

## Communion Reflection

It was at the very moment Peter recognised his sinfulness, that Christ challenged him to become a fisher of men. Peter knew that the only thing he could rely on was the word and the power of Jesus Christ.

We must not be put off by our weaknesses, or make an excuse out of them for doing nothing. Rather, we must learn to turn them to our advantage. Listen to how Paul did this.

'Though I could boast, I won't. It's true that I've had revelations, but to stop me from getting too proud, I was given a thorn in the flesh. Three times I pleaded with the Lord to take it away, but he said: 'My grace is enough for you: my power is at its best in weakness.

So, I am not only content with my weaknesses, but I have actually learned to boast of them, for it is when I am weak that I am strong, because then the power of Jesus Christ is available to me.

Please take me home to read

**Scripture Readings**  
**Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time**  
**Sunday 14 February**  
**Cycle C**  
**Jeremiah 17:5-8**  
**Resp. Psalm: 1:1-4, 6**  
**1 Corinthians 15:12, 16-20**  
**Luke 6:17, 20-26**



**As part of their European tour, Saint Anselm College Choir, from Manchester, New Hampshire will sing at 11h30 Mass on Sunday, 28 February, here at St. Anthony's. The choir, under the direction of Fr Bede Camera OSB, perform some of the great classics of Christian civilisation, including Gregorian Chant, Palestrina, Vivaldi, Bach, Mozart, Schubert, Mendelssohn and Tallis in addition to some of the finer contemporary works. Directly after Mass the choir will give a short concert and we hope parishioners will make time to stay on to hear our special guests.**

The creche in the Parish Centre is open during both Masses today

## PARISH NOTICES

Friday 26th February will see the inaugural "Friday Night is Music Night" event. It will be an informal evening of music, with a chance to 'perform' for those that wish to, or just sit and listen with a drink if you prefer. Start time will be 20:30 in the church hall. If you want a 10-minute 'performance slot', and need accompanying, please bring your music with you! More details from Nigel Ward.

**The GiFT (Growing in Faith Together) home group meet every Wednesday evening in Tervuren. Contact Chris 0495 344707 or Daniel 0487 616455.**

Parents!

Please join us on Sundays at 9h00 when your children are in R.E. classes. We meet in the Parish Centre.

**Confirmation students next session is Saturday, 27 February at 16h30.**

**Stations of the Cross**

During the season of Lent, we will have Stations of the Cross every Friday from 19 February - 26 March, starting 18h30 and followed by a supper of soup and bread.

**A big thank you to all the stallholders at the Spring (I said, Yes, didn't I?) Brocante and to all our parishioners who came out and supported, in spite of the very un-Spring like snow. We raised €360 for the Church Fund and had great fun.**

**Parish Fayre Meeting**

Monday, 8 February at 19h30 in the Parish centre.

We start to make preparations for our Parish Fayre which is on Sunday, 13 June. Old and new faces most welcome to join this friendly group.

For more details contact yvonnenielsen@telenet.be or just turn up on the evening. We look forward to seeing you.

**Project Compassion, Youth Compass**

**From 2-11 April there is a trip to Romania for teenagers between 14-19 years old. The purpose is to provide service to the poor in the village of Taut. It is a week of physical labor and fellowship. Registration is open now and is on a first come, first served basis.**

**If you are interested in joining this worthwhile project, please contact Vince Cozzone for a registration form at v.cozzone@skynet.be.**

## MASS TIMES

Saturday - 18.00 hours

Sunday - 10 & 11.30 hours

Also at 19.15 at 19 rue le  
Corrège, 1000 Brussels.

Notre-Dame des Grâces,  
Franciscan Church at 2 Chant  
d'Oiseau, Tuesday evenings at  
18.30hrs

Here at St. Anthony's Wednesday  
evenings at 20.00 hours (in the  
Church) and Friday mornings  
11.00 hours (in the Oratory) when  
a priest is available.

Please telephone to confirm.



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SUNDAYS - NO APPOINTMENTS  
EMERGENCIES ONLY



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9.00-13.00 and 14.00-17.00.

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## GENERAL NOTICES

### FROM TALLIS TO TAVENER

A concert of choral & organ music through the ages, with the Choir of the Most Holy Redeemer, Billericay & James Devor, Organ Scholar, Brentwood Cathedral. The concert is in aid of the International Community of St. Dominic, in Belgium & the Brussels International Catholic School and takes place on Friday, 19 February at l'Eglise St Dominique, av Renaissance 40. For booking details see posters in Parish Centre and Church.

### FCJ CENTRE OF SPIRITUALTY

1. Couples Day Retreat: Saturday, 27 February - 10.00 - 15.00
2. Women's Retreat: Saturday, 27 March - 10.00 - 15.30
3. Art and Spirituality: Sunday, 21 February - 15.30 - 17.30
4. Introduction to Dream work: Saturday, 13 March - 10 - 16.00

Further information/booking for items 1 & 2 contact Vivian Johnston at [viviananddanielj@gmail.com](mailto:viviananddanielj@gmail.com) and for 3 & 4 contact [fcj@fcjcentre.be](mailto:fcj@fcjcentre.be) or telephone 0477734551

### Valentine's Fundraising Dinner

Good food, music and speaker Harvey Thomas addressing the theme *Love in Action*. Friday, 12 February at 19h45. Tickets €25. Bookings-0479 281651 or [Africanenterprisebelgium@telenet.be](mailto:Africanenterprisebelgium@telenet.be) or see poster in parish centre for more details.

## St. Anthony's Parish 'Words'

### Fifth Sunday of Ordinary

Time - Cycle C

7 January 2010

### Entrance Antiphon:

Come, let us worship the Lord.  
Let us bow down in the presence  
of our maker, for he is the Lord  
our God.

### Isaiah 6:1-8

Resp.Psalm:137:1-5.7-8.

1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Luke 5:1-11

### Response to Psalm v 1

Before the angels I will bless  
you, O Lord.

### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia! I call you  
friends, says the Lord, because  
I have made known to you  
everything I have learnt from  
my Father. Alleluia!

### Communion Antiphon:

Happy are the sorrowing; they  
shall be consoled. Happy those  
who hunger and thirst for what  
is right; they shall be satisfied.



Coffee and doughnuts available  
after both Masses today.



The charity collection at all Masses  
this weekend is in aid of the *Fonds  
Pastoral*, for the lay workers in the  
diocese.