

TODAY'S MASS

18th October 2020

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

Cf. Ps 16: 6, 8

To you I call for you will surely heed me, O God;
turn your ear to me; hear my words.
Guard me as the apple of your eye;
in the shadow of your wings protect me.

THE COLLECT

Almighty ever-living God,
grant that we may always conform our will to yours
and serve your majesty in sincerity of heart.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

FIRST READING

A reading from the prophet Isaiah

45:1.4-6

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus,
whom he has taken by his right hand
to subdue nations before him
and strip the loins of kings,
to force gateways before him
that their gates be closed no more:

It is for the sake of my servant Jacob,
of Israel my chosen one,
that I have called you by your name,
conferring a title though you do not know me.
I am the Lord, unrivalled;
there is no other God besides me.
Though you do not know me, I arm you
that men may know from the rising to the
setting of the sun
that, apart from me, there is nothing.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

PSALM

95:1.3-5.7-10. R.v7

R) Give the Lord glory and power.

O sing a new song to the Lord,
sing to the Lord all the earth.
Tell among the nations his glory
and his wonders among all the peoples. (R)

The Lord is great and worthy of praise,
to be feared above all gods;
the gods of the heathens are naught.
It was the Lord who made the heavens. (R)

Give the Lord, you families of peoples,
give the Lord glory and power,
give the Lord the glory of his name.
Bring an offering and enter his courts. (R)

Worship the Lord in his temple.
O earth, tremble before him.
Proclaim to the nations: 'God is king.'
He will judge the people in fairness. (R)

SECOND READING

A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians
1:1-5

From Paul, Silvanus and Timothy, to the Church in Thessalonika
which is in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ; wishing
you grace and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus
Christ.

We always mention you in our prayers and thank God for you
all, and constantly remember before God our Father how you
have shown your faith in action, worked for love and persevered
through hope, in our Lord Jesus Christ.

We know, brothers, that God loves you and that you have
been chosen, because when we brought the Good News to you,
it came to you not only as words, but as power and as the Holy
Spirit and as utter conviction.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

Phil 2:15-16

**You will shine in the world like bright stars
because you are offering it the word of life.
Alleluia!**

GOSPEL

Matthew 22:15-21

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Glorify to you, O Lord.

The Pharisees went away to work out between them how to trap
Jesus in what he said. And they sent their disciples to him,
together with the Herodians, to say, 'Master, we know that you
are an honest man and teach the way of God in an honest way,
and that you are not afraid of anyone, because a man's rank
means nothing to you. Tell us your opinion, then. Is it permissible
to pay taxes to Caesar or not?' But Jesus was aware of their
malice and replied, 'You hypocrites! Why do you set this trap for
me? Let me see the money you pay the tax with.' They handed
him a denarius and he said, 'Whose head is this? Whose
name?' 'Caesar's' they replied. He then he said to them, 'Very
well, give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar – and to God
what belongs to God.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Grant us, Lord, we pray,
a sincere respect for your gifts,
that, through the purifying action of your grace,
we may be cleansed by the very mysteries we serve.
Through Christ our Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Cf. Ps 32: 18-19

**Behold, the eyes of the Lord
are on those who fear him,
who hope in his merciful love,
to rescue their souls from death,
to keep them alive in famine.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Grant, O Lord, we pray,
that, benefiting from participation in heavenly things,
we may be helped by what you give in this present age
and prepared for the gifts that are eternal.
Through Christ our Lord.



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Sunday 18th October 2020

Date & Place	Time	Mass Intention	Feast
Saturday 17 th	SJ 5pm	People of the Parish	Vigil, 29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 18 th	SJ 9am OLL 10:30am	Frank Butterfield (A) Susan Coll (LD)	29 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday 19 th	SJ No Mass		Weekday in Ordinary Time
Tuesday 20 th	OLL 7pm	Dead List	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday 21 st	SJ 9:30am	Rita McCormack (LD)	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Thursday 22 nd	SJ 7pm	Chris Quinlan (LD)	St John Paul II
Friday 23 rd	OLL 9:30am	Dead List	Weekday in Ordinary Time
Saturday 24 th	OLL 9:30am SJ 5pm	Michael Rochford (LD) People of the Parish	Weekday in Ordinary Time Vigil, 30 th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday Confessions: On request

Offertory: £517.45 Standing Orders: £381.18 CAFOD Envelopes: £50.90 Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Offerings received: Rita McCormack (LD), Michael, Rochford (LD)

Please Pray for the Sick: Peter Connor, Lorna Lynch, Stephen Hanson, Maureen Conor, Abby Carter, Sarah Howell, Catrina Farnell, Bill Forde, Sheila Scott, Luke Yates, Maureen Simpson, Kathryn Inman (Allen), Maria Andrews, Josie Butler, Betty Emmett, Ann Loiacono, Mary Connolly, Kathleen Lunney-Walsh, Matthew Goulden, Amy Knowles, Rita Watson, Chris Brady, Paula Williams, Emma Harling, Kathleen Drake.

Mass Offerings: If you would like to have a Mass offered for a friend, family member or any other special intention/occasion, please write your intention on an envelope with your offering enclosed and leave it in the collection basket or through the Presbytery letterbox at St. Joseph's. Thank you.

Rest in Peace: Please pray for the repose of the souls of all who have died recently, especially for Rita McCormack and Kathleen Foster. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Contactless Card Payment Machine: You can now donate to the Parish by card. At St Joseph's the machine is by the baptism font on the way out of Church after weekend Masses. At Our Lady of Lourdes, the machine will be on the table by the entrance.

