

# MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle B :: Weekday Cycle 2  
Divine Office Vol. 1 Week 2

## CALL TO SILENCE:

Praise we now the Lord our God,  
in silence we adore you.

## FIRST READING:

I Samuel 3: 3-10. 19.

## PSALM 39:

Here I am Lord!  
I come to do your will.

## SECOND READING:

I Corinthians 6:13-15. 17-20

## GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:  
you have the message of eternal life.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** John 1: 35-42

**PREFACE:** *II of the Sundays in OT*

**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER:** *II*

## Sunday 21st January is the 3rd Sunday of the Year (B)

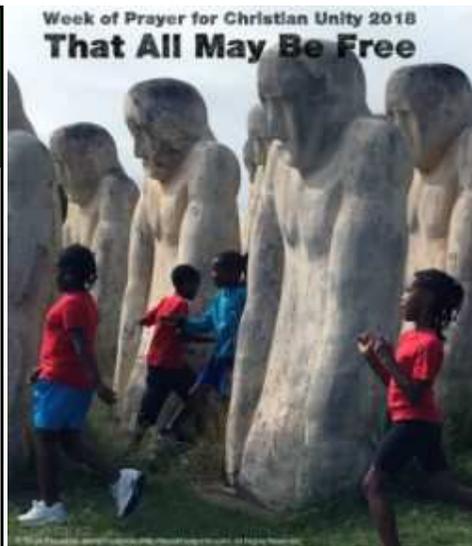
**OT Reading:** Jonah 3:1-5. 10

**Psalms:** Ps. 24

**NT Reading:**

I Corinthians 7:29-31.

**Gospel:** Mark 1:14-20



## CHRISTIAN UNITY WEEK.

This annual week that Christians use to support one another in prayer and fellowship takes place from 18-25th January. The theme for our 2018 reflections raise some of the contemporary issues addressed by the churches of the Caribbean. The Caribbean Churches work together to heal the wounds in the body of Christ. Reconciliation demands repentance, reparation and the healing of memories.

The whole Church is called to be both a sign and an active agent of this reconciliation.

Locally there is a United Service planned for Sunday 21st January in the Crichton Memorial Church at 9.15am to which all are welcome.



# SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (B) 14th January 2018

## St Teresa's Parish Community

Our Parish Priest is: Fr Jim Hayes  
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*(Please only call Deacon Willie Mon-Frid office hours unless an emergency)*  
A parish of the RC Diocese of Galloway. Charity Number: SC 010576.  
The sick and housebound would appreciate a copy of the bulletin - if you can please pop one through their door. Thank you.



## SUNDAY MASSES:

**11.30am** here at St Teresa's

*Sunday Mass also takes place as follows:*

Vigil: 6pm in St Luke's, Moffat (DG10 9DS) also 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries (DG1 2JL);  
Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie (DG11 2DA); 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;  
12 noon St Columba's, Annan (DG12 6JG)

## SERVICES THIS WEEK

*Mon, Tues, Thurs & Sat at 10am  
Wed & Frid at 10am in St Andrew's*

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Saturday after 10am service till 10.55am.

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday after 10am service till 11am.

The Rosary:

Recited at 9.45am on Tuesdays

**The Ladies Guild:** Meet on Tuesdays in the Parish Hall at 7.30pm. All welcome.

**The Parish Hall:** To book the hall please contact Mrs Peggy Marshall on 261373

**WEEKLY COLLECTION: £691.11.** Thank you for your weekly support.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

Weddings normally require six months notice-please contact Fr Jim.

## MASS INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday 11.30am: Delia McEwen (Rec Dec. sister of Mary Brown);

Monday: John McQueen (RecDec);

Tuesday: George McCluskey (RecDec); Thursday: Delia McEwen (RecDec);

Saturday: Special Intentions (VMcG).

We remember all those who are sick at home, in hospital or in care.

