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Sacratissimi Cordis Jesu
BETHARRAM

HOLY NAME OF JESUS

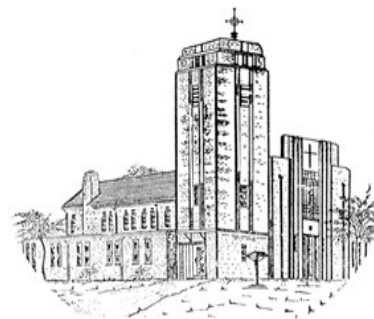
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Parish in the care of the Fathers and
Brothers of The Sacred Heart of Jesus
(Betharram)



Today's Mass Readings

Isaiah 45:1,4-6; Ps
95;

I Thessalonians 1:1-5;
Matthew 22:15-21

**TWENTY NINTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
17th October to 25th
October 2020**

**Welcome to this House
of God:
Talk to God before Mass
Listen to God during Mass
Talk to others after Mass**

GIVE TO CAESAR WHAT BELONGS TO CAESAR - AND TO GOD WHAT BELONGS TO GOD

In the Old Testament we are taught that God works through all kinds of people, both inside and outside the community which he has called his own. The Psalm tells of the glory of the Lord who will judge the people in fairness. This Psalm also tells us believers not to be ashamed of the fact, but to spread it abroad. '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'.

In the Gospel, the Pharisees set a trap for Jesus. If he told them to pay the taxes, they would denounce him to the people as a collaborator with the Romans. Jesus fearlessly reminded them that it is a commandment of God to pay taxes to the authorities. "Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's". His teaching utterly confounded the Pharisees. When they heard it, they marvelled and they left him and went away. Do I respect and honour all those who have been given authority over me - my parents, teachers, the leaders in the Church and in civil society? It is God who has given them authority. In honouring them, we are honouring God.

'Lord, you are the source and giver of all authority. Teach me to respect and honour all those who hold authority and to work in collaboration with them'. Amen.

DEACON TERRY

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Today is World Mission Sunday supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries who shares the love of Christ with those most in need. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can to this very important collection which will sustain the future of our Church.

**SACRED HEART
COMMUNITY**

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Head Teacher

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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**, and all those who have died recently. We also remember John Brady, Bridget Fielding, Mary Murphy, Michael O'Leary, Jim Grogan, Noel Baynes, Alana Anderson, Patrick McElroy, Annie Wood, Bernard Tumbelty, Edward Brennan, Bill Kingston, Alice Flynn, Terence McHugh 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.

| <p style="text-align: center;">This Week Saturday 17th October– Sunday 25th October (Psalter Week 1)</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Holy Mass & Services</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">Other Events</p> |
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| <p style="text-align: center;">Saturday 17th October Memorial of St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr</p> | <p>12:30pm Mary Ann Tubb</p> | |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 18th October TWENTY– NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Retiring Collection for APF World Mission Sunday</p> | <p>10:30am Mass for S.V.P</p> | |
| <p>Monday 19th October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>10:00am Ints of Brenda Hawes - Private Mass</p> | |
| <p>Tuesday 20th October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>10:00am William & Mary Brady RIP - Private Mass</p> | |
| <p>Wednesday 21st October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>11:30am James Grogan RIP</p> | |
| <p>Thursday 22nd October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>10:00am Ints of Sr. Anne - Private Mass</p> | |
| <p>Friday 23rd October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>10:00am Pauline Callaghan RIP - Private Mass</p> | |
| <p>Saturday 24th October Feria in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>12:30pm Maureen Cullen RIP</p> | |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday 25th October THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</p> | <p>10:30am Terence McHugh RIP</p> | |

**Last week's
Offertory
Collection**

Gift Aid Envelopes:

£ 374.80

Loose money:

£403.98

**Mass Attendance
Last Sunday:147**

**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:

Exodus 22:20-26;

Ps 17; 1 Thessalonians 1: 5-10;

Matthew 22: 34 -40

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.

SVP UPDATE, HOLY NAME PARISH

We offer befriending and support and would encourage anyone who needs our help in the Parish to phone our Conference phone number: 07388 26471. Since March Holy Name SVP have been very active working in Partnership with local Foodbanks to support 23 families in two Primary Schools in our Diocese. This involves weekly food collections and deliveries and we have managed to obtain a grant from the National SVP to support this vital work. Through our 'Twinning' we donate annually to two parishes in Southern India, who deliver amazing work. We meet monthly through Zoom and would encourage anyone who would like to get involved in our work to join, or find out more about us through our phone number. If you are lonely or isolated or know someone in that position, we'd love to make regular phone contact. Please check with the person before giving us a call or passing on our number. Financial support is always vital, especially at this difficult time. Our donation box is in the church porch next to the centre aisle doors or please donate in an envelope marked 'SVP Donation' to the Parish Office.

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.