

# THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 24th October to 1st November 2020

## HOLY NAME OF JESUS

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## Welcome to this House of God:

Talk to God before Mass Listen to God during Mass Talk to others after Mass



### Today's Mass Readings

Exodus 22:20-26; Ps 17; 1 Thessalonians 1: 5-10;

Matthew 22: 34 -40

#### YOU MUST LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD AND YOUR NEIGHBOUR AS YOURSELF

The Pharisees put a question to Jesus. "Master, which is the greatest Commandment of the Law?". Jesus replied "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first Commandment. The second resembles it; you must love your neighbour as yourself. On these two Commandments hang the whole law, and the Prophets also".

Our love for God is to overflow to others - not just our nearest and dearest, but everyone we meet in the course of our day and, indeed those we will never meet. Love is creative, inventive and dynamic. The Holy Spirit pours God's love into our hearts and it is this love which can transform not just our own lives, but the lives of others. And not just the lives of others, but the whole of our society and culture.

"Lord Jesus, help me to live out the heart of the Commandments by loving God and my neighbour where ever he or she is throughout the whole world to the best of my ability. Amen".

**DEACON TERRY** 

#### **NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**

During this month we are invited to pray for the souls of the faithful departed. If you wish to remember family and friends in a special way, please write their names on the list and put them in the envelope provided by the stewards or from the Parish office. Then place them in the Holy Souls box provided. This year the box will remain in front of the Altar. Please do not put money in these envelopes. If you wish to offer a special Mass for the Holy Souls please use the Mass Intention envelopes which are available from the Parish Office. Many thanks Fr. Vincent SCJ

## SACRED HEART COMMUNITY

Fr. Vincent Arulandhu, SCJ (Parish Priest) Email:

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#### **PARISH DEACON**

**Rev Terry Charles** 

#### PARISH SECRETARY

Payal Gordhan

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#### Safeguarding Officer

Bernadette Cook 0121 357 1351 **Guidelines for Mass and other Liturgical Services in Church** 

- Maximum capacity of our church for the Mass is 68 households.
- First come, first served.
- Be considerate, patient and understanding.
- Follow 2 metre social distancing all the time in Church and its premises.
- Sanitise hands on entry & exit.
- Wear a mask or face coverings all the time in church. If you have any serious breathing problem or health issues please inform one of the stewards.
- To light a candle please ask one of the stewards.
   Receive Holy communion in silence in your hand only, not on your tongue.
- No Congregating in church and its premises .
- Please stay at home if you have a pre existing condition or are immuno-compromised, if you are feeling ill, or if you have a sick family member at home.

#### **RECENTLY DEAD AND ANNIVERSARIES**

Please remember Margaret Jacob, Mary O'Grady and all those who have died recently. We also remember John Grummett, Mary Morrow, Tytus Foryszewski, Maureen Cullen, Johann Csucsmi, Annie Campbell, Eric round, Annie O'Gara, Frieda Farrell, Anthony Dolan, Ada Connolly, Harold Styles, Bridie Wozniak, John Kinsella, Margaret Walsh, Jack Cannon and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.`

Requiem Mass for Margaret Jacob is on Monday 26th October at 11:00am here in Church followed by Burial at Oscott Cemetery at 12:30pm, with the usual limited numbers.

#### PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Mary Arulandhu, Bernie Mortlock, Audrey Clewlow, Catherine Freeman, Carmen Mulholland, Teresa Goddard, Arthur Harding, Maurice Hughes, Stephen Hurley, Bridget Green, Elizabeth Ibbotson, Haydee Stanton, Linda Lowe, Sr Annie Enright, Jackie Tammam, Janet Chamberlain, Rudolf and Irene Sampays, Grace Sharron, Rose Bohan, Joan Rawlings, Sheila Shearon and Bridget Whitfield.

This Week Saturday 24th October– Sunday 1st November (Psalter Week 2)	Holy Mass & Services	Other Events
Saturday 24th October Feria in Ordinary Time	12:30pm Maureen Cullen RIP	
Sunday 25th October THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10:30am Terence McHugh RIP	
Monday 26th October Feria in Ordinary Time	11:00am Requiem Mass for Margaret Jacob	
Tuesday 27th October Feria in Ordinary Time	10:00am Peter Hayward RIP - <b>Private Mass</b>	
Wednesday 28th October Feast of ss Simon and Jude, Apostles	11:30am Marist Sisters	
Thursday 29th October Feria in Ordinary Time	10:00am Brian Mitchell RIP - Private Mass	
Friday 30th October Feria in Ordinary Time	10:00am Mandy Dobson RIP - <b>Private Mass</b>	
Saturday 31st October Feria in Ordinary Time	12:30pm Raymond Rushe	
Sunday 1st November SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS	10:30am Pat Duffy RIP	

Last week's Offertory Collection:

Gift Aid Envelopes: £ 178.50 Loose money: £369.30

Retiring Collection for World Mission Sunday: £314.62 Mass Attendance Last Sunday:132

Standing Order for August: £1201.17

Thank you for supporting your Parish.

#### **MISSIO RED BOX**

If you have a Missio
Red Box, please
empty it into the
brown envelopes
(available from the
Parish office), then
hand it into the office.
Thank you all for
your continued and
valuable support. It is
much appreciated.

## Next Sunday's Mass Readings:

Apocalypse 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 23; I John3:1-3;

Matthew 5:1-12

#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to everyone who is supporting the parish financially in this difficult and challenging time. We value your commitment, generosity and support to your parish.

#### **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - THANK YOU**

Thank you very much for your donations to World Mission Sunday last week. Your prayers and contributions will help missionaries work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Please pray for the work of Missio and all those working to offer the love of Jesus, that we may remain strong in our witness to Christ's love for all peoples. To continue supporting mission throughout the year, please go to missio.org.uk

#### **BAPTISM DURING MASS**

On Sunday 8th November we will be celebrating a Baptism during the 10:30am Mass. There will be special provision for the family in addition to the normal capacity for the congregation. We pray for the family and welcome them to our community.

#### **REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

Poppies are available as you leave Church today.



#### **BLESSING OF GRAVES AT OSCOTT CEMETERY 2020**

Due to the current Covid restrictions, we are not able to go ahead with the blessing of graves this year. We regret to announce this bad news. We are sorry for the disappointment this will cause. However, the cemetery remains open for visitors: Monday – Friday 4pm – 6pm. Saturday & Sunday 9am – 4pm. We request that all the visitors respect the current physical distancing guidelines. Many Thanks.

#### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Due to Covid19 we cannot offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturdays at the normal times. However, the Sacrament can now be received by appointment on Wednesday and Saturday. To make an appointment please speak to Fr. Vincent or the Parish Office. Many Thanks.