Collections for last Sunday

Parish	Gift Aid	Loose	Levy	Total	Attended	Cafod
Immaculate					57/47	
Conception	£162.00	£67.70	£124.34	£354.04	104	£207
All Saints	£186.00	£141.67	£122.10	£449.77	110	£266
St. John's	£158.00	£31.50	£30.80	£220.30	<u>34</u>	£164
				£1024.11	248	£637

Charity Shop Grateful thanks to all who contributed and worked hard for the success of the Parish Charity Shop which raised £2,617.76. May God richly bless you all.

PARISH NOTICES

Today we welcome Fr. Tom Ryan for the Columban Fathers Mission Appeal at all Masses in the Pastoral Area. As you leave the Church today a collection will be taken for the Columban Fathers Mission Appeal.

- * Know & Share meeting: Thursday at 6:30pm in All Saints Hall. All welcome.
- * St John's Harvest lunch. There will be lunch on Saturday, 24th October, at 12:30pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets available: Adult £5, Children £2.50. Everyone welcome
- * All Saints Grand Prize Draw Please start returning your counterfoils the Draw will take place on 29th October, at the Faggots and Peas evening.
- * St. Joseph's school will be performing Shakespeare's 'The Tempest' at the Beaufort Theatre at 6pm on Wednesday 3rd November. All are welcome to attend. Tickets in advance from the school are priced at £6.

World Mission Sunday

Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for Missio, his official charity for overseas mission. World Mission Sunday is a special day that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer, celebration and care for the mission of the Church. Thanks to your support, the Catholic Church is growing and many parishes can now take care of themselves. However, 40% of the Universal Church is still too new, young or poor to survive without our help, just like the church in Mongolia. By supporting World Mission Sunday you are directly helping missionaries in over 1,000 dioceses bring hope and new life to people who do not yet know that they are precious in the eyes and heart of God. You will be able to Gift Aid all donations by using envelopes provided by Missio. Thank you.



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28th Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B (Mass Book p143) Missal Year 1 11th Oct 15

20th Sunday of Orumary Time Teal B (Mass Book p145) Wilssai Teal T T Oct 15					
Vigil	5: 30pm	Immaculate	Charles Ypres, Marion Butler &		
• .8		Conception	Anthony Walters		
	9:00am	Immaculate	Agnes Clark B'day RIP		
28th Sunday of		Conception	Mary Ann & Joseph Weech RIP		
Ordinary pTime	10:30am	All Saints	Cliggett Family Intentions		
		All Sallits	Vincent Jones RIP		
	5:30pm	St John's	Private Intention		
Monday 12th	10:00am	St John's For the people			
Tuesday 13th	-	Immaculate	No Mass		
Tuesday 15th		Conception			
Wednesday 14th	1:00pm	All Saints	Funeral Service Kathleen Sullivan RIP		
Thurs 15th	-	School	No Mass		
Friday 16th	-	Immaculate	No Mass		
Tilday Iotii		Conception			
Saturday 17th	-	All Saints	No Mass		
Vigil	5:30pm	Immaculate	Teresa, Martin & Hayden Madge		
Vigil		Conception			
29th Sunday of	9:00am	Immaculate	Raphael Sweeney RIP		
•		Conception	Andrea O'Leary & Stephen Aherne		
Ordinary Time	10:30am	All Saints Neil Edwards RIP			
	5:30pm	St John's	Maureen Baker RIP		

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St John's:Monday 10:30am until 11:00amImmaculate Conception:Friday12 noon until 3:00pmAll Saints:Dailyfrom 10:30am until 6:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

St John's: Monday after Mass; Sunday 5:00pm Immaculate Conception: Tuesday 6:30pm; Saturday 5:00pm All Saints: Wednesday & Saturday after Mass

Vigil Lamps

All Saints:Our LadyPeter & Emily BurkeAll SaintsSt. AnneIn Thanksgiving (KC)All SaintsSt. JosephIn Thanksgiving (KC)

Immaculate ConceptionOur LadyJim DriscollImmaculate ConceptionSacred HeartGwyneth Gunter

