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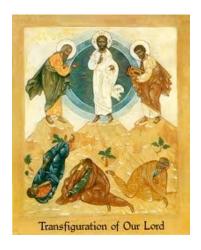
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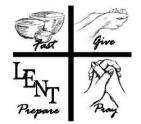
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MARCH 20, 2011 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT "A"



First Reading: Genesis 12:1-4

Psalm - # 33

Second Reading: 2 Timothy 1:8-10:

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

Next Sunday -March 27th - Third Sunday of Lent "A"

First Reading: Exodus17:3-7

Psalm - # 95

Second Reading: Romans 5:1-2, 5-8

Gospel: John 4:5-42

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT "A" – Today's gospel is about Jesus' transfiguration on the mountain in front of three of his disciples. Jesus' face shone like the sun and his clothes became dazzling white. Then they saw Moses and the prophet Elijah talking with Jesus. Then they heard a voice from he cloud say to them: "This is my Son, the Beloved; I am well pleased with him; listen to him!" When the disciples heard this they became afraid and fell to the ground. When they looked up, they saw no one, only Jesus. Going down the mountain, Jesus told them not to tell anyone about this until he had risen from the dead.

TODAY, WE WELCOME FATHER MIKE MCCAFFERY as usual.

Thanks Father for being with us.

FEAST DAY THIS WEEK

FRIDAY, MARCH 25th - Solemnity - ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

This feast is celebrated nine months before Christmas. We remember how the angel Gabriel appeared to Mary to announce that she would become the mother of God made man, the mother of the long awaited Messiah. After asking the angel hoe this can be, she accepts by telling the Angel: "I am the servant of the Lord. Let it be done to me according to your word." Then Mary became pregnant with Jesus through the power of the Holy Spirit. And this is the feast we celebrate on this day.

God loves you as much as if you were His only child.

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