



PARISH OF ST GEORGE

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Parish Administrator: Father Thaddeus Opara

SUNDAY 27th September 2020 Twenty Seventh Sunday of Ordinary Time (A)

GOSPEL: Matthew 21:33-43 Today's parable of the tenants reminds us of the many gifts God has given to us (as the tenants in His vineyard) and his expectations of us to bear fruits. Again, the parable speaks about the patience of God: When His servants the prophets are killed, he sends more and more in the hope that people will turn from their evil ways but unfortunately they remained stubborn. Finally, He sent His beloved son Our Lord Jesus Christ to bring the people back to the right way, but He was murdered. As members of Christ body let us bear the fruits expected of us, fruits of love, faith, obedience, forgiveness, mercy, and justice.

Induction Ceremony.

On behalf of all parishioners may I (Gordon Greaves) thank Cannon Jonathan Mitchell for inducting Father Thaddeus as the Parochial Administrator for St George's, Protector of England, Whitchurch. With the current restrictions only, a few parishioners were able to attend (the order of service will be sent out with this newsletter). As Father said the party will have to be at a later date.

Mass Attendance: Thank you to all those who have now signed up to the new system. If everyone who has signed up attends, we will be operating at 60% of our precovid numbers. This is fantastic and truly uplifting to see. Also, attendances at the weekday masses are steadily increasing.

Saints Draw The 'Saints Draw' for the Month of September will take place after the 11 o'clock Mass this Sunday. Those who have a 'Saint' need to pay their subscription for October using the envelopes at the back of church and place it in the collection basket. If you would like to take part in the 'Saints' draw, you can join by selecting a Saint from the list you will find at the back of church and placing your £3 subscription in one of the envelopes and again, placing it in the collection basket.

Christmas Cards Tradecraft Christmas cards will be on sale at the Friday Market on 2nd and 9th October, on the Tradecraft Stall. Christmas catalogues can be taken away and orders given to Eileen Livesey (01948 664985) or Dot Jones (01948 663036)

Parish Finances: We wish to thank you all for your ongoing generosity in the upkeep of the parish.. With the problems of writing cheques and making regular donations to the Church now might be a good time to consider a Standing Order or some other form of electronic transfer.

Mass Intentions: If you would like to have a Mass said for any intention whatsoever then please do pass them into the sacristy through the collection plate or post them into the presbytery.

Fri 02-Oct		The Holy Guardian Angels	
	06:00 PM	Fr Thaddeus Induction	For Fr Thaddeus intention
Sat 03-Oct	12-1 pm	Confession	
	06:30 PM	27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mildred Miles (RIP) Birthday Remembrance.
Sun 04-Oct	09:30 AM		People of the parish
	11:00 AM		For Sick Parishioners
Mon 05-Oct	10:00 AM	Monday in the 27 th Week in Ordinary Time	For Stephen and Molly White RIP
		Saint Faustina Kowalska, virgin	
Tue 06-Oct	10:00 AM	Tuesday in the 27 th Week in Ordinary Time	Pearl White RIP
		Saint Bruno, priest	
Wed 07-Oct	No Mass	Our Lady of the Rosary	
Thu 08-Oct	10:00 AM	Thursday in the 27 th Week in Ordinary Time	Barbara Young RIP (Birthday Anniversary)
Fri 09-Oct	10:00 AM	Friday in the 27 th Week in Ordinary Time	Private Intention
		Saint Denis, bishop, and companions, martyrs	
		Saint John Leonardi, priest	
	06:00 PM	Holy Hour	
Sat 10-Oct	12-1 PM	Confession	
	06:30 PM	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Fr O Hora
Sun 11-Oct	09:30 AM		Fr Gibbons
	11:00 AM		Bishop Nearly

COVID 19 Track & Trace Regulation These regulations require that everyone attending services in church must leave their contact details. At weekend Masses, you are asked to tick the appropriate sheet next to your name and ensure your contact details are correct. If your name is not printed on the sheet, you should sign it and add your contact details. When attending Weekday Masses and services, you should sign on the relevant date in the red diary which you will find at the back of church and add your contact details.

Weekly Collection: We wish to thank you all for your ongoing generosity in the upkeep of the parish.

Sunday 27th September - £382.70
Standing Orders - £338 per month

On-line Mass The address to enable you to view mass throughout the week is https://www.churchservices.tv/whitchurch?fbclid=IwAR1Xbj9b_ZUI3enHgctu0L3D2s36VNMBd9DxGiS8IhXnGGETUKPyuH50XQc

Our parish safeguarding representative is Helen Clarke.