Holy Cross Catholic Community

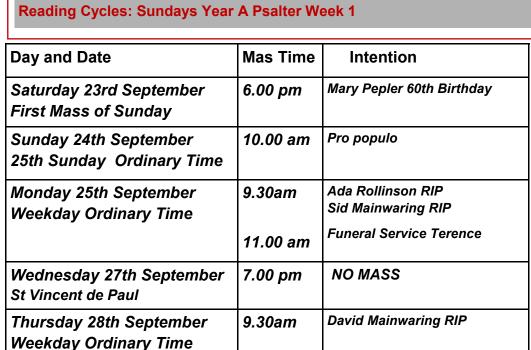
'A family for all cultures to nurture disciples of all ages'

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24th September 2023 25th Sunday Ordinary Time Reading Cycles: Sundays Year A Psalter Week 1



9.30 am

12 noon

6.00 pm



Recently Died

All Souls whose names are entered in our Book of Remembrance and all victims of war & violence
Our family & friends whose anniversaries occur around this week

Eternal rest grant unto them

R. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in Peace. Amen

Pray for the Sick of the Parish

Heavenly Father, look with mercy on the sick of our parish community and help them in this time of sickness, Restore them to health, we pray, Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for personal prayer and silent Adoration on weekdays 30 minutes before the Mass.

Friday 29th September

St Jerome

Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael

Saturday 30th September

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First Mass of Sunday

Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person, More considerate towards others, More honest with myself, more faithful to you.

Make me generous enough to want sincerely to do your will whatever it may be. Help me find my true vocation in life and grant that through it I may find happiness in myself and bring happiness to others. Grant, Lord, that those whom you call to enter the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life, may have the generosity to answer your call, so that those who need your help may find it. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen

First Holy Communion 2024:

Sue Jones Sp Intention

Breanna & Bernice Biju

Carl & Julie 50th Wedding Anniversary Blessing

Thanksgiving

Parents please give names to Avril or Jodie.

Sacrament of Confirmation 2024:

Any candidates; please give names to Anne Hacche.

Classes for First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be each Sunday after Mass

MISSION APPEAL

Holy Ghost Fathers make the Annual
Mission Appeal on the weekend of 30th
September. Please support the
Missionaries with the second collection.
Thanks

Parish Bank Details for your Offering

Name: Gendros Parish A/C NO: 90264630 Sort Code 55 -61 -20

Last weekend Offering £ 390

Many Thanks

NEXT WEEKEND COLLECTION FOR Holy Ghost Fathers and their missionary work. Please support.

Parish Hall available for hire.
Please contact on 01792586454

When those who had started about five o'clock came, each received the usual daily wage.

Christ,
you know everyone:
each one's, wants, and needs.
What
will be
your call
to the vineyard,
to the place of grace,
where you heap the fortune
of everlasting life and love on us?
Thank you for your wonderfully constant
call to each of us to work and
live among your vines.





The Cycle of Prayer: During Autum i.e. from September to Christ the King, we are asked to pray for these intentions: The Spread of the Gospel; Students and Teachers; The Harvest; the fruits of Human work, and the Reverend Use of Creation; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners and their Families.

Ministers of the Word Weekend 30th September / 1st October

Saturday 6.00 pm

First Reading Christine
Second Reading Shalini
Bidding Prayers Sharon

Sunday

First Reading Steve M
Second Reading Anto
Bidding Prayers Steve J

Church Cleaning

Week beginning:

25th September Justine & Marian 2nd October No clean 9th October Teresa & Team

Ministers—if you cannot attend or need to change your rota, please let us know by contacting Donna (07745947773)



October—Month of the Holy Rosary

'All the idle moments of one's life can be sanctified, thanks to the rosary. As we walk the streets, we pray the rosary hidden in our hands or in the pocket; as we are driving an automobile, the little knobs under most steering wheels can serve as counters for the decades. While waiting to be served at a lunchroom, or waiting for a train, or in a store or walking in the gardens—all these moments can be sanctified and made to serve inner peace, thanks to a prayer that enables one to pray at all times and under all circumstances'. Venerable Fulton J Sheen

"Faith should be transmitted in dialect, and we received it in dialect from our mothers and grandmothers. Evangelism often begins this way: with simple, small gestures, such as parents helping their children learn to talk to God in prayer and telling them about His great and merciful love." Pope Francis

For Hospital Calls

Morriston Canon Jason :07792003905 Singleton Fr Clement: 07459335606 Gorseinon Fr John :07306533030 Call-out Fr Saji :01792 424107

CAMPAIGN TO INCREASE PARISH INCOME

1. GIFT AIDED DONATIONS - EVERY £ 1.00 YOU GIVE MEANS 28p EXTRA FOR THE CHURCH

2. STANDING ORDERS @ GIVING THIS WAY CUTS DOWN ADMINISTRATION COSTS

@ GIVING THIS WAY FACILITATES BETTER LONG-TERM PLANNING

This is the ONE and ONLY time that BISHOP MARK will make this essential Appeal