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Sunday, 26th January 2025

THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

1100hrs Mass Intention: Elizabeth Jones RIP

Preface III of Sundays in Ordinary Time Eucharistic Prayer III

Entrance Hymn: 821

Offertory Hymn: 831

Communion Hymn: 627

Recessional Hymn: 864

Kyrie: M13

Gloria: M14

Sanctus: M15

Acclamation: M17

Great Amen: Plainchant

Agnus Dei: M20

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. The side chapel may be used for younger children's quiet activities and the vestry is available for those who need a place in which to make noise. 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.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team:

Mrs A Paintin; Mrs P Brooks

Readers:

Ms E Ohemeng; Mrs A Paintin

Extraordinary Ministers:

Mrs C Pritchard; Mrs P Ward

Children's Liturgy Lead:

Mrs P Ryan

THIS WEEK

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

Mon 27th Jan:

St Angela Merici, virgin

1030hrs – Funeral Mass (Zoom available)

Maj Gen Aidan Smyth RIP

Tue 28th Jan:

St Thomas Aquina, priest, doctor

1300hrs – Funeral Mass (Zoom available)

Freda Sheppard RIP

Wed 29th Jan:

Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 3, Year 1

1145hrs – Middy Prayer (Psalter Week III)

1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

Astrid O'Dea RIP

Thu 30th Jan:

Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 3, Year 1

Fri 31st Jan:

St John Bosco, priest

1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

Sat 1st Feb:

Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 3, Year 1

1430hrs – Divine Mercy Liturgy

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team:

Mrs L McMahan; Mrs M Ferrie

Readers:

Col P Rossiter; Mrs S Cole

Extraordinary Ministers:

Mrs P Ward; Mrs P Brooks

Children's Liturgy Lead:

Mrs F Qiatabua

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, in your personal intercessions.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 813 2878 1659

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81328781659?pwd=rtkZnBPbkRrdddkhTKOOLfAZKTR22K.1> Passcode: 685663

Monday's Funeral Mass Zoom details – ID: 870 2293 2743

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87022932743?pwd=7RYdY9vddcHc9PcASKkHyOT7xTVqJp.1> Passcode: 341630

Tuesday's Funeral Mass Zoom details – ID: 863 2590 4237

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86325904237?pwd=OZh86ckgU9rTJvMvHubGnJEYIAGLX1.1> Passcode: 654269

Wednesday's Mass Zoom details – ID: 895 4873 5686

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89548735686?pwd=IuuqPlnK9atKI8EKVUMTGeOmDTlpsH.1> Passcode: 621181

TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

For the Sunday of the Word of God Pope Francis wrote: 'A day devoted to the Bible should not be seen as a yearly event but rather a year-long event, for we urgently need to grow in our knowledge and love of the Scriptures and of the risen Lord, who continues to speak his word and to break bread in the community of believers.'

FAMILY CELEBRATION

We welcome the family and friends of Banks Rupert Macartney as he receives the sacrament of baptism after Mass today.

FAITHFUL WITNESS

Archbishop Timothy Broglio, president of the US Conference of Catholic Bishops, released a statement following President Trump's recent series of executive orders. It, and other observations, may be viewed at: www.indcatholicnews.com/news/51571

HISTORICAL REMEMBRANCE

Holocaust Memorial Day will take place this Tuesday, 27th January, marking 80 years since the liberation of Auschwitz-Birkenau, the largest of the Nazi concentration camps. The theme for 2025 is: 'For a Better Future'. Further details available at: www.hmd.org.uk

INFORMATIVE PERAMBULATIONS

A series of Catholic History Walks around London, led by the author, broadcaster and historian, Joanna Bogle, delve into many famous people, heroes and heroines, Kings and Queens, saints and sinners. For details of the events: www.catholichistorywalks.com

AND FINALLY ...

... opportunity dances with those already on the dance floor.

*With every blessing
Fr Nick*