Holy Cross Catholic Community

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28th January 2024 Fourth Sunday Ordinary Time Reading Cycles: Sundays Year B Psalter Week 4

Day and Date	Mass Time	Intention	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 O Lord 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.
Saturday 27th January First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm		
Sunday 28th January 4th Sunday Ordinary Time	10.00 am		
Monday 29th January Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am		
Wednesday 31st January St John Bosco	NO MASS		
Thursday 1st February Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am		
Friday 2nd February Presentation of the Lord	9.30 am	Catheryn & David Rees RIP	
Saturday 3rd February Weekday Ordinary Time	12 noon	Par Hacche RIP	
Saturday 3rd February First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm		

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for personal prayer and silent Adoration on week days 30 minutes before the Mass. Confessions on Saturdays from 11 to 11.50 am.

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

THE HOLY FAMILY

O Holy Family, bless and protect all the families of the world; safeguard their unity, fidelity, integrity and dignity. Enable them to live according to God's law that they may fulfil their sublime vocation. May their lives be a reflection of yours and may they enjoy your presence forever. Amen Holy Family, we consecrate ourselves and our

family to you. May we be completely united in a love that is lasting, faithful and open to the gift of new life. Help us to grow in virtue, to forgive one another from our hearts, and to live in peace all our days. Amen

Parish Bank Details for your Offering

Name: **Gendros Parish** A/C NO: 90264630

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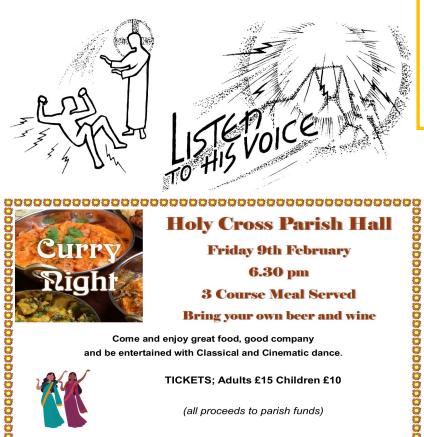
Last weekend Offering £ 337

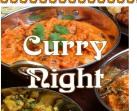
Many Thanks

Parish Hall available for hire. Please contact on 01792586454

The people were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes.

> Dear God, our hope is that you will amaze us; win us with your words; spellbind us with your love. And let us, with you, cast out unclean spirits from this world: human trafficking, gun violence, homelessness, climate crisis, racial bias, poverty, greed, war. Make the unclean spirits obey you, in our small efforts





Holy Cross Parish Hall

Friday 9th February 6.30 pm

3 Course Meal Served Bring your own beer and wine

Come and enjoy great food, good company and be entertained with Classical and Cinematic dance.

TICKETS; Adults £15 Children £10

(all proceeds to parish funds)



See Pam, Jean or Donna for tickets.

Ministers of the Word Weekend 3rd / 4th February

Saturday 6pm

First Reading Luke Second Reading Karen Trish Bidding Prayers

Sunday 10.00 am

First Reading Biya Second Reading **Delta** Bidding prayers Breanne

Church Cleaning

Week beginning:

22nd January No clean

29th January Justine & Marian

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5th February No clean

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

TO YOU MOTHER MARY

Now, Mother, once more take the initiative for us, in these times rent by conflicts and laid waste by the fire of arms. Turn your eyes of mercy towards our human family, which has strayed from the path of peace, preferred Cain to Abel and lost the ability to see each other as brothers and sisters dwelling in a common home." "To you we entrust and consecrate our lives and every fibre of our being, all that we possess and all that we are, forever. To you we consecrate the Church, so that in her witness to the love of Jesus before the world, she may be a sign of harmony and an instrument of peace. To you we consecrate our world, to you we consecrate especially those countries and regions at war."

> "Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world" Nelson Mandela

While I am away for Hospital calls

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Singleton Fr Clement: 07459335606

Gorseinon Fr John 07306533030

For any other emergencies

Canon Michael Flook: 07552601501