St Joseph's Piety Stall: We are seeking a volunteer to take over the ordering of goods for the stall. Please see Margaret, a member of the team or Fr Tony if you can help.

A reminder that 1 ticket for Mass will cover 2 people from the same household, and 2 tickets will cover a family of 3 or more. When filling out the Mass booking form for more than one in a household please indicate the names of all people attending, using the forename and surname fields.

World Mission Sunday: Sunday 18th October is World Mission Sunday and retiring collections will be taken at the end of the masses this weekend in support of this appeal. Please give generously if you can.

Buildings Management Update: Thank you for all of the support you've given to our building projects/maintenance. Every little bit helps! The estimate for the new boiler at St Joseph's should hopefully be in soon so that work can commence on installing it as soon as possible. Thank you for your continued support.

The Good Shepherd Centre has received a generous grant to help extend their services. They are opening a 'pop-up shop' on a short term contract in the Keighley Airedale Shopping Centre at the beginning of November. They need volunteers from our deanery parishes to support this project. Call 01535 608 639 for more information.

November Dead List November is the month during which Catholics around the world remember and pray for the dead. One traditional devotion is the November Lists. Everyone is invited to record the names of those in their family, or close friends, who have died and whom they would like to have remembered on the November Dead List Masses throughout the coming year. Brown envelopes are available in both Churches (at St Joseph's they'll be by the exit and at OLOL on that table at the back) for you to write the names of those you'd like remembered and to enclose an offering. Please return them in the collection basket or through the presbytery letterbox at St Joseph's over the next few weeks.

RCIA: The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) programme will be starting up again on Wed 21st October 2020 at 7.30pm to 8.30pm, albeit in a digital way via Zoom due to Covid 19. This weekly programme is in conjunction with the parish of Our Lady of Victories and St. Anne and is for those who are interested in becoming Catholic. If you are interested in joining, please email Fr Tony and let him know. For those who would like to become Catholic, but for whatever reason are unable to join this group, Fr Tony is also available to offer one to one instruction if that is preferable.

A reminder that 1 ticket will cover 2 people from the same household, and 2 tickets will cover a family of 3 or more. When filling out the form, please indicate the names of all people attending, using the forename and surname fields. It does not matter which fields you use to indicate the names of attendees. Some examples (apologies if patronising!): Example 1: Ada Smith on her own. One ticket required. Fill out forename "Ada" and surname "Smith".

Example 2: Ada and Bob Smith (same household): One ticket required. Fill out forename "Ada & Bob" and surname "Smith".

Example 3: Ada, Bob, and 3 children (same household): Two tickets required. Ticket 1: Fill out as above for the first ticket. Ticket 2: Fill out forename "Charlie, Deb, and Ed" and surname "Smith".

Video Mass from St Joseph's:

Video Mass will continue for those who are still unable to come to Mass.

As usual, you will receive a separate email when this week's video link is available. You can also subscribe to the Parish YouTube channel to be notified when new videos are available. You can do this from any of the Parish videos, by clicking on the red 'SUBSCRIBE' button.

The Media Production Team have now recorded and produced nearly 30 hymn videos, which are used to supplement the weekly video Masses. These are available to view, listen to, and share on the Parish YouTube channel, as well as in the Videos Album on Facebook.

Prayer of St Alphonsus (The Prayer of Spiritual Communion):

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this Holy Sacrament of the altar.

I love you above all things and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,

come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. *Amen.*

If you enjoy singing and have missed singing in Church, and would like to add your voice to the upcoming hymn videos, please get in touch with Hayley Nolan, hayleylouisenolan@gmail.com

We are a friendly bunch, all volunteer Parishioners, and of mixed musical abilities. This blend of all singing abilities is part of why it sounds so natural, so please don't be thinking that you need to be a solo virtuoso.

Thank You: To all of those who have begun contributing by standing order and those who have dropped off their envelopes. It is very much appreciated.

Zoom Coffee Meeting: A weekly event at 12:30pm on Sundays. The idea is to add a social outlet from home, sort of replicating the post-Mass coffee on a Sunday at OLL. It is open to all parishioners, and anyone who wants to join in please email Chris (the host) at 2issott@gmail.com to receive a Zoom invitation. Chris is also happy to assist people if they have some IT literacy but haven't used Zoom before.

Parish Bulletin: If you are not currently on the list but would like to receive this newsletter by email, it is now easy to sign up yourself via the Parish website. The sign-up form is on the front page if you scroll down a little.

Our Parish Online: Much more parish information is on our website, and Facebook page (see link above).

Intercessions for 29th Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

World Mission Sunday

Priest:

Loving Father, we have faith and hope in your help and mercy. In confidence, we bring to you our prayers and petitions.

Reader:

For the Church: that God will strengthen us in the face of trials and hardships so that we may remain faithful disciples each day. (pause) Lord hear us...

For the grace to surrender ourselves completely to God, who heals all weaknesses. (pause) Lord hear us...

We pray for missionaries around the world on this World Mission Sunday. May they be given the grace to continue their fruitful work. (pause) Lord hear us...

For those who are sick; that the Lord will grant them healing and peace. (pause) Lord hear us...

For all who have died: that they may be shown God's divine mercy as they approach the throne of grace. We especially remember Kathleen Foster and Rita McCormack. (pause) Lord hear us...

In a moment of silence, let us pray for our own intentions. (pause) Lord hear us...

Let us ask Mary to pray with us and for us as we say, Hail Mary...

Priest:

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gifts you have abundantly given us as we ask you to hear the prayers we bring before you today. We make these and all our prayers through Christ our Lord.

All

Amen