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WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS / VISITORS

*If you are new to the parish or have moved house within the parish-
 Please ask a collector for a Record Form, complete and return to collector*

THIS WEEKEND		33rd SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME		Year B
DATE		MASS INTENTIONS		MEETINGS / EVENTS
Saturday 17th November	6pm	(Vigil) Burke family intentions / The Parish		Flowers on the altar this weekend are in birthday remembrance of Constance Mary Knight
Sunday 18th November	10am	Sacramental Programme mass / Fr Abbots intentions / Edward Gybas, recently died.		Journey in Faith 4.30 - 5.30pm Youth group 7 - 9pm Priory House Family Rota of Prayer Jones family 11 Parkgate Drive
Monday 19th November	9.00 12.15	Cecilia Kane RIP Angela Mary Barton RIP	Church Cleaning 9am 'B' team Fr Leonsyo Akena leaves us today to return to Uganda. Thank you for coming to be with us.	
Tuesday 20th November <i>The Presentation of Our Lady</i>	7.50am 12.15	(with schools) Teresa Harte Michael Taylor birthday remembrance		Faith in Action 6-7pm Meeting for Deacons 7pm SVP 7.30pm
Wednesday 21st November <i>St Cecilia</i>	9.00 12.15 6pm	No Mass Dacosta family Catenian mass - for those Catenians who have died. Anyone who wishes is welcome to come		Mindfulness 10-12
Thursday 22nd November	8am 12.15	(Alverna) Michael O'Brien RIP Elizabeth Wallbank anniversary		Mindfulness 10-12 St Mary's High School Prize giving in church. 6 pm
Friday 23rd November	8am 9 am 12.15	No Mass No Mass Service of Communion and Word		Intermediate Child and Baby First Aid 9.30 - 12.30
NEXT WEEKEND		FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING		Year B
Saturday 24th November <i>St Andrew Dung-Lac and companion Vietnamese Martyrs</i>	9am 9.30-10 5 - 6pm 6pm	Private Intention Confessions 9.30 till they end () Confessions 5 - 6pm () (Vigil) Newton Family intentions		<i>There is a retiring collection at the weekend masses for the work of Animate Youth Group for the Archdiocese.</i>
Sunday 25th November Feast of Christ the King Youth Sunday	10am	The Parish. <i>Youth mass today. The children from the Primary Schools will be very welcome with their parents.</i>		<u>Priory House</u> Journey in Faith 4.30-5.30pm Youth group 7-9pm Priory House Family Rota of Prayer Meldrum family 14 Crofters Meadow

Confessions Available at any time. Ring to arrange.

Adoration in Church. St. Joseph's You are welcome to pop in any time.

Last Sunday: **Offertory Loose Plate £323.77**
 For Gift Aid contact John Baggaley 432683

Gift Aid £477.86
Many thanks

Week 45 500 CLUB' CONGRATULATIONS TO E Ellison £100 Winner 2 Agent: A Anthony

COMMUNION FOR THE SICK The Congregation says: May this sacrament unite them with Christ and his Church and give them consolation and peace

THE PARISH BY BAPTISM we welcome Winnie Campbell, and Fredrick Stephen Barnes.

PLEASE PRAY FOR Dennis Salisbury, Rosalia Lakot (Fr Leonsyo Akena's mother) Monica Maguire, Bernadette Clarke, Colin Bennett, Frank King, Vanda Brown, Pat McMahon, Bernadette Thompson, Matthew Cox, Tony Loftus, Eileen Standidge, Pat Clensey, Maurice Green, Sharon Seddon, Margaret Evans, Allen Withnell, Carol Parkinson, Christine Hayes, Marjorie Parr, Margaret Booth, Rebecca Coates, Vi Gardner, Joan Sullivan, Pauline Robinson, Philip Watson, Derek Taylor, Catherine Breen, Glenda Kelly, Eileen Hilliard, Peter Beatty, and connected with us, Elaine Brown, Bernadette O'Brien (Sr. Veronica's sister) Malcolm Wright, Anthony McMahon, Chris Berry, Peter Keane, Kevin Barnes, and for all sick people known to parishioners.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL OUR DEPARTED for William Gardner connected with our parish and all those who died recently and the following whose anniversaries occur about this time: Mary Howard, Michael Durkin, Hugh Edward Sloan, Bernard Nuttall, John Patrick Benson, Joseph Bamford and Alex Stirzaker

