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Choosing Music for the Liturgy during Lent

There are three criteria for selecting music to use in the liturgy: the liturgical judgment, the musical judgement and the pastoral judgment.

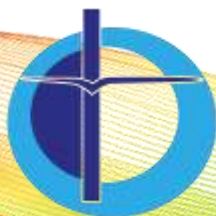
The season of Lent, focuses on the themes of prayer, fasting, almsgiving, self-denial and reconciliation with God and neighbour. These characteristics can be found in the prayers and readings for each day of Lent. Therefore, in terms of the liturgical judgment hymns with these themes relate directly to the liturgy of the day during Lent.

The musical judgment asks the question: “Is this good music?” Such a judgement takes into consideration whether the music can be easily taught and learnt, and if it repeats musical phrases too many times.

The pastoral judgement takes into consideration the abilities of the people in the community. During Lent, it may be wise to repeat some of the hymns so that people will become familiar with them and sing them more confidently.

We have written hymns for Ash Wednesday and the five Sundays of Lent, which can be found after the list of music suggestions.

On the Third, Fourth and Fifth Sundays of Lent, parishes with RCIA candidates will celebrate the Scrutinies and music suggestions for those Sundays are given below. Music suggestions for the Year A Readings are also included, because the Year A Readings accompany the Scrutinies on those Sundays. The Year A hymn suggestions are highlighted in yellow in the music lists.



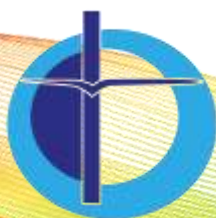
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ABBREVIATIONS AND WEBSITES

AOV1	As One Voice (Volume 1)
AOV2	As One Voice (Volume 2)
CWB	Catholic Worship Book (out of print)
CWBII	Catholic Worship Book II
GA	Gather Australia (out of print)
HG	Hymns for the Gospels (available from www.giamusic.com)
IH	Introit Hymns for the Church's Year (available from www.giamusic.com)



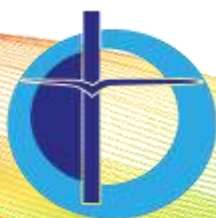
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Ash Wednesday - Year C
(Wednesday 2 March 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamation: CWBII #58

Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
Again, we keep this solemn fast				285		158	
Ashes		16			209		
Be reconciled as one	162						
Bring us back to you, O Lord our God			629	287			
Create in me a clean heart, O God				478	40		
Forgive our sins			680				
Forty days and forty nights				288			
From ashes to the living font				289			
God of mercy and compassion			692	290	302		
Grant to us, O Lord			698	291	303		
Hear us, almighty Lord (<i>Attende</i>				292			
Hosea (<i>Come back to Me</i>)	30		715		213		
May this Lenten Discipline			746	295			
O Father, I know I can count on Your			762	122			
O Lord, Your Mercy does extend							14
Return to God				298	304		
The Glory of These Forty Days			825	301			



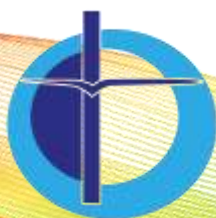
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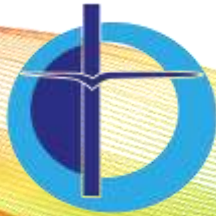
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First Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 6 March 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamation: CWBII #54

Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
Again we keep this solemn fast				285			
Ashes		16			209		
Be not afraid	114			653	449		
Be with me, Lord (Cox)					52		
Be with me, Lord (Haugen)			627	286	53		
Be with me, Lord (Joncas)	116						
Blest be the Lord	179				458		
Father of Mercy, God of Consolation			670				
Forty days and forty nights				288			
From ashes to the living font				289			
From the River to the Desert						54	
Grant to us, O Lord			698	291	303		
Hear us, almighty Lord (Attende Domine)				292			
Lord Jesus, As we Turn from Sin			735	294			
May this Lenten Discipline			746	295			
O God, Creator of Us All			764	296			
O Sun of Justice, fill our hearts				178	2		
On Eagle's Wings	153			654	452		
Return to God				298	304		
The Glory of These Forty Days			825	301			
Tree of Life				300	307		
When they call in tribulation							15



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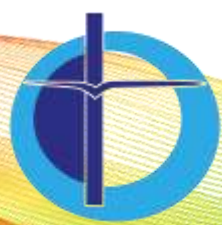
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Second Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 13 March 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamations: CWBII #54; CWBII #55

Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
Christ is the World's Light			643	467			
Eye Has Not Seen	146				466		
From ashes to the living font				289			
God, Your Glory we have seen in Your Son			695				
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty			712				
Jesus, take us to the Mountain						131	
Lord, be my Vision			733	455			
My heart declared to You, O Lord							16
O God, Beyond all praising				566			
O Raise your eyes and see				434			
O Sun of Justice, fill our hearts				178	2		
Open my eyes	166			582			
Praise to You, O Christ our Saviour	28			587	407		
Seek, O seek the Lord			802	595	211		
The Glory of These Forty Days			825	301			
The Lord is my light (Willcock)		73	594	481	28		
There's a wideness in God's mercy			838	624			
'Tis Good Lord to be here				435			
Tree of Life				300	307		
We Remember	81				446		



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Third Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 20 March 2022)

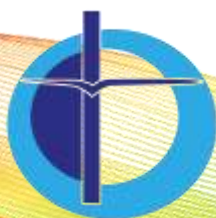
Suggested Gospel Acclamations: CWBII #55 (Year A Readings)

CWBII #56 (Year C Readings)

If you are celebrating the Scrutinies then you need to use the readings for Year A. The hymns highlighted in yellow relate to the readings for Year A.

