TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading Cycle C
Page 152 in the New Red Mass Book
Psalter Week 1
Sunday 19TH OCTOBER

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MASSES AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

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SAT	18 TH OCT	TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME World Mission Sunday	6.30pm	Evangelisation of peoples
SUN	19 TH OCT		10.00am	Paul Treseder R.I.P Members of the St Patrick's Choir Past and Present
MON	20 TH OCT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	
TUES	21 ST OCT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Paul Treseder R.I.P
WED	22 ND OCT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Sick of the Parish
THURS	23 RD OCT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	
FRI	24 TH OCT	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	
SAT	25 TH OCT	THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	6.00pm	Six Welsh Martyrs
SUN	26 TH OCT		10.00am	Paul Treseder R.I.P

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK, ANNIVERSARIES AND THOSE WHO HAVE RECENTLY DIED:

Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Paul Treseder (brother of Anne from the Piety Stall) also Adrian Gill who was a long serving teacher in Mary Immaculate High School and Lynette Patricia White May they rest in eternal peace.

This week we also pray for Peter Perez (1980), Doris May Campbell (1982), Marion Lawler (1983), Brogan Darlington (1988), Francisco Campos (1989), Richard Alderman (1991), Julia Butcher (1992), Len Blackburn (2001), Frances Donovan (1991), Alice Robinson, George Driscoll (1992), Peter Tanti (1994), Hilda Sullivan (1997), Peter Green, Dwain Coulthard (2000), Beryl Dwyer (2001), James Evans (2002), Theresa Harding (2004), Elizabeth Driscoll (2007), Peter Fury (2018), Leonard Day (2019), Anthony Marasco (2014), Harry Lucas (2018), Gloria Karvouniaris (2019), Denis Murray (2022), Rosa Alba Attanasio (2024), whose anniversaries we remember at this time.

We pray for those in our families or in our Parish Community who may be sick, housebound, worried or in need. We ask that the love of the Lord be with them during the coming week. To all our parishioners who are indisposed we ask that they may receive every grace and blessing.

<u>CANDLES</u> You can buy a 7 day candle (£5.00) which will be left at the Sacred Heart or Our Lady's Altar for the duration of a week. T-lights are 20p each. Please put your money in the box on each stand.

CHANGE OF MASS TIMES: FROM SATURDAY 25TH OCTOBER THE SATURDAY EVENING MASS WILL BE AT 6.00PM

REMINDER: THE CLOCKS GO BACK ON SUNDAY 26TH OCTOBER - NEXT WEEKEND

WEEKDAY MASSES FROM THIS MONDAY WILL BE IN THE SACRISTY.

<u>CHRISTMAS EVENT:</u> Plans are being put into place to have another Christmas Event in the Pavilion. Like last year it will be a ticketed event, because we are restricted in numbers, but entry is free. We will be having a Raffle but we already have a number of prizes. However, if you would like to donate money instead of Raffle items this would be gratefully received. The Raffle tickets will be on sale from next week and the Event tickets from the beginning of November. More information over the coming weeks.

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER FROM ARCHBISHOP MARK IS AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE

NOVEMBER ENVELOPES These are now available at the back of the Church. Please put your envelopes containing the names of those you would like remembered during the month of November in the basket at the front of the Church.

MISSIO: I will be collecting Red Boxes from 1st November until the beginning of December. This will be the final collection for 2025. If I am not present at Mass, please leave your Red Boxes in the Sacristy and not at the back of Church. Please continue to support Missio in your prayers and with your donations. Thank you. Gerry McCarthy - 02920650330

REGISTRATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES HAS NOW CLOSED. Please would Parents who have enrolled their children look out for e-mails from Mary Taylor which will give information about the Parent's meeting and next steps. Please reply to the e-mails so that Mary knows that they have been received. Attendance at weekly Mass is a requirement. Attendance forms as well as a Prayer sheet will be given out at the first meeting. The forms will need to be signed by Mary Chris or Renata so we have a record of Mass attendance.

