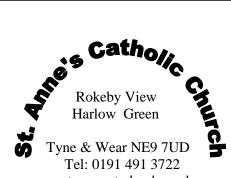
# Thirtieth Sunday of the Year 29th October 2017

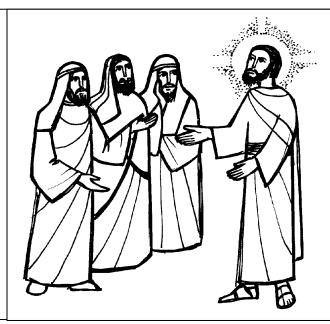


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You must love the Lord your God and your neighbour as yourself Matthew 22:34-40



## MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS 29th October – 4th November

Date	Feast	Time	Intention			
Sun 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Thirtieth Sunday of the Year	10.30am	Callaghan & McEwen Families			
		5.30pm	People of the Parish			
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Martyrs of Douai College	10.00am	Eucharistic Service			
Tue 31st Oct		10.00am	ILM Florrie Eley			
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> Nov	All Saints Day [Holy Day of Obligation]	10.00am	Intentions of Elliott Family			
		7.00pm	NBF			
Thur 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	Commemoration of Faithful Departed	9.30am	Holy Souls in Purgatory			
		5.30pm	Funeral Reception			
		7.00pm	Intentions of Priest			
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	St. Winefride V	9.45am	Requiem Mass Mary Glass RIP			
		6.00pm	Exposition of Blessed Sacrament			
		7.00pm	Benediction			
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> Nov	St. Charles Borromeo	10.00am	Patricia Fergus' Intentions			
Sun 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Thirty-First Sunday of the Year	10.30am	Families who suffered thro abortion			
		5.30pm	People of the Parish			
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Chapel Times of Adoration: Monday 9.00am-3.00pm; Tuesday 8.00am-3.00pm

#### Welcomers

29th Oct; Rose-Elaine; Elsie 5<sup>th</sup> Nov; Rose-Elaine; Ann

# Mass Readers

29th Oct

10.30am Ann Bains 5<sup>th</sup> Nov

**10.30am** Sharon McQuiggan

### **Church Cleaners**

Two weeks from 29th Oct-11th Nov Group {E} Karen Clark; Elaine Clark;

### Sanctuary Candle: 29th Oct-4th Nov

Church: Pat Archer

Birthday Memory Kathleen Callaghan

#### Chapel:

Sanctuary Candle: 5th - 11th Nov

**Church:** Pat Elliott **ILM Nancy Glenton** 

Chapel:

# **Communion Ministers**

29<sup>th</sup> Oct

10.30am Margaret Bayne; Goff Ellis; John Kelly

5.30am Margaret Davidson

#### 5<sup>th</sup> Nov

10.30am Nicola Cant; Jack Ferrer; Margaret Wright

5.30pm Margaret Davidson

100+ Club Winner 22<sup>nd</sup> Oct Wk 4 No 78 Joan Stephenson/Karen Downie Offertory Coll. 22nd Oct. £273.04

Mission Sunday £170.67

Standing orders average £110 per week

1<sup>st</sup> Reading from the Prophet Malachi 1:14-2:2,8-10 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians 2:7-9,13 Holy Gospel according to Matthew 23:1-12

Second Collection Today for Priests' Training Fund

**SICK CLERGY:** Please pray for Fr. James Doherty who is very ill and for all our clergy who are indisposed or incapacitated.

LADIES' GUILD: 30th October Surprise Bingo; 6th November, Supper Evening.

**FEAST DAYS:** Please note, Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> November All Saints' Day, is a holyday of obligation. Mass will be celebrated at 10.00am and 7.00pm. Two Masses will also be celebrated on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, All Souls' Day, at 10.00am and 7.00pm. These Masses will be offered for all deceased family members and for the Holy Souls in purgatory. We hope many will honour the tradition of joining with us in praying for all the Holy Souls' in purgatory. A plenary indulgence applicable only to the Holy Souls' may be gained from midday of the eve to midnight of All Souls' on the following conditions: a prayerful visit to a church or chapel, during which the Our Father and the Creed are said, to which are added sacramental confession and prayer for the Pope's intentions.

**MARY GLASS RIP:** With much sadness we heard of Mary Glass' passing to God. Mary shared our parish life for more than half of its life-time. Mary was one of our most popular parishioners withmany a memorable comment on all subjects. May you have the joys of heaven now Mary and, with God's help, we will meet again. May you rest in peace.

**PRIESTS' TRAINING FUND:** Today a special collection will be taken at both Masses for the training of clergy. In addition, you will hear a Pastoral Letter from Bishop Seamus, in which he expresses his sincere thanks for and acknowledges all the work being carried out within the Partnerships in building up our diocese.

**PRAYER GROUP:** The next prayer group meeting will be held on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm in the Chapel. Everyone welcome.

**100+ CLUB:** Father Kelly is delighted and most grateful to all who have responded so generously to the newly tweeked 100+ Club. Our congratulations to the recent winners and a reminder that next Sunday there is a double draw with handsome prizes.

**CHRISTMAS FAYRE & RAFFLE:** The Parish Christmas Fayre will be held on Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> November, after 10.30am Mass in the Parish Hall. Donations of bottles of wine, spirits, unwanted gifts, chocolates, sweets, etc and cakes, for sale on the day, would be very much appreciated. A box will be placed at the back of Church for donations. Many thanks. Please see Debbie or Karen for more information or if you would like to help on the day. Raffle tickets will be on sale after Mass today. If you are able and willing to donate a raffle prize, please sign the list at the back of Church together with details of your donation. Thank you very much for your support and generosity.

**FAIR TRADE:** TRAIDCRAFT products; teas, coffees, biscuits, are available to buy and order from the Traidcraft stall, in the parish hall after Mass. We hope you will support this excellent opportunity to help poor communities in the developing world, by paying them a fair price for the goods they produce. We hope to extend the range of products available over the next few weeks and months. These will include breakfast cereals, jam, marmalade, honey, chocolate, Christmas cards and more. Thank you for your support.

**GATESHEAD FOOD BANK:** Special collections for Christmas have been arranged for Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> November and Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Early dates are to facilitate distribution. Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity.

**GRANT-A-WISH TOKENS:** Please note that there is a box at the back of Church for anyone wishing to donate Grant-a-Wish tokens from the Chronicle in aid of terminally ill children.

**Holy God!** At my yearly visit to Church on Christmas Day the family in front of me obviously weren't regular Mass-goers either, because when the priest came out onto the altar, the four-year-old son turns to his mother and yells at the top of his voice: 'There's God, you're in big trouble now!'.

As the *Titanic* was sinking, a chap from Gaetsheed was swimming madly round the ship shouting: 'Where's the dance, where's the dance?' 'What do you mean 'dance'? asked a drowning passenger. 'I heard an announcement only ten minutes ago', said the Geordie, 'a-band-on-ship, a-band-on-ship'!