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Newsletter for the Twenty-Ninth & Thirtieth Sundays in Ordinary Time 20th & 27th October 2024

Parish Mass Book pages 146 and 149 & Prayer of the Church Weeks 1 & 2

The scriptures at Mass: Twenty-Ninth Sunday of the Year

Isaiah 53:10-11 The servant of the Lord takes on himself the sins of his people and thus becomes a source of blessings for many.

Hebrews 4:14-16 We can approach Jesus with confidence because he knows our weaknesses and was like us in all things except sin.



Jesus washing the Apostles' feet, Mosaic in the Redemptoris Mater Chapel, Vatican

Mark 10:35-45 Jesus is the Suffering Servant who gave his life in humble service of his people.

The scriptures at Mass: Thirtieth Sunday of the Year



Christ Healing the Blind Man, Gioachino Assereto 1600–1649

Jeremiah 31:7-9 The prophet Jeremiah foretells the return of God's people from exile in Babylon. Even the most helpless will share in the joy of this great event.

Hebrews 5:1-6 This reading sets out what is required of a priest and shows how Christ met those perfectly.

Mark 10:46-52 Jesus hears the cry of a blind man and gives him back his sight.

Our Liturgies this week

Reconciliation: in the half hour prior to Mass.

Fr Thomas Hiney, of St John's Cathedral Parish, will kindly celebrate our Masses on 19th and 20th October, while Canon Gerard is away on a short break.

Saturday 19th October St Paul of the Cross

6 pm Vigil Mass for the people of the Parish

20th October

Twenty-Ninth Sunday Of Ordinary Time

10 am Mass Noah on his first birthday (RH)

Monday 21st October Feria

Tuesday 22nd October St John Paul II

Wednesday 23rd October

Diocesan Day of

Prayer & Reparation for Life

Adoration 10.30 am until 11.30 am

Thursday 24th October St Anthony Claret

Friday 25th October Feria

26th October Our Lady on Saturday

5 pm Reconciliation

6 pm Vigil Mass for the second birthday of James and with the baptism of Franciso.

27th October

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10 am Mass Margaret Teresa Boyle RIP

Monday 28th October Ss Simon & Jude

10 am Mass Fr James Gallagher SDB RIP

Tuesday 29th October Feria

Canon Gerard is on a scripture course.

Wednesday 30th October Feria

10 am Mass David Todd's intentions

Adoration 10.30 am until 11.30 am

Thursday 31st October Feria

6 pm Vigil Mass for the people of our Parish

Friday 1st November All Saints

Holyday of Obligation

10 am Mass Tornabene Coleman RIP

Saturday 2nd November All Souls

5 pm Reconciliation

6 pm Vigil Mass

Holy Souls of McEntee & Judge families

3rd November

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

10 am Mass Paul Kershaw RIP (KF)

& Elsie Pratt RIP (JC)

The Tea and Chat Group meet at 2 pm on Thursday 31st October and always welcome new members.

Portsmouth Catholic Medical Association

St Luke's Mass

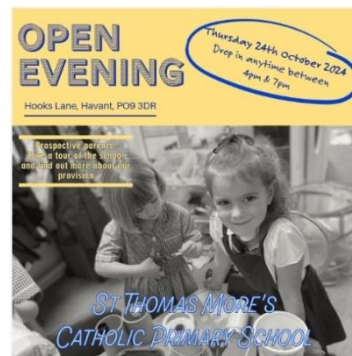
for all Health Care Professionals

6.30 pm Wednesday 23rd October

Queen Alexandra Hospital Chapel

Followed by refreshments. All are welcome.

St Thomas More's Catholic Primary School and Pre-School Open Day & Evening



Our next Open Day is :

Thursday 24th October 4 – 7 pm.

If you cannot make this, contact the school office, on 02392 475909 or by email:

adminoffice@st-thomasmores.hants.sch.uk

or visit our website <https://www.st-thomasmores.hants.sch.uk/open-days/>

We will be delighted to show you around.

Declutter & Craft Sale Sell clutter, craft or both! Book a table, only £10, for Church funds. To book: 01243 371074 or jackychong@btinternet.com

The Word of the Lord A new translation of the Lectionary will be used from Advent. We are grateful for generous donations towards the cost. If anyone wishes to help with the purchase, perhaps dedicating a volume in memory of a loved one, please let Canon Gerard know. Thank you.

Please pray for all those in our Parish who are sick, anxious or bereaved at this time.

A Prayer for All Saints Day Dear God, thank you for the example of the Saints. I desire to join in their company, worshipping you forever in Heaven. Please help me follow their footsteps, and yours, Jesus Christ. Please help me to conform myself to Your image, seeking Your will in all things, as the Saints did.