ROSARY: The Rosary will be prayed before Daily Mass during the month of October

DEANERY MEETING SUMMARY FOR SEPTEMBER MEETING AVAILABLE ON THE PARISH EVENTS BOARD.

DONATING TO THE PARISH ONLINE: Please see the link on the Home Page on the Parish website www.stpatrickscardiff.co.uk

<u>OLD SPECTACLES/ GLASSES:</u> THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA are collecting any old prescription spectacles/glasses. There is a box at the back of the Church.

<u>VOLUNTEERS NEEDED</u> for Children's Liturgy on a Sunday morning during the Liturgy of the Word. Volunteers will need to have Safeguarding checks (DBS) and will receive guidance and training. We would like to have at least 9 people that we can rotate in groups of 3. The sessions will be for Primary age children. Please see Chris for more information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: This seems to be the forgotten Sacrament. We all from time to time do things that we regret: unkind words, being thoughtless, times we have strayed from the path that Jesus would wish us to follow. The list is endless. This Sacrament is a chance to put things right in the eyes of God: to wipe the slate clean, if we are truly sorry. But how often do we really see the importance of saying sorry. Reconciliation means putting things right, being on the same page as someone, not at odds. God waits for us to be reconciled with Him. Take the opportunity. Just tell Canon Mike that you would like to receive this Sacrament.

<u>PARISH WEBSITE</u>; This is updated every day. There is the reading for the day, and a reflection, the latest newsletter, times of Masses and the focus is on the Rosary as October is the Month of the Holy Rosary. Find out more, <u>www.stpatrickscardiff.co.uk</u>

<u>MASS INTENTIONS</u> At the back of the Church there are envelopes for you to put your donation and the details of when you would like a Mass and for whom. Please indicate if the person is deceased. Please put your envelope in the Offertory Bag or the Brown Box at the back of the Church.

SAFEGUARDING: Helplines on the Parish Website Homepage and on the Parish Noticeboard A First Aid Box is kept in the Sacristy.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? Please let the Hospital know that you are a Catholic and would like a visit from the Chaplain. If you are a relative and would like the Catholic Hospital Chaplain to make a visit please leave the name of the person you want them to see and the Ward details if possible. When you ring the Chaplaincy 02921 843230 please leave your contact details so that they can contact you.

HOUSEBOUND COMMUNIONS: If you know of a parishioner wishing to receive Holy Communion please contact Canon Mike.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS: October 12th £ 622.89

WEEKLY MESSAGE FROM CANON MIKE

During our week-day Masses this past week we've heard Jesus castigating the "High & Mighty',' those who during His earthly life tried to lead a "Double Life" NOT practicing what they preached, not giving good example. They sought the recognition and prestige of the Office they held within their Faith Community.

In one of the Gospels this week we hear that Jesus had been invited to the home of a leading Pharisee for a meal, but the Pharisee noticed He had not washed before sitting down Jesus turns to him and says:

"You Pharisees clean the outside of cup and plate, while inside yourselves you are filled with extortion and wickedness.._You people who consider yourselves important, worry about the wrong things thus overlooking having justice for the poor... Remember I've watched you taking the places of honour in the Synagogues, wearing fancy garments and being greeted obsequiously in the market place..."

A warning indeed for those who have been called to lead the People of God on the journey to the Promised Land. This is a .. Wake up call "to the Cardinals, Bishops Priests and Religious and all who profess to follow Jesus.

You may recall me talking about the "Red Bishop" from Brazil, Hélder Câmara who fought for justice for the indigenous people of Brazil. After feeding the people, he started to ask those in authority "Why are these people going without food and justice?" Because he heard the voice of God, as Moses had thousands of years before . . . "Go and tell them Let My People Go'', he became to those in authority within both the Church and State, an Agitator but to those who were suffering, a true Disciple, a Leader, Ready, Willing and Able to lead .

May we pray for all those who hear the call of the Lord and who lead us on our spiritual journey towards the Heavenly Kingdom, and I ask you to remember me as well. There are times when I fail both you and the Lord and sometimes feel inadequate and ineffective but I know that it was the Lord who called me.

So each new day I must let go of the past and move forward letting go of the old man and so becoming more Christ like .



