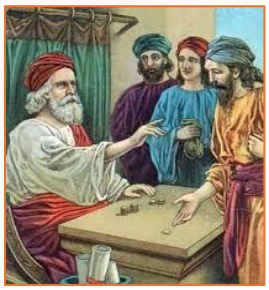
THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reading Cycle A
Page 155 in the New Green Mass Book
Psalter Week 4
Sunday 15th NOVEMBER 2026

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MASSES AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

SAT	14th NOV	THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME	6.00pm	Spiro Abela R.I.P George Gould R.I.P Phyll, Abbie and Alex Cohen R.I.P
SUN	15TH NOV		10.00am	
MON	16th NOV	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Joseph Moore R.I.P November Remembrance List
TUES	17th NOV	ST ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY	10.00am	Fr Ieuan Wyn Jones R.I.P November Remembrance List
WED	18th NOV	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Albert Hall R.I.P November Remembrance List
THURS	19th NOV	Weekday in Ordinary Time	10.00am	November Remembrance List
FRI	20th NOV	NO MASS		
SAT	21st NOV	SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING	6.00pm	Parishioners who have died during the year
SUN	22ND NOV		10.00am	

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

Let us pray for the repose of the soul of Richard McCarthy who passed away recently. May he rest in eternal peace,

This week we also pray for Margaret Mahoney (1980), Mary Ryan (1981), Henrietta Martin, William Tracey (1985), Dominic Hayes (1986), Marian Williams (1987), Gwendoline Murphy, Albert Hall (1989), Winifred Hutchins (1990), John Page, Kevin Cruise (1993), Archbishop John Murphy (1995), Fr Thomas Dunne (2001), Monica Seal, Louis Sultana Antonia Taliana, (2005), Fr Ieuan Wyn Jones (2010), Fr Philip Dwyer (2011), Thomas Gibson (2012), Kelly Miles (2015), Anne Giles (2018), Gloria Karvouniaris, Joseph Foley (2019), Sean Kemble (2020), Nicholina Mallia (2022), Josephine Reece (2023), and all 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.

CANDLES 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. **This week candles will be lit for William Dora**

PARISH CHRISTMAS EVENT: This will be on **Sunday November 29th after the 10.00am Mass.** It will be in the Grange Pavilion. It is free, but will be a ticketed event as numbers as restricted. Chris will be taking names this weekend . **Raffle tickets will be on sale.** £1.00 a strip. (Main Prizes : £100, £75, £25 plus lots of other prizes.)

ADVENT RETREAT FOR SECONDARY PUPILS: 5th Dec 10.00-4.00pm St David's College. See Poster on Board and scan QR code to register.

NOVEMBER; MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE: There are envelopes at the back of the Church for you to place the names you would like remembered during this month. Please place your envelopes in the basket near the altar.

RED BOXES: MISSIO I will be emptying Missio Boxes for 2026 starting from this weekend until 20th December. Please leave boxes, in my absence, in the Sacristy – not at the back of the Church. Thank you for your support to Missio. Gerry McCarthy.
NOVEMBER ARCHDIOCESAN NEWSLETTER: See on the Parish Website

RELICS OF ST GERALD MAJELLA : St David's Cathedral Wednesday 18th November. See poster on the Events Board.

CROSS OF WALES: Please see Poster on the Event's Board at the back of the Church.

REGISTRATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: THIS IS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN YEAR 8 AND ABOVE. PLEASE COLLECT A REGISTRATION FORM FROM CHRIS GERMAN.

PIETY STALL: Come and look at our Christmas Stock…. Cards, candles stocking fillers. LOTS!!

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION. Anyone who would like to receive this Sacrament please the priest after any of the Masses. There are guidance leaflets at the back of the Church.

"THE CHOSEN" is a groundbreaking, multi-season historical drama series about the life and ministry of Jesus of Nazareth, seen through the eyes of those who met him. Download the link https://watch.thechosen.tv/ and start at series 1. Well worth watching.

SUNDAY SERMON FROM BISHOP ROBERT BARRON: See the link on the Parish website. These are thought provoking and only last about 14-15 minutes.

MASS INTENTIONS 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.

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

GOING INTO HOSPITAL? 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 Ward details if possible. Chaplaincy 02921 843230 Please leave your contact details.

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

WEEKLY MESSAGE FROM CANON MIKE

TV Channels are full of talent shows, but sadly the people who appear often lack 'talent'. There are those who think they can sing and others feel the urge to tell jokes. I just take the remote control and switch them off. It's a pity they don't hide their so called 'talents' under a bushel, allowing the likes of you and me a peaceful evening.
All of us have a talent, a gift, a charism. These talents should not be hidden under a bushel but brought out and shared with the Community. They are the gifts from God which could, if used properly, benefit our brothers and sisters.
There are people who can sing and they bring joy to those who hear them. Every time I hear Sinatra, Pavarotti or Ronnie Drew of the Dubliners, Michael Patrick thanks God for their talent and the glorious gift of music. When I hear comedians bringing joy and laughter into peoples' lives, I thank God that they use their gifts to make the world a brighter place in which to live.
So ask yourself " What is my talent, my gift?"
How can I use this God given talent to build up this Parish, here in Grangetown?. Sadly in each of us there is a Selfish Gene, an attitude of mind where I only wish to live within my own little bubble, excluding all others. There are two words that sum up many people, not only within the Church, but also within our fragmented world. ……" Selfish and Apathetic". Both are detrimental to our society .
Being " Apathetic and Selfish" is so negative and defeatist but being a follower of Christ, is one who follows the road of Humility, Service and Joyfulness.
By withholding our gifts, the Lord is saddened by our selfish attitude.
" The man who received five talents , made five more. The same with the two talents. But the man with one talent dug a hole and hid it. "
" Well done, my friend. You have used your talents and made me, your friend happy"
But to the one who hid his talent in the ground " My friend. You've displeased me for not using your talent. Don't be selfish"
So this week, break free from the yoke of Apathy and Selfishness. Even if it's a simple smile, use it, don't hide it. But if you can't sing, or tell a joke properly, save us.!"

Have a pleasant week.

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