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Sunday, 13th October 2019

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

Mass Intention: Jacqueline Crowhurst RIP

Entrance Hymn: 794

Offertory Hymn: 243

Kyrie: 518

Acclamation: 561(2)

Communion Hymn: 956

Gloria: 998

Great Amen: 562

Recessional Hymn: 719

Sanctus: 559

Agnus Dei: 591

WELCOME

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

There will be a Children's Liturgy today. Activity bags may be found hanging on the chairs at the back of church to be borrowed to keep children engaged during Mass. Please replace after use.

After Mass refreshments are served at the back of the Cathedral.

COLLECTIONS

Last Sunday's plate collection was **£232.04** and the **Special Collection for CAFOD** was **£112.73**. Next week there will be a **Special Collection for World Missions**.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Readers: Mrs G Edwards; Col P Thomas

Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs M Casey; Mrs S Cole;
Mrs A Gosnell; Mr J Thompson

Welcome Team: Mrs A Paintin; Mrs P Brooks

Children's Liturgy: Mrs P Rossiter

SERVICES THIS WEEK

Wed 16th Oct: *St Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin*
1145hrs – Midday Prayer & Angelus
1200hrs – Holy Mass
Edmund Lineham RIP

Fri 18th Oct: *St Luke the Evangelist*
1200hrs – Holy Rosary

Sat 19th Oct: *St Paul of the Cross*
1200hrs – Holy Baptism:
Alexandra and Harry Wilson-Thomas

MINISTRIES FOR NEXT SUNDAY, 20th OCTOBER 2019

Readers: Mrs N Francis-Crerar; Mr B McMahon

Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs P Beal; Mrs G Edwards;
Mrs E Haddon; Mrs A Gosnell

Welcome Team: Mrs M Casey; Mrs E Gillham

Children's Liturgy: Mrs Y Spreadborough

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, in your personal intercessions, together with all who are incarcerated for their crimes, their victims, and those who administer their welfare and their rehabilitation.

SACRAMENTAL CELEBRATION

This morning Sally Ann Couch will be Received into Full Communion with the Catholic Church and Confirmed in her faith.

TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

For forty years Prisons Week has prepared prayer literature to enable the Christian community, through individuals and churches, to pray for the needs of all those affected by prisons: prisoners and their families, victims of crime and their communities, those working in the criminal justice system and the many people who are involved in caring for those affected by crime on the inside and outside of our prisons. Prisons Week raises awareness and generates prayer. It motivates volunteers to step forward and give their time and gifts, in prisons and in their own communities. It provides an annual focus and reason for Christians to work together, building capacity and motivation to make a difference for people who are out of sight and often out of mind. Further details and resources may be found at: www.prisonsw.org

PAPAL PRONOUNCEMENT

In a personal decree entitled *Aperuit illis*, Pope Francis has declared the Third Sunday of Ordinary Time as the 'Sunday of the Word of God'. The full text of the decree may be seen on the noticeboard. 2020 is the 10th anniversary of *Verbum Domini* – Pope Benedict XVI's Apostolic Exhortation on 'The Word of the Lord' and the 1,600 anniversary of St Jerome's death. The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales will dedicate 2020 as a year of focus on the Bible and 'The God Who Speaks'. Details at: www.cbcew.org.uk/home/events/the-god-who-speaks/

IN MEMORIAM

As is our custom, the high altar will be decorated with lilies in November in remembrance of the Holy Souls. Should you wish to purchase any stems (at £2.50 each) for departed loved ones, please complete the form at the back of church. In addition, envelopes for the recording of names and donation of stipends are available and these, once completed and sealed, will be placed on the altar at every Mass during the month.

CELEBRATING FAITH

Following the canonisation of Cardinal Newman today in Rome, a Solemn Ecumenical Vespers in Westminster Cathedral at 1530hrs next Saturday, 19th October will see Cardinal Vincent Nicholas presiding and the Archbishop of Canterbury preaching. No tickets are required. All are most warmly welcome to attend.

AND FINALLY ...

... be thankful to all those who said no to you; because of them, you managed to do it yourself.

With every blessing
Fr Nick