First Scrutiny (After the homily):

- Invitation to Silent Prayer
- Intercessions for the Elect
- Prayer of Exorcism
- Hymn: *God to enfold you (CWBII #96) or*
I heard the voice of Jesus say (table)
- Dismissal of the Elect (CWBII #89-91)



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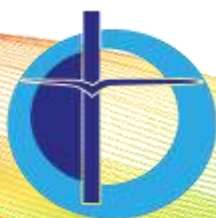
Third Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 20 March 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamations: CWBII #55 (Year A Readings)

CWBII #56 (Year C Readings)

Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
As the deer longs	120				38		
Christ is made the sure foundation			640		482		
Come to the Water (Andersen)	74			473			
Come to the Water (Foley)					403		
From ashes to the living font				289			
God of Mercy and Compassion			692	290	482		
Grant to us, O Lord			698	291	303		
Hear us, almighty Lord (<i>Attende Domine</i>)				292			
I heard the voice of Jesus say	54			512	468		
Jesus, in your heart we find			724	397	464		
My eyes are fixed on God (both Year A and Year C)							17
O God, Your People Gather			768	574			
Return to God				298	304		
Sing praise to the Lord all our days			810	602			
Sovereign Maker of All Things						136	
The thirsty cry for water, Lord						157	
The God of Abraham Praise				617			
There's a wideness in God's mercy			838	624			
Tree of Life				300	307		



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Fourth Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 27 March 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamations: CWBII #60 (Year A Readings)

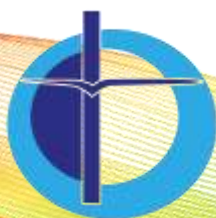
CWBII #56 or CWBII #59 (Year C Readings)

If you are celebrating the Scrutinies then you need to use the readings for Year A. The hymns highlighted in yellow relate to the readings for Year A.

Second Scrutiny (After the homily):

- Invitation to Silent Prayer
- Intercessions for the Elect
- Prayer of Exorcism
- Hymn: God to enfold you (CWBII #96) or
I heard the voice of Jesus say (see table)
- Dismissal of the Elect (CWBII #89-91)

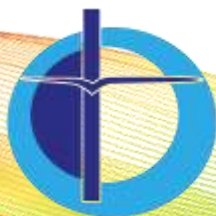
Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
Amazing Grace	29			450	437		
A New Heart for a New World	158			477			
Because the Lord is my shepherd	66						
Bring us back to you, O Lord our God			629	287			
Christ, be our Light		3		540	404		
Christ is the world's light			643	467			
Church of God			652	471	480		
Far From Home We Run Rebellious						86	



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Title	AOV1	AOV2	CWB	CWBII	GA	HG	IH
Forgive our sins as we forgive			680	120			
From ashes to the living font				289			
Gather us together	111						
God of mercy and compassion			692	290	302		
I want to walk as a child of the light				514			
Lord Jesus, as we turn from sin			735	294			
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling			740	552			
Love is His Word			743	553			
No Sign to us You Give						123	
Open my eyes	166			582			
O Father, I know I can count on Your Mercy			762	122			
Our Father, we have wandered.			784	297			
Out of darkness	134				504		
Praise the One who breaks the darkness				584			
Rejoice, Jerusalem! And come (both Year A and Year C)							18
Rejoice, the Lord is King (both Year A and Year C)			799	377			
Strong and Constant	110		812	515			
Table of Plenty		20					
Take up your cross				612			
The Light of Christ	186		826		405		
The Lord is my Light (Willcock)		73	594	481	28		
The Lord is my shepherd	26		830	619	506		
The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want	144		833	620	473		
There's a wideness in God's mercy			838	624			
Tree of Life				300	307		
Yes, I shall arise			867	648			



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Fifth Sunday of Lent - Year C

(Sunday 3 April 2022)

Suggested Gospel Acclamation: CWBII #60 ((Year A Readings))

CWBII #58 (Year C Readings)

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Second Scrutiny (After the homily):

-Invitation to Silent Prayer

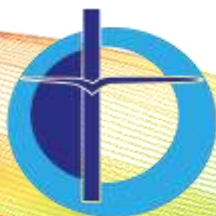
-Intercessions for the Elect

-Prayer of Exorcism

-Hymn: God to enfold you (CWBII #96) or

I heard the voice of Jesus say (see table)

-Dismissal of the Elect (CWBII #89-91)



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Bring us back to You, O Lord our God			629	287			
Create in Me (O'Brien)				478	40		
Forgive our sins as we forgive			680	120			
From ashes to the living font				289			
Give judgment, Lord my Saviour (both Year A and Year C)							19
Grant to us, O Lord			698	291	303		
Hear us, almighty Lord/ Attende Domine				292			
Help Us Forgive, Forgiving Lord						17	
I am the Bread of Life	49		718	509	204		
Lift high the Cross				537			
Martha, Mary, Waiting, Weeping						102	
O Father, I know I can count on your mercy			762	122			
O Sacred Head, Surrounded			776	330	335		
Sing praise to the Lord all our days			810	602			
Take up your cross				612			
There's a wideness in God's mercy			838	624			
Tree of Life				300	307		
When I survey the wondrous cross			862	329	330		