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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

23 October 2022

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Please remember in your prayers all the sick and housebound, especially: Tom & Joyce McGowan, Heidi Howson, Audrey Rodgers, Sylvia Hayden, Janette Taylor, Leonard & Mary Cooper, Sonia Prince, Fr Michael O'Connor, Reece Wilson, Jason Barron, Liz Moran, Elizabeth Dodson, Pat Collett, Eunice Mannion, Madge Wolstenholme, Sue & Frank Rodgers, Andy Mitchell, Eileen Valance, Marie Montgomery, John Carroll, Lol Hodges, Rita & Vin Todd, Georgina Shirt, Maria Tarnowski, Elizabeth Barron, Martin Humphreys, Susan De Couto, Jacqueline Wagland, Sr. Teresa Paschal, Tom Bryant. *If you would like anyone included on this list, and the individual concerned or a family member has consented to it, simply write the person's name down and hand it in. Thank you.*

The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at altars in Rome for the following intentions: Brendan Lynch, Ints. of Marie O'Hara, Mgr Peter Moran, Leanne Wainwright, Ints. of Kathryn & Tony Brodrick, Ints. of Louise George (27 Oct), John, Margaret & Francis Kerrigan (29 Oct), Benny Redmond (1 Nov), Deceased of St Joseph's Parish (2 Nov), Deceased of St Charles Parish (3 Nov), Ann Downs (4 Nov).

This week St Joseph's Sanctuary Lamp burns for:

The sick & the dying

This week St Charles' Sanctuary Lamp burns for:

Peace in the world

Please pray for all who have died recently & for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

Last week's collection was £682.81 (£356.00 in offertory envelopes, £326.81 in loose). The second collection for the World Mission Sunday was £290.66. Many thanks for your continuing support.

29 & 30 October, there is a **second collection** for our annual parish Mission appeal, in which we are asked to support the work of the Spiritan Fathers in their Missions in Africa and Asia. Fr Ugo Ikwuka CSSp, the Provincial Superior of the Holy Ghost Fathers, will be speaking at all the weekend Masses.

We will offer a **Mass of Commemoration of the Dead** on **Saturday, 12 November**, at 10.00am **for those who have died from March 2020 onwards, and their bereaved families and friends**. In order to help commemorate people, you could bring a photograph (preferably framed) or some other personal memento that can be displayed during this Mass. This commemoration is for anyone, not just members of our parishes or other Catholics. Many people could not, for example, attend the funerals of dear friends, due to the limit on numbers or the restrictions surrounding travel, especially abroad. If you would like the name of someone who has died during this period to be added to this Mass then please e-mail or hand it to our deacon, Simon, in writing before then. Tea & Coffee will be served afterwards in the school hall. All are welcome.

APF Red Mission Box: The boxes are now due to be emptied so please bring them to Mass with you and hand them into the sacristy. New contributors are of course always most welcome. Thank you to all our current box holders and the volunteers who count the monies. **N.B.** The empty boxes can be collected from the narthex.

There will be a **second collection** for the **Sick and Retired Clergy** of the diocese on the weekend of **12 & 13 November**.

Registration for First Holy Communion 2023: Applications for children (who started in Year 3 or above at school this September) to celebrate their First Holy Communion in 2023 are now being invited. If I am away then please speak with our deacon, Simon, after Mass for the registration form. *All applications should be received and completed by Sunday, 27 November.* I kindly remind parents that your support and active encouragement are vital in helping your child's faith to grow, most especially in regularly attending Sunday Mass. Christian parents are called to teach our children all they need to know about how to live on earth so that they may come to eternal life in heaven. **N.B.** There are some changes to next year's programme and how we will celebrate this important event. Please see the parish website.

Streets of Light '*As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord*' – this is an original Sheffield initiative that offers an alternative to Halloween:. Our homes can be a powerful witness: a beacon of hope in our neighbourhoods. Streets of Light invites you to shine in your local area by creating a window display celebrating light, hope and love from 24 to 31 October. You can visit www.streetsoflight.co.uk for more information.

Tuesday, 1 November, the solemnity of **All Saints** is a *Holyday of Obligation*. **N.B.** There will only be one Mass at 10.00am on the day. Other times at different churches are: the cathedral at 8.00am, 12.45 & 5.30pm, St Bede's, Rotherham at 7.30pm and Our Lady of Lourdes & St Theresa's as announced.

The **Blessing of Graves & Prayers for the Dead** will take place in the cemetery following the 10.00am Mass on **All Souls Day**, Wednesday, 2 November.

November Memorial Dead List 2022 – 2023: Beginning in November we offer Masses for the Parish November Memorial Dead List throughout the year. If you would like to enrol a loved one on the list so that they will be included in these Masses, please write the names of your deceased family, friends and benefactors, and put it, together with your offering, into an envelope marked 'Dead List.'

We could still do with some **Sacristans for the Saturday Vigil Mass**. A sacristan puts out what is needed for Mass and clears everything away afterwards (it is not as onerous as it sounds). If you are interested and would like to know more then please speak with our deacon, Simon.

The Sacred Liturgy

<p>Saturday 22 October <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i></p>	<p>5.00pm For the People</p>
<p>Sunday 23 October <i>30th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>8.45am Roy Dyson 10.00am Sheila Armstrong</p>
<p>Saturday 29 October <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i></p>	<p>5.00pm Louis Rice & Family</p>
<p>Sunday 30 October <i>31st Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>8.45am For the People 10.00am Leanne Wainwright</p>
<p>Tuesday 1 November <i>The Solemnity of All Saints</i></p>	<p>10.00am John de Rouffignac</p>
<p>Wednesday 2 November <i>Commemoration of All Souls</i></p>	<p>10.00am November Memorial Dead List <i>followed by the Blessing of Graves</i></p>
<p>Saturday 5 November <i>Vigil Mass of Sunday</i></p>	<p>5.00pm Patrick Gallagher</p>
<p>Sunday 6 November <i>32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>8.45am For the People 10.00am Mary Phelan</p>
<p>Friday 11 November <i>St Martin of Tours</i></p>	<p>10.00am Intentions of the Lynch Family</p>
<p>Saturday 12 November <i>St Josaphat Vigil Mass of Sunday</i></p>	<p>10.00am A Commemoration of the Dead 5.00pm Ray Brolly</p>
<p>Sunday 13 November <i>33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Remembrance Sunday)</i></p>	<p>8.45am For the People 10.00am G & F Beaumont & Zaira Zerbetto</p>