

St Catherine's & St Patrick's Churches
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06 November 2022; 32nd Sunday of the Year



Saturday	5th	5.00pm	Dead List	
Sunday	6th	9.00am 11.00am	Martin Murphy Dead List	32nd Sunday of the Year
Monday	7th	9.15am	Blanche Watson	Weekday
Tuesday	8th	9.15am	No Mass	Weekday
Wednesday	9th	8.15am 9.00am	Adoration Thanks Maluzi family (St Catherine's)	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica
Thursday	10th	9.15am	Brian Watson (St Pat's)	St Leo the Great
Friday	11th	2.30pm	Requiem Wendy Alexander	St Martin of Tours
Saturday	12th	9.45am 5.00pm	Dead List Dead List	St Josaphat
Sunday	13th	9.00am 11.00am	John Blake Janet Roynane	33rd Sunday of the Year

BLESSED SACRAMENT LAMP: Martin Murphy (St Catherine's)

Joseph Matthew & Suma (St Patrick's)

SACRED HEART LAMP: Gertrude Anginotti (St Catherine's)

McGrath Family (St Patrick's)

SICK: Tony Mason; Alan Fonseca; Mary Sutherland; Sr. Nativity; Kath Lees; Ruthlyn King; Alfred Alexis; Michael McDonagh; Terry Maloney; Tony Murphy; Susan Thomas; Eileen McKermitt; Fiona Tarpey; Margaret & John Whitehead; Christopher Browne; Herbert Gorman; Joan O'Brien; Angela Guest; Greg Beaumont Dilsha Varghese; Nichola Butler; Fr. Glenn Morris.

LATELY DEAD: Gwendoline (Wendy) Alexander; (Funeral 11th Nov.2.30pm SC)

ANNIVERSARIES: Veronica Roberts; Terry Deakin; Mary Winifred; Moira Leslie; Delia Shields; John Coffey; Anne Allen May Chadburn; James Murphy; Myrtle Kelu; William Lever; Kate Fletcher; Robert Odigie; Patrick Keane Dorothy Saunders; Joy Brown.

CONFIRMATION: Bishop Ralph will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday 20 November at 9am Mass. Please pray for the Confirmandi and the Catechists who have been preparing them

The Rosary: The Rosary will be recited daily 15 minutes before Mass.

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Entrance Antiphon: Let my prayer come into your presence. Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

Collect: Almighty and merciful God, graciously keep from us all adversity, so that, unhindered in mind and body alike, we may pursue in freedom of heart the things that are yours. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.

First Reading: A reading from the second book of Maccabees 7: 1-2. 9-14

The King of the world will raise us up to live again for ever.

There were seven brothers who were arrested with their mother. The king tried to force them to taste pig's flesh, which the Law forbids, by torturing them with whips and scourges. One of them, acting as spokesman for the others, said, 'What are you trying to find out from us? We are prepared to die rather than break the laws of our ancestors.'

With his last breath he exclaimed, 'Inhuman fiend, you may discharge us from this present life, but the King of the world will raise us up, since it is for his laws that we die, to live again for ever'.

After him, they amused themselves with the third, who on being asked for his tongue promptly thrust it out and boldly held out his hands, with these honourable words, 'it was heaven that gave me these limbs; for the sake of his laws I disdain them; from him I hope to receive them again'. The king and his attendants were astounded at the young man's courage and his utter indifference to suffering.

When this one was dead they subjected the fourth to the same savage torture. When he neared his end he cried, 'Ours is the better choice, to meet death at men's hands, yet relying on God's promise that we shall be raised up by him; whereas for you there can be no resurrection, no new life'.

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSE:

Ps. 16.1.5-6. 18.15 R/ cf. v.15

I shall be filled, when I awake, with the sight of your glory, O Lord

Lord, hear a cause that is just, pay heed to my cry.

Turn your ear to my prayer: no deceit is on my lips. **R/**

I kept my feet firmly in your paths; there was no faltering in my steps

I am here and I call, you will hear me, O God. Turn your ear to me; hear my words. **R/**

Guard me as the apple of your eye. Hide me in the shadow of your wings.

As for me, in my justice I shall see your face and be filled, when I awake,

With the sight of your glory. **R/****Second Reading: A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Thessalonians 2:16-3:5***May the Lord strengthen you in everything good that you do or say.*

May our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father who has given us his love and, through his grace, such inexhaustible comfort and such sure hope, comfort you and strengthen you in everything good that you do or say.

Finally, brothers, pray for us; pray that the Lord's message may spread quickly, and be received with honour as it was among you; and pray that we may be preserved from the interference of bigoted and evil people, for faith is not given to everyone. But the Lord is faithful, and he will give you strength and guard you from the evil one, and we, in the Lord, have every confidence that you are doing and will go on doing all that we tell you. May the Lord turn your hearts towards the love of God and the fortitude of Christ.

The Word of the Lord.

Acclamation. Alleluia, alleluia! Stay awake, praying at all times for the strength to stand with confidence before the Son of Man. Alleluia

GOSPEL: Luke 20:27-38*He is God, not of the dead, but of the living.*

Some Sadducees—those who say that there is no resurrection—approached him and they put this question to him, 'Master, we have it from Moses in writing, that if a man's married brother dies childless, the man must marry the widow to raise up children for his brother. Well then, there were seven brothers. The first, having married a wife, died childless. The second and then the third married the widow. And the same with all seven, they died leaving no children. Finally the woman herself died. Now, at the resurrection, to which of them will she be wife since she had been married to all seven?'

Jesus replied, 'The children of this world take wives and husbands, but those who are judged worthy of a place in the other world and if the resurrection from the dead do not marry because they can no longer die, for they are the same as the angels, and being children of the resurrection they are sons of God. And Moses himself implies that the dead rise again, in the passage about the bush where he calls the Lord the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob. Now he is God, not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all men are in fact alive.' **The Gospel of the Lord.**

ACCLAMATION: When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: The disciples recognised the Lord Jesus in the breaking of bread.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: Nourished by this sacred gift, O Lord, we give you thanks and beseech your mercy that, by the pouring forth of your Spirit, the grace of integrity may endure in those your heavenly power has entered. Through Christ our Lord.

Last Week's Collection. St Catherine's £ 586.84. St Patrick's £ 304.89 Thank you very much.

**WEEKDAY MASSES: St Catherine's Monday(9.15am), Wednesday (9.00am) Friday (2.30pm)
St Patrick's Tuesday and Thursday (9.15am)**

ST WILFRID'S CENTRE: They have thanked us for our generosity. Now they require the following:

1. Squash; 2. Corned Beef; 3. Pasta Sauce; 4. Condiments. i.e. Mayonnaise, Relish etc
5. Washing up Liquid. **N. B.** If you wish to donate...please bring the above mentioned articles only. Thank you.

UCM: The Union of Catholic Mothers will meet after Mass **this Sunday 6th of November** in the Presbytery at St Catherine's. Mothers please ensure you are present. **Fr. Albert**

SVP Recruitment appeal: Concern is not enough

Turn your concern into action More than 6 million adults live in absolute poverty in Britain. This means they are destitute and are deprived of basic human needs such as food, sanitation, health or shelter. But poverty isn't the only sort of deprivation; chronic loneliness and isolation is a significant and growing problem. According to the Office of National Statistics, Britain has become the loneliness capital of Europe.

In our own parish poverty and isolation are prevalent but what can we do about it? (On 3rd/4th Dec) Liz Salmon from the St Vincent de Paul Society will talk to us about how we can work together to help tackle these problems. And on Tuesday 6th December the SVP will hold an information meeting at 6.00pm at St Patrick's Church All are welcome.