**POLISH COMMUNITY MASS.** We welcome Fr Rafal Sobieszuk from St Bride's, East Kilbride who joins the local Polish Community this afternoon here at St Teresa's to celebrate Mass in Polish at 2.15pm followed by a cuppa. All welcome.

**THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL (PPC).** Our next meeting takes place in the Parish Hall on Monday 29th January from 7-9pm. **THIS IS A CHANGE OF DATE.** Please come along and share any ideas you may have on areas of pastoral concern we should be directing our energies to. Your thoughts and offers to be involved will be welcome.

**PARISH SCOTTISH NIGHT.** A Scottish night for all parishioners, young and old, single and married has been planned for Friday 26th January in the Parish Hall in honour of Rabbie Burns. It begins with a meal of Pie & Peas at 7pm and goes on until 10pm. To help with catering please tick the list at the back of church if you are planning to attend. There will be a cash bar and raffle but the meal is complimentary (as will the juice for the children be). If any one would like to share a Scottish poem, joke or song/tune they will be very welcome to do so too-a fun night for all.

**CATHOLIC AND IN HOSPITAL?** Unless you directly inform a member of staff to let the RC Chaplain know you (or a relative) has been admitted to Hospital and would like a routine visit, the Chaplain, Deacon Willie, will not know you are there. A dedicated mobile number to text or message him is now available on 07 591 230 828 as is a new email address: rcchaplain.hospital@yahoo.com. A flyer is also available in the church porch. In an emergency situation you should ask a member of staff to contact the priest on call via the hospital switchboard.

**USED STAMPS WELCOME.** Used stamps are collected by the parish to raise funds for mission projects. Please leave them in the box in the porch.

**200 CLUB.** Congratulations to Mary Barr (009) and Jessie Cummings (024) on winning this month's prize. New members are always welcome. Chat with Teresa in the Piety Shop for details on how to join. It's only £1 per month.

**THANK YOU.** The Ababa Project team thank you for the £294.66 collected last week for the parish mission.

**CALLING OUR YOUNG PEOPLE.** There will be a half-hour rehearsal following 11.30am Mass today (14th January) for our young people to volunteer to help lead Sunday mass on the 4th February. This is the beginning of Catholic Education Week. It will include a free youth event from 4pm till 6.30pm that same day in the Parish Hall which will include games and pizza! All young people and friends are welcome.

**GROW IN FAITH/RCIA.** The next evening for all those interested in discussing and growing in their knowledge of the faith will take place in St Teresa's Church Hall on Thursday 8th February from 7pm till 8.30pm. All are welcome, we look forward to seeing you. Those participating in the RCIA programme meet in the Parish House on Thursday 1st February from 7pm till 8.30pm.

**THE SATURDAY CLUB.** The children next meet in the Baptistry Room here in the Church on Saturday 27th January from 11.15am till 1.15pm. This regular club is for all the children of the parish in p.4 (whichever school they attend) preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and First Communion this coming year. Parents have a meeting scheduled for Sunday 11th February in the Baptistry following 11.30am Mass for half an hour. **(PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE OF DATE).**

**THE WEDNESDAY CLUB.** This group of seniors (and friends) next meets in the Parish Hall on Wednesday 7th February beginning with their complimentary lunch at 12.30pm. Doors open from 12 noon going on till 3pm. All seniors and their friends very welcome (no charge).

**EARLY MORNING SUNDAY MASS.** If anyone would like to avail themselves of the earlier mass at 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie please feel free to catch a lift with the free parish minibus. It departs from St Teresa's Church Carpark at 8.50am and will travel via Torthorwald (9am) and Lochmaben High Street (9.10am) on the way to Lockerbie and leaving Lockerbie at 10.40am via Lochmaben (10.50am), Dalton/Hetland Hall (11am), Torthorwald (11.15am) on the return journey (all times are approximate). Please let us know to expect you by emailing or leaving a message on the answering machine.

**AA SUPPORT GROUP.** A welcome awaits you on Friday evenings from 7.30pm in the Baptistry Room in the Church. Just pop-in.