



THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP, CARLISLE

SUNDAY 6th NOVEMBER 2022

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (C)

MASSES THIS WEEK:

Liturgical Year C / Psalter Wk 4

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TME

4pm Vigil (OLSW) Special Intention (CB)
6pm Vigil (St B) Anne Andreus RIP
9am (CtK) Holy Souls – November Lists
9.30am (St B) People of the Parish
10am (OLSJ) Jane Barnes RIP
11am (St A) James Channing RIP Anniv
11am (St MM) Joan Elton
1pm (OLSJ) Mass in Polish
4.30pm (OLSJ) David Skipsey RIP

Monday: (7th) St. Willibrord

10am (St B) Patricia Dewar – Requiem Mass
12noon (OLSJ) Jack Finlinson RIP
7pm (St B) Edward Barlow RIP

Tuesday (8th) of week 32

10am (CtK) George & Vera Clifford RIP
12noon (OLSJ) Tess Nash

Wed. (9th) DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA

9.30am (St MM) John Rutter RIP
12noon (OLSJ) Rosemary Lawrie RIP
7pm (St A) Patrick Dwyer RIP

Thursday (10th) St. Leo the Great

10am (OLSW) Clement Holden RIP Anniv
12noon (OLSJ) James Hutton B/day

Friday: (11th) St. Martin of Tours

12noon (OLSJ) Margot Wardle RIP
7pm (St MM) Fr John Walsh RIP

Saturday: (12th) St. Josaphat

10am (St MM) TLM Jonathan Steven 70th B/day
12noon (OLSJ) Bernard McCarthy

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TME

4pm Vigil (OLSW) People of the Parish
6pm Vigil (St B) DMs of the Hodgson Family
9am (CtK) Bob Finlayson RIP
9.30am (St B) Patricia Robinson RIP
10am (OLSJ) War Dead
11am (St A) Holy Souls – November Lists
11am (St MM) Billy Byers RIP
1pm (OLSJ) Mass in Polish
4.30pm (OLSJ) Private Intention (KS)

Today: World Day of the Poor

Today is Remembrance Sunday

PERSECUTION AND MARTYRDOM

The troubling scenes depicted in the First Reading are a shortened account from the Second Book of Maccabees of the Old Testament. This Book recounts the persecution of the Jews by King Antiochus IV Epiphanes. Alexander the Great had conquered the land of Israel in 329BC. At his death one of his generals, Seleucus, took control of Syria and its surrounding territories, including Israel. Seleucus founded a dynasty of kings who were of Greek culture and religion. One of those kings, Antiochus IV, reigned from 175-164BC. He imposed not only a single Greek culture but also wished to impose Greek religious practice. The Jews took exception to this and revolted.

What we read in the First Reading today is just one incidence of the persecution that the ordinary people suffered. A woman and her seven sons refuse to honour the king by eating pig's meat. Pork was considered unclean to the Jews and to eat it was forbidden. This courageous woman and her family chose rather to endure torture and death than go against their religion.

In our own locality we are proud to count as one of our own a man who suffered torture and death for the Catholic Faith rather than follow the protestant religion: Blessed Christopher Robinson. He was hung because he was a Catholic priest. Unfortunately, even today in our modern, tolerant enlightened times, there are Christians who suffer for their Faith. They not only face discrimination. Often, they experience exclusion, damage of property, violence and sometimes death. *Aid to the Church in Need* (ANC) is a Catholic charity that supports all persecuted Christians, responding to their greatest needs. Find out about ACN's work and follow the stories of ordinary Christians suffering today for their religion. <https://acnuk.org/>

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CONFESSIONS IN OUR PARISH:

OLSJ: Mon-Sat immediately after noonday Mass

St B: Sat 5.30-5.50pm, Mon 6.00-6.45pm

St A: Wed 6.00-6.45pm

St MM: Fri 6.00-6.45pm

CtK: Sun 8.30-8.50am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

OLSJ: Sat 11.00-11.50am & 1st Sun 3.00-4.00pm

St B: Mon 6.00-6.50pm

St A: Wed 6.00-6.50pm

St MM: Fri 6.00-6.50pm

WEEKDAY ROSARY

Mondays **St MM:** 7.00pm

Wednesdays **St A:** 6.30pm

PRAYING FOR THE SICK:

Steven Allison, Caroline Amos, Jean Bell, Pat Casey, Betty Cully, Kieron Donnelly, Joan Elton, Patricia Fisher, Audrey Kavanagh, Baby Lincoln, David Lowe Jnr, Ted Machin, Jenny MacLeod, Teresa McCormick, Carole McCulloch, Winifred Mooney, Irene McNarney, Amy Scroggie, Peter Vincent, and all in need of our prayers.

