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Sunday, 4th September 2022

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

0930hrs Mass Intention: Pamela Punter RIP

Entrance Hymn: 833

Offertory Hymn: 877

Communion Hymn: 965

Recessional Hymn: 955

Kyrie: Said

Gloria: Said

Sanctus: Said

Acclamation: Said

Great Amen: Said

Agnus Dei: Said

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

Please observe sensible precautions when entering and leaving the church by sanitising your hands. Face coverings are no longer mandatory, but may be worn as a matter of personal choice.

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.

The children will go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. After Mass refreshments are served in the church hall.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mrs L Orne; Mrs O Beattie
Readers: Mr T Banda; Ms E Ohemeng
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs R Nash

THIS WEEK

St Andrew's Church will open each day from **1000hrs to 1600hrs**

Mon 5th Sept: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 23, Year II*

Tue 6th Sept: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 23, Year II*

The church will be open from 1000hrs to 2200hrs today

Wed 7th Sept: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 23, Year II*

1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

The Bishopric

The church will be open from 0700hrs to 1600hrs today

Thu 8th Sept: *Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

0730hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

Christian Unity

Fri 9th Sept: *St Peter Claver, priest*

1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1545hrs – Holy Communion Outside of Mass

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Woodhouse; Mrs P Ward
Readers: Mrs M Ferrie; Col P Rossiter
Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs Y Spreadborough

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the military personnel of our Armed Forces, together with their families and support staff in your personal intercessions.

POSITIVE ACTION

The Disasters Emergency Committee brings together 15 leading UK aid charities, raising funds to quickly and effectively respond to overseas disasters. With the ongoing conflict in Ukraine and flooding in Pakistan, help is urgently needed: www.dec.org.uk

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Invitation Zoom details – ID: 878 5190 5306

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87851905306?pwd=WVRxbmJpSIY5UElrNWkKRDBxUT09> Passcode: 592964

Wednesday's Mass Invitation Zoom details – ID: 880 9184 8242

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88091848242?pwd=Yzc0eWYrVVhBLy9heDBBeVZaYmZWZz09> Passcode: 651872

Thursday's Mass Invitation Zoom details – ID: 816 9728 3404

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81697283404?pwd=RTd6bVh0cTdtVFZz09> Passcode: 811695

ASSISTING OTHERS

Many thanks to all who continue to contribute to the local Food Bank with financial gifts via Mary Casey. We have received a letter of gratitude for the latest donation of £170 and, not least because of the current economically challenging times, it is our intention to maintain our support as an ongoing charitable commitment to the local community.

CELEBRATING GRACE

As previously advertised, in September and October this year the Relics of St Bernadette will journey on pilgrimage to England, Scotland and Wales for the very first time. Visiting 51 venues across 3 nations, this very special pilgrimage will offer important opportunities for prayer, reflection and spiritual renewal, providing a once in a lifetime opportunity for people of all ages and backgrounds to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes, in a church or cathedral near them. We will be hosting the tour from this Wednesday 7th to Thursday 8th September, and Bishop Paul will be the principal celebrant at Mass the day the relics arrive. Volunteer stewards are required to welcome and assist visitors, so please sign-up if you are able. Further details about the whole event may be found at: www.stbernadette.org.uk

CREATIVE INSIGHT

The Revd Patrick van der Vorst, who hosts the popular website Gospel in Art, will be speaking about Beauty and Catholicism at St Mary's Church, Hampstead next Sunday, 11th September from 1600hrs-1700hrs. The talk promises a fascinating insight into art, beauty and Catholicism from a leading art specialist and may be viewed via livestream at: www.churchservices.tv/hampstead.

AND FINALLY ...

... what the world really needs is more love and less paperwork.

*With every blessing
Fr Nick*