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This week at the Cathedral

Sunday 28th 30th Sunday of Ordinary Time
 17:30 (Sat) Vigil: Brian Nutt (Sick)
 08:00 Mass: *People of the Parish*
 10:00 Mass: Paul Williams (RIP)

Monday 29th Weekday in Ordinary Time
 09:15 Mass: Maureen Fender (RIP)

Tuesday 30th Weekday in Ordinary Time
 09:15 Mass: Gary Lewis (Sick)
 11:15 *Funeral Service for Anthony Rosselli*

Wednesday 31st Vigil Mass: All Saints
 18:30 Mass:
November

Thursday 1st All Saints, Solemnity
 09:15 Mass:
 19:00 Mass

Friday 2nd All Souls
 09:15 Mass:
 19:00 Mass

Saturday 3rd Votive Memorial of Our Lady
 09:15 Mass: *Brian Nutt (Sick)*

Sunday 4th 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time
 17:30 (Sat) Vigil Mass:
 08:00 Mass: *Leighton Davies (RIP)*
 10:00 Mass: *Deceased members of the choir*

Ministries Schedule for the week.

	17:30	08:00	10:00
Euch. Min.	Rowena Cura Alan Cura		Anne Jones Dominic Nutt
Readers	Patrick Powell Gerard Holley	M Harris D Maddox	Grace Beaman Christine Nutt

The Cycle of Prayer: During the Ordinary Time (autumn) i.e. from September to Christ the King, we are asked to pray for these intentions:- the spread of the Gospel; students and teachers; the harvest; the fruits of human work and the reverent use of creation; justice and peace in the world; all victims of war; young people; prisoners and their families.

The Holy Father's General Intention for October: "That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalised, and those who have no voice."

Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person, more considerate towards others, more honest with myself, more faithful to You. Make me generous enough to want sincerely to do your will whatever it may be. Help me to find my true vocation in life and grant that through it, I may find happiness myself and bring happiness to others. Grant, Lord, that those whom You call to enter the priesthood, diaconate or religious life, may have the generosity to answer Your call, so that those who need Your help may find it. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Pray for them

Let us remember the sick in our homes & hospitals:

Bishop Daniel Mullins, Canon Seamus Cunnane, Deacon Tony Lawrence, Deacon Peter Hounslow, Teresa Williams, Ian Williams, Jean Davies, Brian Gabriel, Mary Church, Christopher Browne, Baby Estelle, Lee Ellery, Dixie Hale, Taylor Mai, Jeffery Jones, Heather Mitchell, Neil Andrew Francis, Nathan Jones,, Gary Lewis, Anne Kavanagh and all the sick. May the Lord lay his healing hands upon them.

Anniversaries: Graham Wilfred Martin; Paul Popham; Dennis Francis Patrick Powell; Anne Nora Hughes; Peter Popham; Kenneth John Taylor; Bernard Pitson; June Southwood Burke; Joan Hurford; Amanda Joyce Grove; Doreen Shill.



Sanctuary Lights:

- (1) In memory of **Kathryn Fisher**
- (2) **Thanksgiving LP**



Notices

October Devotions: Daily adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary after Morning Mass till 10:05am.

The Solemnity of All Saints (1st November) is a Holy Day of Obligation. Vigil Mass on Wednesday 31st November, Time 6:30pm. 1st November Masses. 9:15am and 7pm.

All Souls Day: The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed. Praying for deceased relatives and friends.

Masses; 9:15am and 7pm. For those who requested for votive candles for deceased relatives and friends, please come before the 9:15am to light the votive candle, if you are unable to light the candle, it will be lit on your behalf. The Cathedral will be opened all day. You can come in at any time of the day to pray.

November Dead List Envelopes: Please take an envelope and one of the dead list forms. Take time to remember all of the dead you wish to include on the list. Put the list and your offering in the Dead List Envelope. Masses will be offered throughout the month for those whose names are on the Parish Dead List.

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME Classes take place every Monday from 6 p.m. till 7 p.m. in the Parish hall. There will be no classes during the school holidays. Please ensure that you have registered and spoken to Canon Benedict before attending the classes.

Confirmation Class 2019: Course will commence 2nd week of November, registration is ongoing.

