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**30 October 2022; 31st Sunday of the Year**



<b>Saturday</b>	29th	5.00pm	Blanche Kamsika	
<b>Sunday</b>	30th	9.00am 11.00am	Thanks Ray & Mary Yakub Thanks Aneesh, Jaslin & Shaun	<b>31st Sunday of the Year</b>
<b>Monday</b>	31st	9.15am	Blanche Watson	
<b>Tuesday</b>	1st Nov	9.15am 11.00am	Les Knight (St Pat's) Sr. Louise Muperi (St Catherine's)	<b>All Saints Solemnity</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	2nd	9.15am 11.00am	Dead List(St Pat's) Dead List (St Catherine's)	<b>All Souls Day</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	3rd	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>Requiem Janet Roynane</b> (St Pat's)	St Martin de Porres
<b>Friday</b>	4th	<b>8.30am</b> 9.15am	<b>Adoration</b> Margaret Gwitima	St Charles Borromeo
<b>Saturday</b>	5th	9.45am 5.00pm	Dead List Dead List	Weekday
<b>Sunday</b>	6th	9.00am 11.00am	Martin Murphy Dead List	<b>31st Sunday of the Year</b>

**BLESSED SACRAMENT LAMP:** Lynch & Connelly (St Catherine's)

McGrath Family (St Patrick's)

**SACRED HEART LAMP:** Gwitima Family (St Catherine's)

Aileen Mc Assey (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; Ann Hanify; Dilsha Varghese; Nichola Butler; Fr. Glenn Morris.

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

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Alexandra Swoboda; Vera Whitham; Martin Thompson; Frances Martin; Catherine Cawley; Lenorah Clarke

**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:** Forsake me not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

**Collect:** Almighty and merciful God, by whose gift your faithful offer you right and praiseworthy service, grant, we pray, that we may hasten without stumbling to receive the things you have promised. 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 book of Wisdom 11: 22-12 :2**

*You are merciful to all because you love all that exists.*

In your sight the whole world is like a grain of dust that tips the scales, like a drop of morning dew falling on the ground. Yet you are merciful to all, because you can do all things and overlook men's sins so that they can repent. Yes, you love all that exists, you hold nothing of what you have made in abhorrence, for had you hated anything, you would not have formed it. And how, had you not willed it, could a thing persist, how be conserved if not called forth by you? You spare all things because all things are yours, Lord, lover of life, you whose imperishable spirit is in all. Little by little, therefore, you correct those who offend, you admonish and remind them of how they have sinned, so that they may abstain from evil and trust in you, Lord.

**The Word of the Lord.**

**RESPONSE:****Ps. 32.2-3. 17-19.23 R/ cf. v.7****The poor man called; the Lord heard him.**

I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise always on my lips;

In the Lord my soul shall make its boast. The humble shall hear and be glad.. **R/**

The Lord turns his face against the wicked to destroy their remembrance from the earth.

The just call and the Lord hears and rescues them in all their distress. **R/**

The Lord is close to the broken-hearted; those whose spirit is crushed he will save.

The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants. Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. **R/****Second Reading: A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Thessalonians 1:11-2:2***The name Christ will be glorified in you and you in him.*

Knowing this, we pray continually that our God will make you worthy of his call, and by his power fulfil all your desires for goodness and complete all that you have been doing through faith; because in this way the name of our Lord Jesus Christ will be glorified in you and you in him, by the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

To turn now, brothers, to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and how we shall all be gathered round him: please do not get excited too soon or alarmed by any prediction or rumour or any letter claiming to come from us, implying that the Day of the Lord has already arrived.

**The Word of the Lord.**

**Acclamation.** Alleluia, alleluia! God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life. Alleluia

**GOSPEL: Luke 18:9-14***The Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost.*

Jesus entered Jericho and was going through the town when a man whose name was Zacchaeus made his appearance; he was one of the senior tax collectors and a wealthy man. He was anxious to see what kind of man Jesus was, but he was too short and could not see him for the crowd; So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore tree to catch a glimpse of Jesus who was to pass that way. When Jesus reached the spot he looked up and spoke to him: 'Zacchaeus, come down. Hurry, because I must stay at your house today.' And he hurried down and welcomed him joyfully. They all complained when they saw what was happening. 'He has gone to stay at a sinner's house' they said. But Zacchaeus stood his ground and said to the Lord, 'Look, sir, I am going to give half my property to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody I will pay him back four times the amount' And Jesus said to him, 'Today salvation has come to this house, because this man too is a son of Abraham; for the Son of Man has come to seek out and save what was lost'.

**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:** You will show me the path of life, the fullness of joy in your presence, O Lord.

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION:** May the working of your power, O Lord, increase in us, we pray, so that, renewed by these heavenly Sacraments, we may be prepared by your gift for receiving what they promise. Through Christ our Lord.

**Last Week's Collection. St Catherine's £ 388.54. Mission Sunday £218.04.**

**St Patrick's £ 278.04 Mission Sunday £194.60 Thank you very much.**

**The Mission Sunday Collections have been sent to MISSIO.**

**WEEKDAY MASSES: St Catherine's Monday, Wednesday and Friday (9.15am)**

**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.

**DEAD LIST: All Soul's Day is on the 2nd of November. Please return the envelope on which you have written the name of your Family to offer a Mass. Please enclose a stipend (Minimum £5)**

**UCM:** The Union of Catholic Mothers will meet after Mass on the 1st Sunday of each month in the Presbytery at St Catherine's as before this begins on the **6th of November**. Mothers please ensure you are present. **Fr. Albert**

**SECOND COLLECTION:** This weekend there will be a Second Collection at all Masses for Mission Sunday. Let us support those who work in the Missions.

**ANNUAL INSURANCE £2877.31** was paid for Annual Insurance of the Church and Presbytery