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*Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> November 2019*

### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

*Mass Intention: The Fallen*

#### Hymns:

Entrance Hymn: Sheet

Mass Settings:

Offertory Hymn: Sheet

Kyrie: M21

Acclamation: M41

Communion Hymn: Sheet

Gloria: M25

Great Amen: M43

Recessional Hymn: Sheet

Sanctus: M39

Agnus Dei: M20

Always  
&  
Forever



#### 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 no 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 **£325.06**.

#### MINISTRIES FOR TODAY

Readers: Col P Thomas; Col P Rossiter

Bidding Prayers: Col N Fitzsimmons

Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs S Cole; Mrs E Haddon;

Mrs A Gosnell; Mrs P Ward

Welcome Team: Mrs L Morten; Col A Gillham

#### SERVICES THIS WEEK

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Nov: *St Martin of Tours, bishop*  
1045hrs – 4 RMP Armistice Day Service

Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Nov: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 32*

0900hrs – Morning Prayer:

Garrison Chaplaincy Team

1145hrs – Midday Prayer & Angelus

1200hrs – Holy Mass

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#### MINISTRIES FOR NEXT SUNDAY, 17<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2019

Readers: Mrs G Edwards; Col P Rossiter

Extraordinary Ministers: Mrs P Beal; Mrs M Casey;

Mrs N Francis-Crerar; Col A Gillham

Welcome Team: Mrs P Beal; Mrs E Haddon

Children's Liturgy: Mrs P Rossiter

#### PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, in your personal intercessions, especially all who have suffered in body, mind or spirit as a result of war and conflict, whether in uniform or not.

#### POIGNANT WORDS

Robert Laurence Binyon (1869-1943) published his poem 'For the Fallen' in The Times newspaper on 21<sup>st</sup> September 1914. The fourth stanza has the familiar words 'They shall grow not old ...'

[www.greatwar.co.uk/poems/laurence-binyon-for-the-fallen.htm](http://www.greatwar.co.uk/poems/laurence-binyon-for-the-fallen.htm)

#### ANNUAL COMMEMORATION

At this time of year our thoughts and prayers are, quite rightly, focussed on those who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom and peace. The Garden of Remembrance and other suitable decorations are now in place thanks to the dedication and commitment of our flower arranging team. Should you wish to commemorate someone who died in battle, please feel free to write their details on a wooden cross, and/or light a candle, and place it with the others.

#### CELEBRATING MINISTRY

In preparation for the commissioning of Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion during Mass on Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> December, would all members of the group please complete and return a registration form, available at the back of church, as soon as possible.

#### FUNDRAISING EVENT

Prizes are on view, and tickets on sale, at the back of church for a raffle that will be drawn after Mass next Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> November.

#### SAYING GOODBYE

The Mariposa Trust was set up to support people who have lost babies at any stage of pregnancy, at birth or in infancy. There will be a service for all who wish to attend in Methodist Central Hall, Westminster at 1530hrs on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> November. A poster about the event is on the noticeboard with further details at:

[www.sayinggoodbye.org](http://www.sayinggoodbye.org) and [www.mariposatrust.org](http://www.mariposatrust.org)

#### ADVENT COURSE

The proposal is to run three evening sessions as we prepare to celebrate Our Lord's Nativity. The first one will be at 1900hrs, preceded by Mass at 1830hrs, on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Please complete the form at the back of church to assist with planning.

#### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

The next First Holy Communion Course will start with a parents'/guardians' session on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> January at 1900hrs. Classes will commence on Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> January from 1600hrs to 1730hrs. Forms are now available to register your interest and may be collected from the back of church.

#### AND FINALLY ...

... the ultimate measure of a person is not where they stand in moments of comfort, but where they stand at times of challenge and controversy and conflict.

*With every blessing*  
Fr Nick