



Fourth Sunday of Lent March 15, 2026

SEEING THE LIGHT

Our Lenten journey continues this Sunday as we hear of Jesus healing a blind man in the Gospel of John. Jesus proclaims himself the light of the world, a light that overcomes darkness and enables a new capacity to see. The man, blind from birth, was able to begin his path to sight by first acknowledging his blindness. We are reminded of God’s ongoing invitation to us to journey from blindness to sight. We begin by acknowledging our own capacity for “blind spots,” and so open ourselves to uncomfortable truths and to God’s healing. We are invited to see beyond appearances, as the reading from Samuel indicates, and to look into the heart of things. We are invited to “live as children of light” as the letter to the Ephesians teaches. Like the man healed from blindness, we may gradually learn to see fully and to follow Jesus.

CATHOLIC PRAYER CORNER

Prayer in Time of Sadness and Grief

O God of compassion,
your people are in pain.

Send your Holy Spirit among us

to dispel the fear that accompanies grief.

We cry out to you in our confusion;

comfort us in our affliction.

Help us to travel this road of grief and sadness

with our eyes fixed on the salvation

promised us through the death and resurrection

St Patrick’s Day Lunch Fundraiser in Lexington on Tuesday, March 17th, from 10:30AM-1:00 PM. Come enjoy a delicious meal and warm fellowship.

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading — As the prophet Samuel anointed David with oil, the spirit of the LORD rushed upon David

(1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a).

Psalm — My shepherd is the Lord; I shall not want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — You who were once darkness are now light in the Lord. Live as children of light (Ephesians 5:8-14).

Gospel — The man who was blind from birth proclaimed: The one called Jesus made clay with his saliva, anointed my eyes with it, and told me to wash. When I washed, I was able to see! (John 9:1-41 [1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38])

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Isaiah 65:17-21; Ps 30; G John 4:43-45

Tuesday: Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; Ps 46; G John 5:1-16

Wednesday: Isaiah 49:8-19; Ps 145; G John 5:17-30

Thursday: 2 Samuel 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89; Romans 4:13, 16-18, 22; G Matthew 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Luke 2: 41-51a

Friday: Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22; Ps 34; G John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Saturday: Jeremiah 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3; G John 7:40-53

Sunday: Ezekiel 37:12-14(34A); Ps 130; Romans 8:8-11
G John 11:1-45 or 11:3-7, 17, 20-27, 33b-45

the 2026 Annual Catholic Appeal has started

Please complete your pledge card, indicating your gift or pledge to our diocesan church. If you do not have a card It is important for all of us to participate in order to support our diocesan church. The envelopes for those needing one are at the front by the statue of Christ

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Catholic Relief Services
March 15, 2026

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MARCH 29TH --EASTER SUNDAY-----

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WEDNESDAY LECTORS

MARCH 4TH CHERI
MARCH 11TH MARY

LIGHT AND SHADOW

In faith there is enough light for those who want to believe and enough shadows to blind those who don't

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