From the CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

"Jesus enjoins his disciples to prefer him to everything and everyone, and bids them "renounce all that [they have]" for his sake and that of the Gospel. Shortly before his passion he gave them the example of the poor widow of Jerusalem who, out of her poverty, gave all that she had to live on. The precept of detachment from riches is obligatory for entrance into the Kingdom of heaven." (CCC, 2544)

Gospel Reflection from a Parishioner Gospel of Mark 10; 17 - 30

In reply to the man's profession that he had kept the commandments, Jesus lovingly says to him, "You are lacking in one thing." This suggests that, flowing from an undivided heart, dispossessing oneself and following Jesus are one and the same thing. To turn this around: if one is to follow Jesus one most come empty-handed. This doesn't mean that we literally sell everything; we all have family and social obligations that make having things a necessity. Jesus is saying that we can't let possessions (or anything else, for that matter) divide our hearts. Too often possessions possess us; we must let go so only God can possess us. It is hard to enter the kingdom of God because too often our hearts are divided - we want to let go and follow Jesus at the same time we want to hang onto our possessions and, indeed our very lives! Divided hearts just won't do. God wants our all so God can give all in return.

"Did the young man tend to rely too much on negative goodness"? He had not broken the commandments, but how much good had he done to others? Was Our Lord saying to him: "With all your possessions, with all your wealth, with all that you could give away, what positive good have you done to others? Have you gone out of your way to help and comfort and strengthen others as you might have done?" Perhaps Our Lord was saying to him: "Stop looking at goodness as consisting in not doing things. take yourself: take all that you have and spend yourself and your possessions on others. Then you will find true happiness in time and in eternity."

For the grace to let go of my possessions, GOD OF MERCY, HEAR MY PRAYER For the grace to have an undivided heart, GOD OF MERCY, HEAR MY PRAYER. AMEN.

Please pray for the parishioners of our Pastoral Area, especially: † the sick and housebound:

Jeanette Badham, Elise Burgess, Denise Burrows, Yvonne Brown, Grant Caniff, Molly Cini, Jim Clarke, James Cullen, Maria Davies, Maria Death, Hilda Dollin, Brian Garrett, John Godfrey, Michael Gough, Margaret Griffiths, Margaret Hancock, Sally Harris, Kate Hooper, Keyon Hughes, Peggy Hutton, Nicola James, Gary Jones, Celia Jones, Leslie Jones, Mandy Jones, Yvonne Jones, Steve Joyce, Nina Kokkali, Mabel Kelly, Maria Kerwin, Margaret Lawrence, Colin Lee, Pat & Tom Markey, Eileen Michael, Louis Moorhead, Damian Morgan, Maureen Morgan, Mary Morris, Kieran Moseley, Mary Moseley, Des Murphy, Shirley Murphy, Adam Newbury, Brian Norman, Audrey Norris, Cathy O'Leary, Ruth Phillips, Jean Plummer, Bill Pritchard, Owen Pritchard, Christopher Rich, Eileen Richards, Paul Riley, Samuel Roach, Maureen Roberts, Norman Roberts, Ivor Rolfe, Paul Roper, Charles Sheehy, Millie Sullivan, Mary Thomas, Nell Turner, Alison Utting, Grant Walshe, Rachel Watkins, Neville Whitcombe, Joan Williams, Kathleen Williams, Pam Williams, Nora Worthington, Helen Yabsley, Veronica Yandle, Tony Zeraschi, Debra Richards, Chelsea, Daniel Morgan Bennett. Raymond Titley. Jim Driscoll.

those whose anniversary occurs at this time:

Winifred Bounds, Patricia Long, Elizabeth Clarke, Ann Worlock, Hilda Harper. Margaret Theresa Jones, William Alun Morris, John Harris, Margaret Monica Evans, Frederick George Searchfield, Thomas Alfred Howley

पेEternal Rest

Please pray for the Happy Repose of the soul of Kathleen Sullivan (Letchworth Rd). Her funeral service will take place in All Saints on Wednesday 14th October at 1pm.

Please keep her and the family in your prayers. RIP