THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

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MASSES AND SERVICES FOR THE WEEK

SAT	12 TH	NOV	THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.30pm	William John Smith (Smithy)
SUN	13 TH	NOV	REMEBRANCE SUNDAY	<mark>9.30 am</mark>	Those who died and those still suffering through Warfare and Violence.
MON	14 TH	NOV			
TUES	15 th	NOV	REQUIEM MASS	12.45pm	DENIS MURRAY
WED	16 th	NOV	NO MASS		
THURS	17 TH	NOV	NO MASS		
FRI	18 TH	NOV			
SAT	19 ^{тн}	NOV	SOLEMNITY OF JESUS CHRIST,	6.30pm	
SUN	20 TH	NOV	KING OF THE UNIVERSE	10.00am	People of the Parish who died during the year

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

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.

We also pray for, Guzeppi Karvouniaris, Thomas Evans, Ellen Bradbury, Mary Camilleri, Canon Tom Phelan, Monica Seal, Sean Kemble, Antonia Taliana, Anne Giles, Gloria Karvouniaris, Albert Hall, Kelly Miles, John Page, and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Do not forget to pray for all those who have died and for their families, particularly those who have no-one to remember them. Let us pray for the repose of the souls of Denis Murray, Amelia Halligan, Betty Casella and Bahia Feal who died recently. May they rest in eternal peace

<u>CANDLES</u> You can buy a 7 day candle which will be left either at the Sacred Heart and Our Lady's Altar for the duration of a week. The charge will be £5. This week's candles will be lit for Jane Daly, Francis Micallef, Bahia Feal and a Special Intention If you choose to light a T-Light (20p each) please start from the top row down on the votive stands and light them with care.

SICK AND RETIRED CLERGY: Over the next 10 years just under half of all our diocesan priests will reach retirement age. Parish Priests generally retire from the administrative burden of Parish life at the age of 75, often having given 40-50 years of service to the community, but there are several who go on serving well after this time. The cost of care gets more expensive as the years go on, and this year, the cost of everything is on the way up. The Retiring Collection for this Intention will be NEXT WEEK. There are envelopes for your donation if you wish and you may also like to Gift Aid your donation. (There are forms at the back of the Church)

SYNOD-- NEXT STEPS: Archbishop Mark is very keen to hear from people in each Parish about our response to the Synod. For the next three weeks you will have a few questions regarding this. Please take a little time to give it some thought and then you can put your filled-in sheets in the Brown Box at the back of the Church. The Parish response last time was brilliant. Thank you in advance.

"WALK WITH ME" ADVENT Bks These have a forward by Archbishop Mark and are on sale as you come into Church . £1.00.

DIARY FOR MASS INTENTIONS: The diary for 2023 is now open. Please give your requests to Pat Johnson or Chris German.

NOVEMBER ENVELOPES: Envelopes for November the Month of Remembrance are available at the back of the Church. Please put the names of those you wish to be remembered in the envelope and put the envelope in the basket by the Paschal Candle.

<u>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY TODAY</u>. There will be a Remembrance Service in the Park at the War Memorial. This will start at 10.45 ish, just walk over after Mass. A Poppy Wreath from the Parish of St Patrick's will be laid on the steps of the War Memorial.

MISSIO RED BOXES - I will be collecting the Boxes from this weekend until the 2nd week of December for this financial year. Many thanks, Gerry McCarthy.

<u>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2023</u>: Parents who have registered their children to receive the sacraments should have received an email with further information. Please contact Mary Taylor <u>marystpatricksgrange@gmail.com</u> if you haven't received this email. Thank You

DOORS : Please remember to close the doors so that the cold wind does not blow through the Church. The side Porch doors are unlocked, for Health and Safety, and can be opened in case of emergency.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: As usual for those who wish to avail themselves of the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession), may do so at the END of each weekend Mass NOT before Mass.

PIETY STALL: New Christmas stock is in! Boxed Christmas Cards, Church diaries and Calendars.

Our Piety stall is open Before and After but not during Mass. There are lots of devotional aids and gifts and cards.

Please take care if you wish to look in the glass cases. There is a step !

<u>GOING INTO HOSPITAL</u> Cardiff & Vale Hospital Chaplaincy 02921 843230 (new number)

ONLINE DONATIONS: On the Home page of the Website is a link to enable you to donate directly to St Patrick's. Many of us are not using cash as much as we once were and if this is helpful please try it. Gift Aid can be automatically added with no cost to you. **GIFT AID** If you pay Income Tax, St Patrick's can collect Gift Aid with no cost to you at all. This is an extra 25p for every £1 you give. All you have to do is sign a consent form. Please consider this.

FACEBOOK : Friends of St Patrick's Grangetown -<u>www.stpatrickscardiff.co.uk</u> We now have a **Twitter** account. Please follow us: St Patrick's Church Grangetown @StPatsGrange.

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

<u>CHURCH COLLECTIONS:</u> Weekend 5th + 6th November £ 702/82

SAFEGUARDING: Please click on the link for Helplines and Information on the Parish Website Homepage.

PARISH WEBSITE Many people are unaware of what we have on our Parish Website. The Bible readings for the Day are uploaded each day together with reflections and there are links to various Masses on-line. The **OCTOBER** edition of the Catholic People Publication is also available and also the Caritas Bulletin for **NOVEMBER**. When text is underlined, click on that and it will give more information. This newsletter is there for you to read with details of the weekly Masses and Anniversaries, and ... Canon Mike's Weekly Message.

MESSAGE FROM CANON MIKE

Some people would say that I'm a gregarious type of person: affable, full of life. But there is another side: the contemplative, the reflective, the one who enjoys silence. Silence is important to me, It's a time when I can thinks, question and commune with the Lord.

Many people today are afraid of silence. It terrifies them. It's not part of everyday life.

There are times when the public are asked to remain silent, like last Friday, Armistice Day, 11th November: the day when the Guns became silent as WW1 came to its end.

Each year people are asked to remain silent for two minutes to remember those who died through conflict. Believers and non-believers alike observe this time of silence.

Sadly there are those who are unable to respect the dead with silence: they clap and cheer. This is becoming prevalent within Society, something I find hard to understand or accept.

You've heard me talk about the 'Holy Silence' at the start of the Mass. This is a time when the People of God assemble and acknowledge to the Lord and each other their past failures. We come from a crowded and noisy world into the 'Presence' of the Silent one who speaks through the stillness and quiet of the moment.

We have lost something over the years. We no longer respect the Silence, we've lost the sense of wonder and awe.

" Be still in the Presence of the Lord"

As we meet this coming Sunday, let us re-kindle what's been lost. Let us, as a mark of respect encounter the Loving Mercy of the Lord and remember those who have died, those who were unloved, along with those who still suffer physically or mentally in Silence. Our Act of Remembrance.

May they Rest in Peace



