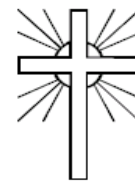


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TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY OF 2019

Sunday 6th October 2019

Keeping up with the NEWS!

If anyone would like to read any books or newspapers connected to our Catholic Faith here are a few suggestions. There are several newspapers on the market today and most of them enable you to purchase an annual subscription.

We also have the Catholic News which is a free newspaper which can be downloaded from www.dioceseofnottingham and can be found in the 'What's On' section.

Other popular newspapers are The Catholic Times, The Tablet and the Catholic Universe all available to purchase online.

The Catholic Truth Society have many books, leaflets, DVD's, CD's and other Catholic resources at www.ctsbooks.org.

Prisoners' Sunday on 13th October 2019 is the national day of prayer and action for prisoners and their dependents as marked by the Catholic Church and across the Christian denominations.

It is a day to direct our thoughts and prayers to prisoners, their families and children. Prisoners' Sunday is the time to reflect on how we as individuals, as a Church and as a community are serving those affected by imprisonment.

Prisoners' families, prisoners and people with previous convictions often find themselves on the margins of society due to the social stigma associated with imprisonment. They are often forgotten or come lower down on the list of causes to 'hold a hand out to'.

But the gospel reminds us of our duties towards them, 'I was naked and you clothed me, sick and you visited me, in prison and you came to see me; (Matthew 25:36).

Pact's work embodies the Christian value of mercy and belief in the innate dignity of every human being. Through this campaign we are asked to engage with a core element of Catholic social teaching and put our faith into action.

To find out how you can help in a practical way visit the Pact website at:

www.prisonadvice.org.uk/prisonerssunday

The Holy Father, Pope Francis, announced on Monday that it is his intention to appoint the Right Reverend Dom Erik Varden, OCSO, Abbot of Mount St. Bernard, as the new Ordinary for the Territorial Prelature of Trondheim, in Norway.

The Bishop would like to acknowledge the great debt of gratitude that we as a Diocese owe to Dom Erik Varden, but in so doing he also acknowledges the great loss that we all shall feel in losing him from active ministry within the Diocese, especially by Dom Erik Varden's own community at Mount St. Bernard.

The Bishop feels sure though that you will all agree that our loss will be a great gain for the Territorial Prelature of Trondheim, and asks now that we keep Dom Erik Varden in our prayers, as he prepares to take up this new position within the wider Church.

Extraordinary Month of Mission – EMM2019

During October, Pope Francis invites everyone, everywhere, all over the world to pray together in solidarity and love and join the EMM2019 Universal Prayer Chain.

When? Every Friday after the Angelus at 12 noon, throughout the month of October.

Why? Through praying together, we will revitalise and reawaken our Missionary Spirit.

There are Prayer Cards at the back of Church if you didn't receive one from our Welcomers this morning.

Thoughts from today's Gospel Reading: Luke 17 : 5-10

The opening verses of chapter 17 are said to Jesus' disciples, but how far they became general truth depends upon the apostles. They selected the teachings of Jesus, guided by the Holy Spirit, that became the mission of the Church.

Verses 1-3 warn that problems will arise and wisdom will be required to resolve various situations. No one is to be lost. The responsibility seems to be that of the apostles. Brotherly correction seems a Church matter rather than a family affair. To grant forgiveness seven times a day is an extraordinary expectation.

Jesus' meaning is clear - always forgive.

Now comes today's reading, continuing fantastic images. We learn that faith can uproot a mulberry tree & plant it in the sea! Plant it, not simply throw it! Glorious impossible images. Then the disciples must see themselves as the slaves of God. No master is grateful to his slaves, they must not expect gratitude: this is the ancient world of slaves and masters, but is a cruel image of God.

Today's Gospel seems to invite us to have faith in a God who treats us as slaves . . .

