

CORPUS CHRISTI, TRING

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
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FIRST READING: Sirach 35:12-14 The Lord is not deaf to the wail of the orphan, nor to the widow when she pours out her complaint. The one who serves God willingly is heard; his petition reaches the heavens.

Responsorial Psalm: The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

Second Reading: Second Letter of Paul to Timothy 4:6-8,16-18

In his three pastoral letters to Timothy and Titus, St. Paul often quotes his own life and sufferings to encourage his disciples and successors to persevere in their apostolic labours. He now feels that his earthly life is nearing its end but he has full confidence in God, his just judge, who will give him his eternal reward.

Gospel: Luke 18:9-14 – Jesus addressed this parable to those who were convinced of their own righteousness and despised everyone else. “Two people went up the temple area to pray; one was a Pharisee and the other was a tax collector. The Pharisee took up his position and spoke this prayer to himself, ‘O God, I thank you that I am not like the rest of humanity – greedy, dishonest, adulterous – or even lie like this tax collector. I fast twice a week, and I pay tithes on my whole income. But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, ‘O God be merciful to me a sinner.’ I tell you, the latter went home justified, not the former; for whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and the one who humbles himself will be exalted.”

Mass Intention for October

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| Saturday 22 nd | 5.00 pm | Clare Davis R.I.P |
| Sunday 23 rd | 9.00 am | Halliday Family Int |
| | 10.30 am | Seamie McCormick & Family Int |
| Monday 24 th | 12.00 Noon | Monica Kavanagh Anni |
| Tuesday 25 th | 12.00 Noon | Private Intention |
| Wednesday 26 th | 12.00 Noon | Mary Heskin R.I.P |
| Friday 28 th | 6.00 pm | In Thanksgiving to Padre Pio |
| Saturday 29 th | 5.00 pm | Shena Moynihan |
| Sunday 30 th | 9.00 am | O’Connell Family |
| | 10.30 am | John Pagne & Family Int |

There will be coffee, biscuits & hopefully cake after the 10.30 Mass

Articles for the Newsletter

Please send any pieces for the Newsletter by Wednesday to tring@rcdow.org.uk

Sick List

The Sick and the Housebound in our parish –

We pray especially for: Winifred Winstone, Elizabeth Le Juge de Segrais, Dhoon Casstells, Patrick Rice, Tracey Hardy, Alison Marshall, Laurence Sherwood, Jim Crossford, Phyllis Edwards, John Tilcock.

The Recently Deceased & Anniversaries –

We pray for all who are recently deceased and their grieving families.

If you wish to add a name to our sick list or the deceased list, please let Annabelle know

Appeals Sunday 23 Oct – World Mission Sunday

November 5th – 6th for Sick & Retired Priests - More details will be given next weekend

Parish Priest – Fr. Sean Thornton: Seanthornton@rcdow.org.uk
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Gift Aid Appeal

Our parish is one big family, and like all families at the moment we are watching every penny carefully. If you pay tax, please can you Gift Aid your weekly contributions, as this can form an integral part of earnings for the Parish. Adding Gift Aid increases the value of donations by 25%, so it means even more money goes towards your donation to the church and it won't cost you a penny extra as the Government pays the additional 25%. I would encourage everyone to consider Gift Aid. Please have a think, and if you need more information see Annabelle or me.

Paul Wright - Finance Committee Chairman

A Garden Party

A garden party with a difference, weather permitting! On Saturday 5th November at 10.00 hrs would any able-bodied parishioners be available to help prune the shrubs surrounding the rear entrance to the church and the lawn? Bring your loppers, hedge-trimmers, gloves etc - and rubbish bags. Hopefully a couple of hours should do it. Refreshments will be provided! Please add your name onto the list at the back of church if you would like to help. Thank you. 😊

Plants for the Presbytery Garden

I have inherited a Prestbury garden that has not been looked after at all, it is in the most awful state and desperately needs attention. To help the parish save some money, when you are dividing & splitting plants in your own garden, would you please think of giving some to me so I can try and transform this wildness into a pleasant garden. I would greatly appreciate this. **Thank you, Fr. Sean.**

Ministries for the weekend of Saturday/Sunday 22nd & 23rd

Saturday 22/10/22 – 5.00 pm Mass

Reader: Lucy Hutt

Eucharistic Minister: Mary Todd

Sunday 23/10/22-

9.00 am

Reader: Heather Houston

10.30 am

No Reader

Going forward, on the Sunday Masses if there is a Eucharistic Minister who is at the 9.00 am Mass please let me know.

We also need Readers for the 10.30 Mass, please let me know if you will be happy to do this ministry if you are at the Mass.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives (PSRs) -

Sue Wright PSR: tringsg2@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

Heather Houston PSR: tringsg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

Church Offerings

If you are a weekly plate giver, would you please consider setting up a Standing Order.

Our bank details are as follows. Please do include your name as your reference. Thank you for your continued generosity and support to our parish, it is greatly appreciated.

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Standing Order Forms are at the back of the Church, if



Children's liturgy

Children's liturgy will be held in the hall during the Sunday 9 am Mass. The children listen to a reading, have a discussion and do a related craft activity. We go from the church to the hall before the start of mass and return for the offertory. Suitable for ages up to eight years old. Thank you, Ide Powell.

Mass Intentions

If you would like to book a Mass intention, please call the parish, e-mail, or see Annabelle. The Diocesan suggested offering is £10. Many thanks.

Mass envelopes are at the back of the church, please make sure your phone number is on the envelope. Many thanks.

Dates for your diary:

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| Sun | 23 rd Oct | World Mission Sunday |
| Tue | Nov 1 st | All Saints Day |
| Wed | Nov 2 nd | First session of The Youth Group |
| Wed | Nov 2 nd | All Souls Day Mass at 12 Noon & 7.30 pm |
| Sat | Nov 5 th | Tring Together Prayer Breakfast in the hall |
| Sat & Sun | Nov 5/6 th | Sick & Retired Priests' Fund Appeal |
| Sun | Dec 18 th | Nativity & Carols in the Church |

Mass Intentions for the week:

Weekday Mass Times Changes

Please make a note in your diaries that from November the Masses on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday will be at 10.00 am.