



St Catherine's & St Patricks Churches
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 19 September 2021; 25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	18th	5.00pm	Leah Murphy	25th Sunday Ordinary Time
Sunday	19th	9.00am	Sister Colleen Marie.	St Catherine's
Sunday	19th	11.00am	Molly Walton	St Patrick's
Monday	20th	10.00am	Mervyn Myrtle Middleton	Ss Andrew Kim, Paul Chong martyrs
Tuesday	21st	10.00am	Dead List	St Matthew Apostle Evangelist
Wednesday	22nd	10.00am	Patrick Murphy	Weekday
Thursday	23rd	10.00am	Dead List	St Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)
Friday	24th	10.00am	Anthony Whelan	Our Lady of Walsingham
Saturday	25th	5.00pm	Thanks Monica Porokie	26th Sunday Ordinary Time
Sunday	26th	9.00am	Thanks Daniel Daniella Nwaorgu	St Catherine's
Sunday	26th	11.00am	Sp Intention Monica Mitkute	St Patrick's

BLESSED SACRAMENT: Fr. Fitzpatrick

SACRED HEART LAMP: Harrison/Hunt Families

SICK:

Bishop Joe; Alan Fonseca; Mary Sutherland; Sr. Nativity; Kath Lees; Ruthlyn King. Fr. Frank Flynn
 Michael Mc Donagh; Terry Maloney; Jack Readman; Susan Thomas; Maria Thackray; Tony Mason
 Maureen Helder; Joan Ojezyk; Margaret & John Whitehead; Christopher Browne; Herbert Gorman
 Ivan DeCouto; Daniel Mae De Deus; Pio Antao; Ansel Gomes; Fr. Andrew Bhuriya.

LATELY DEAD: Pat Limb;

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr. Fitzpatrick; Eva Hanson; Terry Watson; Florence Nagle; John Flynn; Lucy Fenwick
 Kathleen Matheson; Dene Darren Smith; Patrick Murphy; Anthony Whelan

Last Week's Collection: St Catherine's £503.85 St Patrick's £222.62 Thank you very much.

MASS: The weekday Masses will be celebrated at St Catherine's Church. Please check times.

Liturgy 19 September 2021; Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon:

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord. Should they cry to me in any distress,
 I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

Collect: O God, who founded all the commands of your sacred Law upon love of you and of our neighbour, grant that,
 by keeping your precepts, we may merit to attain eternal life. Through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son who lives and
 reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

First Reading: A reading from the book of Wisdom 2:12. 17-20

Let us condemn him to a shameful death.

The godless say to themselves, 'Let us lie in wait for the virtuous man, since he annoys us and opposes our way of
 life, reproaches us for our breaches of the law and accuses us of playing false to our upbringing. Let us see if what he
 says is true, let us observe what kind of end he himself will have. If the virtuous man is God's son, God will take his
 part and rescue him from the clutches of his enemies. Let us test him with cruelty and with torture, and thus explore
 this gentleness of his and put his endurance to the proof. Let us condemn him to a shameful death since he will be
 looked after – we have his word for it.'

The Word of the Lord.

RESPONSE:

Ps 53:3-6. 8. R/ v.6

The Lord upholds my life.

O God, save me by your name; by your power, uphold my cause.
 O God, hear my prayer; listen to the words of my mouth. **R.**

For proud men have risen against me, ruthless men seek my life.
 They have no regards for God. **R.**

But I have God for my help. The Lord upholds my life.
 I will sacrifice to you with willing heart and praise your name for it is good. **R.**

Second Reading: A reading from the letter of St James 3: 16 – 4:3

Peacemakers, when they work for peace, sow the seeds which will bear fruit in holiness.

Wherever you find jealousy and ambition, you find disharmony, and wicked things of every kind being done; whereas the wisdom that comes down from above is essentially something pure; it also makes for peace, and is kindly considerate; it is full of compassion and shows itself by doing good; nor is there any trace of partiality or hypocrisy in it. Peacemakers, when they work for peace, sow the seeds which will bear fruit in holiness.

Where do these wars and battles between yourselves first start? Isn't it precisely in the distress fighting inside your own selves? You want something and you haven't got it; so you are prepared to kill. You have an ambition that you cannot satisfy; so you fight to get your way by force. Why you don't have what you want is because you don't pray for it; when you do pray and don't get it, it is because you have not prayed properly, you have prayed for something to indulge your own desires.

The Word of Lord

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Through the Good News God called us to share the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mark 9: 30-37.

The Son of Man will be delivered. If anyone wants to be first, he must make himself servant of all.

After leaving the mountain Jesus and his disciples made their way through Galilee; and he did not want anyone to know, because he was instructing his disciples; he was telling them, 'The Son of Man will be delivered into the hands of men; they will put him to death; and three days after he has been put to death he will rise again.' But they did not understand what he said and were afraid to ask him.

They came to Capernaum, and when he was in the house he asked them, 'What were you arguing about on the road?' They said nothing because they had been arguing which of them was the greatest. So he sat down, called the Twelve to him and said, 'If anyone wants to be first, he must make himself last of all and servant of all.' He then took a little child, set him in front of them, put his arms round him, and said to them, 'Anyone who welcomes one of these little children in my name, welcomes me; and anyone who welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

ACCLAMATION: Save us Saviour of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept; may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Graciously raise up, O Lord, those you renew with this Sacrament, that we may come to possess your redemption both in mystery and in the manner of our life. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE YEAR OF ST. JOSEPH PATRIS CORDE Father's Heart (Ad te, beate Ioseph)

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also. Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness.

As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God's Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven.

SAFEGUARDING REPS: The Diocese has appointed Seena Shaju and Reena Thomas as the new Safeguarding Reps at St Catherine's Church. We wish them all the very best. We also thank Modesta Chindeka and Jolly Babu the outgoing Reps for their splendid efforts over the last so many years. *Fr. Albert*

Vacancies at St Marie's Cathedral:

1. Part-time Cleaner (15 Hours per week, to include Fridays and Mondays)
2. Sacristan. (8 hours per week including Sunday mornings)

There were a lot of late arrivals at mass last weekend; this is really unhelpful and disrespectful. Spare a thought for the other people already in Church and the stewards. Please try to come a few minutes earlier. Those who wish to light candles need to be very cautious. Fr. Albert

Director of Youth Ministry :- The diocese wishes to recruit an experienced individual to this role, to lead on the development of Youth Ministry. Salary £30,000-£35,000 (depending on experience). The post involve some evening and weekend working. Closing date: 6th October 12 noon. Interviews 15th October. Further details and an application pack can be obtained from Mrs Jessica Moylan:- jmoylan@hallam-diocese.com

SPONSORED SILENCE: Denise Frost is doing a Sponsored Silence for CAFOD (Climate Crisis Projects) on 4th October. Sponsor Forms are available in Church or at: www.justgiving.com/fundraising/denisefrost