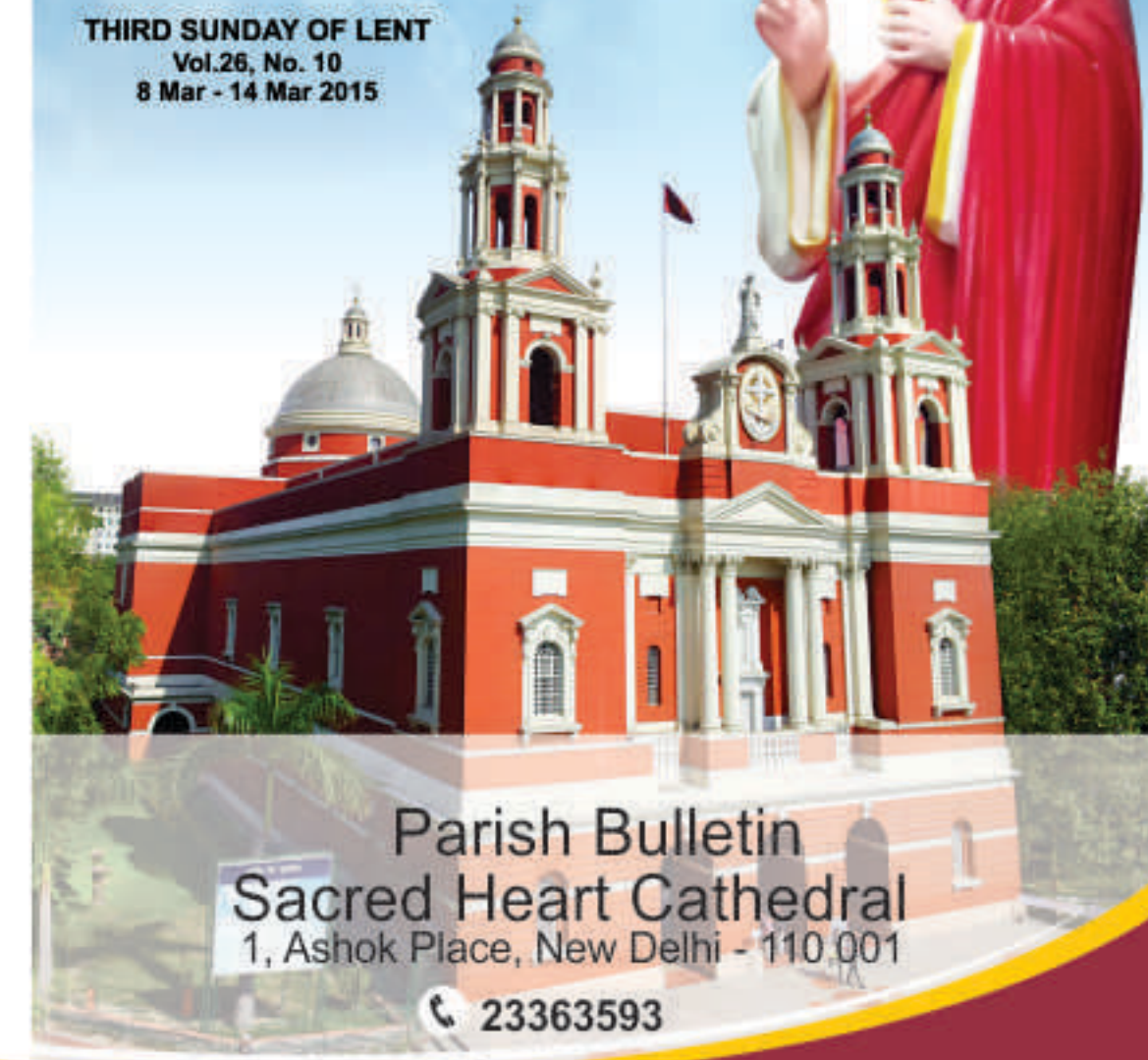
"GO, AND SIN NO MORE!"



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WINTER MASS TIMINGS

SATURDAYS:

Cathedral : 6.00 p.m. Sunday Anticipated Mass (English)
(Weekday Masses at 6.30 a.m., 1:00 p.m. and 6.00 p.m.)

SUNDAYS:

Cathedral :	06.30 a.m.	—	English
	07.30 a.m.	—	Malayalam
	09.00 a.m.	—	English
	10.15 a.m.	—	Hindi
	11.30 a.m.	—	English
	04.00 p.m.	—	Hindi
	06.00 p.m.	—	English
Carmel :	07.30 a.m.	—	Hindi
Mater Dei :	07.30 a.m.	—	Hindi
ISI :	07.30 a.m.	—	Hindi

Apostolic Nunciature : 07.30 & 10.00 a.m.—English

REFLECTION:

The liturgy of the Third Sunday of Lent begins by acknowledging God's holiness and his claim on us that we belong to him. It recognizes the fact that we are his own people, and must live in a way that reflects his holiness. God offers us the gift of faith as our path towards holiness. Challenges are always with us, difficulties surround us. However the more we long, desire and develop a personal and ultimate relationship with Jesus Christ as our best friend, there is absolutely nothing that we cannot face and overcome. Indeed we become the "power and the wisdom of God". Our first reading tells about the covenant God made with Israel by giving them Ten Commandments to live by. God gave them to Moses so that his chosen people will live by the norms given by him. In the gospel Jesus reacts with anger to abuses in the Temple, which he perceives as the violation of the covenant and shows himself as the Lord of the Temple. He drove the traders out of the Temple and predicted that he himself would be the Temple of the new people of God. In our second reading, Paul calls us to embrace divine wisdom though the world may see it as foolishness. He tells them that we preach Christ crucified. He tells them that God's weakness is greater than human strength.

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STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

As is the usual custom of the church, we will have the Stations of the Cross on all Fridays at 5 pm in Hindi and at 6.30 pm in English. We request all of you to take part in these special Lenten devotions to experience the tremendous mercy and compassion of God, Our Loving Father. We also earnestly urge you to be generous in your contributions during the Lenten days as it will be used for the campaign against hunger and disease.

DAYS OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE

Ash Wednesday; Good Friday. Abstinence becomes mandatory from the age of 14, and the law of fasting binds those who have attained their majority (18 yrs) until the beginning of their sixtieth year.

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पल्ली सूचनाएँ

कूस का रास्ता

दुख-भोग काल में हर भुक्कवार भाम 05:00 बजे चर्च में हिन्दी में और 6.30 बजे अंग्रेजी में कूस रास्ता होगा। कूस रास्ता के दौरान मुखमरी और विमारी के विरुद्ध अभियान के सहयोग के लिए चन्दा लिया जाएगा।



सपोर्ट फन्ड

प्रत्येक रविवार को चर्च सपोर्ट फन्ड आप काथोलिक एसोसिएशन के सदस्यों के पास जमा कर सकते हैं। चर्च को सपोर्ट करना प्रत्येक परिवार का कर्तव्य है जब आप पारिश ऑफिस में आते हैं तो अपना फमिली कार्ड साथ में लाये।

इस महिने की दिल्ली वाणी और वॉइस ऑफ देल्ली उपलब्ध है।



*"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you."*