

SANCTUARY LAMPS

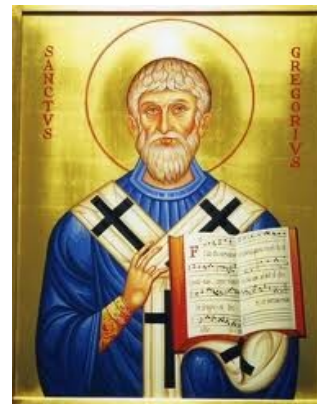
This week's dedication is for: A Private Intention

Mass Intentions for 29th October to 5th November 2017

This SUNDAY 29th October	5.30 pm (Sat)	Josephine Farrell (RIP)
30th Sunday Year A	10.00 am	Cyril Osbourne (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Martin Madden (RIP)
Monday 30th October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Michael & Hannah Whooley (RIP)
Tuesday 31st October	10.00 am	Funeral Mass - Hedi David (RIP)
Wednesday 1st November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
All Saints Day	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Sean Keane (RIP)
	8.00 pm	Holy Souls + Katherine & Francis Saberras (RIP)
Thursday 2nd November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
All Souls Day	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Fr. Alan Ashton (RIP)
Friday 3rd November	11.00 am	Funeral Mass - Adrian Findley (RIP)
Saturday 4th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. Charles Borromeo	10.00 am	Holy Souls + PJ O'Riordan (Get Well)
	12.30 pm	Baptism Joseph Hayes
NEXT WEEKEND		
5th November 2017	5.30 pm (Sat)	Holy Souls + Deceased Members of the O'Connell & Gillan Families (RIP)
31st SUNDAY YEAR A	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Bina Kelly (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Holy Souls + Peg Donoghue (RIP)
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Saturdays after morning & evening Masses or by appointment.		

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:- Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Pauline Davey, Micah McKennon, Mary Temple, Thelma Buckingham, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Sylvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Angie Webster, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Brendan Conroy, Kevin Ryan, Theresa Brent, Steve Howley, Anne-Marie Henry, Barbara Hayes, James West, Colin Sanders, Sid West, Tom Hennessy, Breda O'Sullivan, Nora Demello, John Rawlings, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Dympna McDermott, Julie & Colin Dear, Peggy McNicholas, Fr. Basil, Delroy Anderson.
(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME, WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME:- All the Faithful Departed, Hedi David, Adrian Findley, Patrick O'Sullivan, Josephine Farrell, Cyril Osbourne, Martin Madden, Michael & Hannah Whooley, Sean Keane, Katherine & Francis Sciberras, Fr. Alan Ashton.



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29th October 2017

30TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

Divine Office Week 2

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Fr. Paul writes:

“ Master, which is the greatest commandment of the Law?” Jesus’ reply to the cunning trap laid for him is admirably simple. He links up all scripture, as a moral value and guide to life, with the meeting place between the love of God and love of one’s neighbour. In saying that the second is like the first he is implying that charity to one’s neighbour is as important as love of God. Here lies the difference between Jesus’ way of life and living and that of the scribes and Pharisees. It is by loving one’s neighbour as oneself that love of God is shown. And that is the whole law and the prophets.

I am sorry to have to tell you that I am having another spell in hospital. In the course of some investigations it was discovered that I have a stone in my bladder which requires urgent attention. This has resulted in dear Gillian Harrington having to find some priests mostly from neighbouring parishes to cover the essential services in this coming week. I am very grateful for their support and for your patience in coping with inevitable changes. There will be Mass over the weekend, for the two funerals on Tuesday and Friday, for the Feast of All Saints (Wednesday) and All Souls (Thursday). And please say a prayer for me.

