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Sunday, 2nd July 2023

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A

Mass Intention: Kenneth McNally RIP

Entrance Hymn: 877

Offertory Hymn: 869

Communion Hymn: 873

Recessional Hymn: 860

Kyrie: 488

Gloria: 489

Sanctus: 490

Acclamation: 492

Great Amen: 494

Agnus Dei: 495

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 4 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 E Allen; Mrs B Synyer

Readers: Mrs P Powell; Mr M Jones

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs P Ryan

THIS WEEK

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

Mon 3rd July: *St Thomas, apostle*

Tue 4th July: *St Elizabeth of Portugal*

Wed 5th July: *St Anthony Mary Zaccaria, priest*
1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week I)
1200hrs – Service of the Word with Holy Communion (Zoom available)

Thu 6th July: *St Maria Goretti, virgin, martyr*

Fri 7th July: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 13, Year I*
1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
1545hrs – Holy Communion outside of Mass

Sat 8th July: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 13, Year I*
1400hrs – Marquee Working Party

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs M Allen; Mrs O Beattie

Readers: Mr T Banda; Mrs O Beattie

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs F Qiatabua

PRAYER INTENTIONS

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

FAMILY CELEBRATION

The Parish Garden Party will take place next Sunday, 9th July on the grassed area alongside St Andrew's Church. Food contributions should be left on the table in the porch before Mass. Please bring along your own garden chairs if you have them.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom Invitation details – ID: 847 8258 6964

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84782586964?pwd=eEp1dVhuanpHNXBt6HZSRFZldHJJZz09> Passcode: 306849

Wednesday's Service Zoom details – ID: 811 4595 2852

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81145952852?pwd=a3pdXpSVG9GN1VPcXU3YTYvMVptUT09> Passcode: 070056

WITH THANKS

We're most grateful to Fr Pat Sherlock SDB, Rector and Chaplain of Salesian College, for being our celebrant today while all of the Bishopric chaplains are away on their CPD Conference.

COMMUNITY GATHERING

Our friends of St Andrew's Church of Scotland congregation have invited us to a number of their social gatherings. One is a drop-in coffee morning next Saturday, 8th July from 1030hrs to 1200hrs, and the other Afternoon Tea on Saturday, 12th August at 1530hrs, for which there is a form to sign at the back of church.

ADVANCED WARNING

The Royal Army Service Corps & Royal Corps of Transport Associations will be celebrating their Corps Sunday with a Service on 16th July at 1100hrs. They will be no Mass on that day, but a Vigil Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, 15th July at 1800hrs which will fulfil the Sunday obligation.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Westminster Cathedral are looking for a Fundraising Manager. Details of the post and all other information may be found at: www.indcatholicnews.com/news/47422

VATICAN ENGAGEMENT

His Majesty's Ambassador to the Holy See, Chris Trott, will be on a webinar hosted by the Catholic Union on Thursday, 13th July from 1830hrs – 1930hrs. It is free to attend and open to all, but there is a need to register in advance in order to receive the link to join the talk via: www.eventbrite.com/e/catholic-union-webinar-an-evening-with-the-ambassador-tickets-651686480807?aff=oddtcreator

AND FINALLY ...

... one of the delights of waving at random people is knowing that they'll spend the rest of the day trying to work out who you are!

With every blessing
Fr Nick