PRAY FOR OUR LATELY DEPARTED:

Patricia Dewar, Sr Catherine Gough RSHM,

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER

We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

SCRIPTURE PRAYER GROUP

Starts again this Tuesday 8th November, at 2.30pm in Blessed Christopher Robinson House.

DIVINE MERCY PRAYER GROUP

Every Monday at 2.00pm at St. Augustine's. All welcome!

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

This Sacrament is offered to those children aged year 6+. Application forms are now available at the back of each church and should be **completed and returned to a priest after Mass today, Sunday 6th November**. The parish-based of preparation will begin towards the end of November.

OUR NEXT PARISH QUIZ NIGHT

At St Margaret Mary's Community Centre, Begley Room Monday 7th November at 7.30pm for 8.00pm start. Teams of 6 or less. Entry £1. Winner's cash prize. All welcome!

NOVEMBER LISTS

You can still place your list of names of Souls you would like to be prayed for in a Holy Souls envelope, available at the back of our churches, together with your offering. The envelope can be placed it in the Holy Souls box, or in the collection basket at Mass. We will place the names near the Altar to pray for them during November.

CUMBRIAN PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

Do please consider joining this society uniting with others in praying for the dead and arranging for Holy Mass to be offered for their souls. Visit www.prayforsouls.uk and register the names of loved ones to be remembered in the daily prayers and monthly Mass of the Society.

FIRST CONFESSION & HOLY COMMUNION

The parents of children presently in Year 3 at school or above may wish that they make their First Confession and Holy Communion next year. The preparations sessions are compulsory. Those interested are invited to a meeting for parents only on Thursday 17th November at 6.30pm at Blessed Christopher Robinson House.

MEN'S ROSARY RALLY

Calling all men to take up your spiritual arms with the KSC. Participating a national rosary rally on First Saturday's we will be pray the Rosary at the Market Cross in the city centre on Saturday 3rd December at 10.00am.

CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR UKRAINE

St. Margaret Mary's are collecting shoe boxes to send to children (0-7-year-olds) in Ukraine. Please fill with items mentioned on the poster. To be dropped off at St. Margaret Mary's church Thursdays 9.00am - 11.30am.

LADIES GROUP AT ST AUGUSTINE

Invite you to a sale of their Christmas crafts on Sunday 20th November after the 11.00am Mass. Please come prepared with your cash! All are welcome.

SVP - CHRISTMAS CAPERS

On Saturday, 3rd December at 12.30pm in Waterton Hall. Join us for refreshments, festive concert, tombola and cake stall. Entrance £5.00. Donations of prizes for the tombola and baking for the cake stall will be gratefully accepted. Deliver to the Rectory, Warwick Square. All are welcome!

WREATH-MAKING WORKSHOP

To raise funds for St Margaret Mary's School and Eden Valley Hospice. St Margaret Mary Primary School Hall, Saturday 10th December at 2.00pm £25 per person Contact schools@stmmary.cumbria.sch.uk or 01228 401800 to book a place. This is for adults only.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

St. John Henry Newman School, Sunday 11th December. 11.00am to 4.00pm in Waterton Hall. To support two local charities. Santa's grotto, raffle, delicious food and a sale of crafts. Stalls can be booked for £5 at bookings@newman.cumbria.sch.uk Entry by donation. All welcome.

THE CATHOLIC VOICE

The November edition will be available at all our churches from this weekend and on our website at carlislecatholicchurch.org/latest-news/articles-archives

SPUC & KSC ONLINE ROSARY

Join SPUC and the Knights of St Columba online each Thursday in November to mark the 55th Anniversary of the Abortion Act. Access at www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting Meeting ID: 342 458 317 637 Passcode: pYePXx See poster for details.

COR ET LUMEN CHRISTI - FIRE AND LIGHT

On Wednesday 9th November, at the Old Convent, Wigton, an evening of adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, extended joyful praise and intimate worship. Email: stcuthberts@coretlumenchristi.org Tel: 016973 45623.

PARISH STATISTICS 29th / 30th October

Last Week	Offertory	Special	Attended
OLPH	£2512.44	£915.60	800