RCIA Programme: Meetings take place on Tuesday mornings, at 10:30 a.m. in the Library of Clergy House. Please inform those who are interested. This programme is also open to anyone wanting to learn more about their faith.

Celtic Cross/War Memorial Grant - We have secured a grant of £10,000 (*ten thousand pounds*) from CADW to support the preservation and repair of the Celtic Cross/War Memorial. The scope of the work includes; (1) cleaning of the Celtic Cross (weathering) and (2) War Memorial Lettering. The work will commence on or before 5th of November, estimated time for completion is six weeks. Many thanks to all who worked assiduously to achieve this goal. We are still are looking at the possibilities of getting grant for repairs of Cathedral external floors and landings.

Piety Shop: Christmas cards, calendars and diaries for 2019 now on sale.

Children's liturgy: Children's liturgy will only take place on the first Saturday of each month, starting in October. All Holy Communion candidates and their families will need to attend weekly Masses, sitting in the first 3 pews in front of the pulpit. The candidates must also sign the Register positioned at the front of the pulpit.

Halloween or "All Hallows Eve": While scary costumes remain the historical norm for Halloween, the advent of more sinister and violent times has seen a move towards many parents taking a gentler approach & choosing costumes of the saints, the poor souls or famous Catholics (such as the Pope, Mother Teresa or the like) which re-enforce the Christian side of Halloween's origins. As it is currently celebrated, the emphasis is on the demonic. It is not Catholic. It is not even Christian.

Your last week's offerings: £984.53.

Mission Sunday: £195.62

(Including Standing Orders and 2nd Collection)

PLEASE REMEMBER THE PARISH IN YOUR WILL

A warm welcome to those who have recently made the Cathedral their regular place of worship. It is a good idea to let your Parish Priest know your name and address so that he will know who, and where, you are. Furthermore, if you are already an Altar Server, Reader etc. and would be prepared to exercise your Ministry here, please speak to the Parish Priest.

Mass Intentions Received: Maureen Fender (RIP); Gary Lewis (sick); Brian Nutt (Sick); Deceased members of the choir; Michael Cooze (RIP)

Sanctuary Lamp Requests: Gary Lewis^{x2}; David Jones (RIP); Cheryl Davies (RIP).

Hymns for Sunday Liturgy

Opening Song	Christ be beside me	910
Preparation of Gifts	Amazing Grace	846
Communion	I watch the sunrise	956
Closing	Immaculate Mary	365

Choir Practice: our next rehearsal is:

- Monday
- New members always welcome. Please see Andrew after the 10:00 a.m. Mass or contact the Office.

Business Matters: For all official matters, please contact the Parish Office. Fr. Benedict is very happy to have informal chats with everyone after weekend Masses, but official matters are better discussed in the office.

From the Youth Group:

UPCOMING EVENTS
Dates for your diary

KAITLYN MILLIS
CHRISTINA TUOHY
MARIA TUOHY
CAMERON MILLIS

YOUTH RETREAT DAY: 10TH NOVEMBER
We will be hosting a youth day for the children of the church, which will be: "We are the Church"

HARVEST MASS: 21ST OCTOBER
If you could bring dried food to donate to the Missionaries of Charity, that would be greatly appreciated

THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING: 25TH NOVEMBER
For this mass we will also do a short presentation on what happened on the retreat

TRIP TO THE CHRISTMAS MARKET
A trip for parishioners to visit the Christmas markets in Bristol!

A BIT ABOUT US:
HI, OUR NAMES ARE KAITLYN, CAMERON, MARIA AND CHRISTINA AND WE ARE MEMBERS OF THE YOUTH TEAM FOR THIS PARISH! WE ARE GOING TO BE ADDING THIS SECTION IN THE NEWSLETTER FOR "DATES FOR YOUR DIARY". IN THIS, WE WILL GIVE IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS AND SMALL SUMMARIES ABOUT EACH. WE HOPE THAT THIS WILL BE USEFUL FOR YOU ALL!

HCPT Family Fun Night – fundraising evening to be held in the Church Hall, Gorseinon Parish. 9th November at 7:00 p.m. Please see notice board for full details.