NOTICES

Sign the Card if you wish In the Narthex there is a card to sign for Fr. Leonsyo who is returning to Uganda on Monday. He has made an impact on many people in the parish and please assure your parishioners that we will pray for them and please remember us in your prayers.

Bidding Prayer Rota the next rota is available in the sacristy.

Synod 2020 Four people have been nominated to be members of the Synod by Parishioners. Three will be offered to represent the deanery from our Parish representing the world of Education; the world of health care; the world of Social Action. One has been nominated to be our parish representative, and he is Kevin Quigley. We thank him for accepting. The others we will discover in the light of those who may be nominated by other parishes in our Pastoral Area.

Order of Deacons 20th November in the Parish Centre, begins with refreshments at 7pm ends by 9pm. Archbishop Malcolm will talk about the ministry of deacons, the formation and discernment will be explained, two serving deacons and their wives will share their experiences, with some time for questions. Anyone who is curious about the diaconate is welcome to come.

Church Cleaners The small friendly group of volunteers who clean the church need help! If you can spare 2 hours every other Monday morning please ring Pat on 469381 or contact Lesley.

Find a Friend Christmas dinner if you know an older person to be alone on Christmas day St Paul's Church, Farington Moss are providing a 3 course meal. See the poster, places limited, booking essential.

OUR WAY OF LIFE Baptised people are part of the Body of Christ and he has for ever taken away all sin. No more need to be done by anyone to take away sin. People need to repent – which means to change our direction away from sin – and receive in the ways we know, the forgiveness that God longs for us to have from him.

A REFLECTION Outside our Church is the beautiful art work that shows a majestic and all powerful Jesus at the end of the world. On his right are all the just, on the left the condemned as in Matthew's gospel Chapter 25. The criterion for heaven is straight forward: "whatever we do to another for good or evil, we do to Jesus himself". Let us insure that we do good to others by God's grace.

WORD OF LIFE Listen! I am standing at the door, knocking; if you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to you and eat with you, and you with me. (Rev. 3: 20).

We need to "shut out" all external noise if we want to recognise and hear his voice, his Spirit, who can help us break through our fear and open the door of our heart.

Chiara Lubich wrote about her own experience: "*We must silence everything within us in order to discover the voice of the Spirit. We need to draw it out as if we were extracting a diamond from mud: polish it up, display it and share it with other people at the right moment, because it is Love and Love is meant to be given. It is like fire, which burns when in contact with straw or other material. If it does not do this, it dies out. Love must grow in us and overflow.*"

Pope Francis has said that: "*The Holy Spirit is a gift ... He enters us and makes us fruitful, so that we can then give him to others. ... The Holy Spirit shifts us from our 'I' in order to open us up to the 'we' of the community: receiving in order to give. We are not at the centre: we are an instrument of that gift for others.*"

The Word of Life is available in full in the Narthex, in New City (free) in front of the Piety Shop, and on the website

Synod Prayer

Father, we thank you for the love you have shown us in the gift of Jesus, your Son.
We thank you for the gift of the Church, through which you show us that you are always with us and are always at work in our lives.

As we journey together to Synod 2020 help us to become the Church that you are calling us to be.

May your Holy Spirit be powerfully at work among us.
Strengthen each of us and guide Francis, our Pope

and Malcolm, our Archbishop.

Help us to respond to the challenges of our times in new ways to bring your love to all our sisters and brothers.
We make this prayer through Jesus Christ
Our Lord. **AMEN**