PARISH NOTICES

St Swithun Wells' Primary School Admission for September 2018

If your child was born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014 application forms are available from the school. Applications will need to be back at the school no later than Monday 15th January 2018. **Fr. Paul will be available to sign primary school forms on Saturday 2nd December between 2pm and 4pm.**

Mary Meals - Sunday 5th November

With only 1 week to go before Mary's Meals will be at our church on the morning of Sunday 5th November please remember to bring along all your unwanted clothing/bedding (no duvets or pillows please). Put all clothing/bedding into tied sacks and bring them with you when you come to Mass. The cut off time is 10 am. Bags can also be dropped off at the Presbytery weekday mornings between the hours of 8.30am and 11.30am. Mary's Meals is a no-frills charity committed to spending 93p in every £1 received on its charitable activities with only 6p spent on Fundraising and 1p on Governance.

Christmas Shopping Evening

Friday 24th November 7.00pm to 10.00pm in the Church Hall.

We are now collecting bottles for our Tombola stall and we will also be collecting donations of homemade cakes nearer the time for our cake stall. On the evening, we will be selling religious Christmas cards, jewellery, knitting, crafts, gifts, etc. To get you in the festive spirit we will also be doing mince pies and mulled wine. It would be fantastic if you could come along and support our church.

Preparation for 1st Reconciliation

Children's sessions with their catechists takes place in the parish hall on Saturday 4th November 9am to 10am. All children are expected to attend.

Weddings

Couples wishing to marry here or in any Catholic Church need to give at least six months' notice of their intentions.

Red Sanctuary Lamps

If you would like to have these dedicated for a week to the memory of a loved one, please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10 and the name will appear on the newsletter for the specific week.

COLLECTIONS 22/10/2017

Envelopes	£ 907.36
Loose Plate	£ 346.98
Standing Orders	£ 560.00
Total	£1814.34

Parish Registration

If you have recently joined the parish or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

PARISH NOTICES

SVP News

Three weeks ago you'll remember that most of us updated our personal details for the parish records and we also indicated on the form if we'd like to help out with running the parish - remember the list of jobs needed to run the parish - cleaners, gardeners, readers, servers, catechists, the list goes on! The results were very heartening for the SVP team, with a number of people seeking further information on the SVP and the Foodbank. As such, we are holding an Information evening at **7.30pm on Wednesday 15th November** - plenty of notice for your diaries!! The meeting will be in the church hall and we really look forward to a good turnout!! Please spread the word and remember - the SVP is inclusive of everyone irrespective of race, colour or creed and irrespective of any other manmade grouping of people. All you need is a compassionate heart for your fellow human being. As always, to close, please remain aware of those in need around you and do not hesitate to make contact with Gillian or Paul O'Regan if you know of someone who needs help - Mob 07563 775 777 - info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk God Bless.

Foundation Governor Vacancy at St Swithun Wells' Catholic Primary School

Our school is looking for someone who has a keen interest in the education of our children at St Swithun Wells and would like to join our Governing Body as a Foundation Governor. If you would like to know more about this role, please contact the school office and ask to speak to Mrs Davis- Headteacher 01895 808194

November Dead List

November is the month devoted to prayer for the Holy Souls. There are envelopes and prayer lists in the porch. Please return them with your offerings for these Masses to the Presbytery at your earliest opportunity. These names will be placed in the sanctuary throughout the month of November and Mass will be offered for all those names listed.

THIS WEEK

Sunday 29th October

11.00 am Refreshments after Mass

Monday 30th October

1.30 pm Monday Club

Wednesday 1st November

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet

Saturday 4th November

8.30 am Church Cleaning
9am-10am 1st Reconciliation Class
10.30-11.30am Walk With Me
12 noon - 2pm Foodbank - Hall

LOOKING AHEAD:-

Saturday 4th November

5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

Sunday 5th November

10.00 am Children's Liturgy
11.00 am Refreshments after Mass

Monday 6th November

1.30 pm Monday Club
8.00 pm SVP Monthly Meeting

Wednesday 8th November

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet
7.30 pm Bible Study Group - St. Mary's, The Fairway