



## ST MICHAEL & ST GEORGE

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*Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2024*

### TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR B

*1100hrs Mass Intention: Peter Crerar & Norma Crerar-Francis Wedding Anniversary*

Entrance Hymn: 708

Offertory Hymn: 290

Kyrie: 480

Acclamation: 482

Communion Hymn: 360

Gloria: 481

Great Amen: 486

Recessional Hymn: 770

Sanctus: 482

Agnus Dei: 487

*The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on a Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation has been reinstated. Pastoral consideration for the vulnerable and those isolating is imperative and appropriate dispensations remain in place for them.*

#### WELCOME EVERYONE

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.

Children over four years old are invited to go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. Activity bags, containing appropriate books and other materials, hanging on the chairs at the back of church may be borrowed to keep children engaged during Mass. Please replace them after use and before leaving the building.

After Mass refreshments are served at the back of church.

#### MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Ward; Mrs R Rossiter

Readers: Ms E Ohemeng; Mrs J White

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs R Nash

#### THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from **1000hrs - 1600hrs**

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Oct: *Our Lady of the Rosary*

Tue 8<sup>th</sup> Oct: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 27, Year II*

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Oct: *St John Henry Newman, bishop*

1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week III)

1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

**Rita Harper RIP**

Thu 10<sup>th</sup> Oct: *St Paulinus of York, bishop*

Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Oct: *St John XXIII, pope*

1400hrs – Holy Rosary

1430hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

#### NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs M Casey; Mrs E Gillham

Readers: Mr M Floyd; Mr C Endean

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

#### PRAAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and support staff, together with all who are working for peace and reconciliation between nations, in your personal intercessions.

#### THOUGHT PROVOKING

During the two-day retreat prior to the opening of the Synod General Assembly last week, members gathered from all over the world listened to the reflections of Sr Maria Ignazia Angelini OSB and Fr Timothy Radcliffe OP. Their talks may be heard via the links at: [www.indcatholicnews.com/news/50768](http://www.indcatholicnews.com/news/50768)

#### LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 841 2764 0331

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84127640331?pwd=amspYcSEXVIU7PsSUaPiNO4HOEMn3h.1> Passcode: 559292

Wednesday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 826 1428 7696

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82614287696?pwd=te1OK4joDp949GzQk3GpWz7JaUZ68h.1> Passcode: 830349

#### RESPONSIBLE STEWARDSHIP

Many Christians looking to green their finances will today mark Good Money Sunday, heralding the start of Good Money Week.

Further details at: [www.indcatholicnews.com/news/50759](http://www.indcatholicnews.com/news/50759)

#### PAPAL INVITATION

Pope Francis has called for a day of prayer and fasting tomorrow, Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October, to mark the one-year anniversary of the Hamas attack on Israel amid escalating violence in the region. The Holy Father's announcement was made at the end of his homily at Mass in St Peter's Square last Wednesday. In it he reflected that the Church is always at the service of humanity, "especially in his dramatic hour of our history, as the winds of war and the fires of violence continue to ravage entire peoples and nations."

#### IN MEMORIAM

As is our custom, the Cathedral 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. Envelopes for the recording of names, together with donations and stipends, are available which, once completed, sealed and placed in the box provided, will be on the altar at every Mass during the month.

#### SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITY

A Catholic charity is hoping to exceed last year's milestone of more than a million children joining a campaign to pray the Rosary for peace in the world's conflict zones. Aid to the Church in Need is holding its "One Million Children Praying the Rosary" initiative for the nineteenth year in the row on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October. Last year the target of a million children praying the Rosary for peace was reached for the first time - and the charity wants to see even more young people taking part in 2024. Full details of the event are at: [www.acninternational.org/millionchildrenpraying/](http://www.acninternational.org/millionchildrenpraying/)

#### AND FINALLY ...

... if the grass looks greener it's probably astroturf.

*With every blessing  
Fr Nick*