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Parish events this week

		SMC = St Mary Crowned Church	AS = All Saints Church	SMS = St Mary's School
Sat 5th	Oct	6.00 pm AS	Holy Mass (Fr Paul Mitcheson RIP)	
Sun 6th	Oct	Twenty-Seventh Sunday of the year - Readings p. 146		
		9.15 am SM	Holy Mass (Barbara Burns – Birthday Blessing)	
		11.15 am AS	Holy Mass (People of the Parish)	
		4 – 5.30 pm AS	Baptism Course Part 1	
Mon 7th	Oct	Our Lady of the Rosary		
		10.00 am AS	Holy Mass (Private Intention of Anne Brown)	
Tues 8th	Oct	10.00 am SMC	Holy Mass (Thanksgiving – B & J Eaton)	
Weds 9th	Oct	SS Denis, Bishop, & Companions, Martyrs		
		9.00 am AS	Holy Mass (Patrick Shanahan RIP)	
		Please pray for today's Deanery Meeting		
Thurs 10th	Oct	St Paulinus of York, Bishop, & the Anglo-Saxon Saints of the Diocese		
		10.00 am SMC	Holy Mass (Deceased Members of the Callaghan, Coppinger & Duffy Families)	
Fri 11th	Oct	10.00 am AS	Holy Mass (Deceased Members of the Martin & Belinchon Families)	
		7.45 pm SMC	Prayer Group	
Sat 12th	Oct	10.00 am SMC	Exposition & Sacrament of Reconciliation	
		10.45 am SMC	Benediction	
		5.15–5.45pm AS	Sacrament of Reconciliation	
		6.00 pm AS	Holy Mass (People of the Parish)	
Sun 13th	Oct	Twenty-Eighth Sunday of the year - Readings p. 149		
		9.15 am SMC	Holy Mass (Deceased Members of the Cooper & Hammond Families)	
		11.15 am AS	Holy Mass (Mr Loughran & Team @ MRI)	
		1.00 pm AS	Baptism of Matylda Thompson	

Our offerings last week: Thank you for your generosity.

	Loose	Envelopes	S/O	Total
All Saints	£119.50	£182.00	£120.00	£421.50
St Mary's	£136.45	£443.80	£261.00	£841.25

Many thanks for your support for the Sick & Retired Priests' Fund: AS £49.85; SMC £29.04

Parish Rotas: Weekend of 12th / 13th October

Sacristans: All Saints, 6pm TBA; 11.15am TBA;
St Mary's, Chris;
Welcomers: All Saints, 6pm Sue O'C; 11.15am Susan H;
St Mary's, Jean McM & Chris P;
Ministers: All Saints, 6pm Eileen & Joan H;
11.15am Chris & Joan R;
St Mary's, Vernon, Doreen & Jan;
Readers: All Saints, 6pm, Peter B,
11.15am Val T; St Mary's, Samantha, Wynn & Louise;
Bidding Prayers: Maddy (following week – Liz)

Parish Diary - for the next few months:

Oct 5/6th	CAFOD Fast Day Collection
Oct 6th	Baptism Course, Part 2, All Saints, 4 – 5.30pm
Oct 13th	MISSIO World Mission Sunday Envelopes Given Out
Oct 20th	MISSIO World Mission Sunday Envelopes Collected
Oct 20th	MISSIO World Mission Sunday Fundraiser, Coffee & Cakes after 9.15am Mass
Nov 2nd	Let's Act Drama Group: THE NEW PLAY at 6pm
Nov 3rd	Let's Act Drama Group: THE NEW PLAY Matinee at 3pm
Nov 30th	Shared Christmas Fayre, St Mary's Hall

CAFOD Harvest Prayer

Lord, you created the Earth and gave us enough for everyone to live life to the full.
This harvest-time, we pray for our sisters and brothers who do not have a fair share of Earth's bounty.
Help us to share your gifts with them and to work with them, for as long as it takes,
to build a brighter world for everyone.
We make this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.