

MASS TEXT

Sunday Cycle B :: Weekday Cycle 1
Divine Office: Vol. 3 Week 2

CALL TO SILENCE:

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

FIRST READING:

Numbers 11:25-29

PSALM RESPONSE:

You, Lord,
have the message of eternal life..

SECOND READING:

James 5:1-6

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia! Alleluia!
Your word is truth, O Lord,
consecrate us in the truth.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

**PREFACE: SUNDAY V
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER II**

**SUNDAY 4th OCTOBER
27th Sunday of the Year (B)**

1st Reading:
Genesis 2:18-24

Psalms: Ps. 127

2nd Reading:
Hebrews 2:9-11

Gospel:
Mark 10:2-16



MONTH of the HOLY ROSARY

The month of the Holy Rosary is now upon us. Perhaps you'd offer this devotional prayer for the intentions of all the families of our parish.

The Rosary is divided into 5 decades (tens) each representing an event of Jesus' life. There are four sets of mysteries: The Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful and Glorious. The Our Father is said on each of the large beads, followed by 10 Hail Mary's concluding with a Glory Be.

For more information you can pick-up a leaflet at the back of church explaining how to say the Rosary fully.

It is recited in the church before 10am Mass on Tuesdays at 9.45am.
Ave Maria :: Ora pro nobis

The Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year (B) 27th September 2015

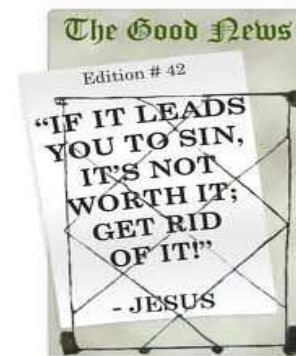
St Teresa's Parish Community

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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:

Saturday vigil: 6pm St Luke's, Moffat and 6pm in St Andrew's, Dumfries;
Sundays: 9.30am in Holy Trinity, Lockerbie; 10am St Andrew's, Dumfries;
12 noon St Columba's, Annan.

SERVICES THIS WEEK

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

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Saturday 10.30-11am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays during exposition.

The Rosary:

Recited at 9.45am on Tuesdays

The Ladies Guild: Meetings take place on Tuesdays in the Hall at 7.30pm.

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

WEEKLY COLLECTION: £765.06 Thank you.

Baptisms can be booked by contacting Fr Jim directly

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

INTENTIONS THIS COMING WEEK:

Sunday: Patrick and John Durnin (Ann's);
Monday: Special Intention (Stan and Marilyn McEwen-45th Wedd. Ann);
Tuesday: Eileen Flanagan (RecDec);
Thursday: Andrew Duff (1st Ann);
Saturday: Special Intention (for John, Derek and Sheila).



ANNUAL MASS FOR THE SICK. A special word of welcome to all who join us for 11.30am Mass today who will celebrate the Sacrament of the Sick and to carers who will also receive a special blessing. There's an extra special cuppa in the hall afterwards too.



THE ABABA PROJECT. The mission team thank you all most sincerely for your great response to their recruitment of TEACH sponsors for session 2015-2016. Thanks to your generosity we can continue to sponsor 54 children in Nazret and Addis Ababa and 40 children in Buccama. That's £1,880.00 transferred each month to allow 94 children to attend school that without your sponsorship they would not have been able to. Well done each and every one of you and thank you so much. We look forward to hearing from the FMOL Sisters how the children progress during the course of the coming year. The photograph shows the Sister in charge of the Ethiopian mission, Sr Abebech, delivering a "welcome to school" pack to one of the children.

SCIAF EMERGENCY APPEAL. The refugees are in great need of shelter, food, water and other essentials urgently. Please be assured that your Church is, as usual, among the first of the aid agencies to be there with them in their time of need. In order to continue this presence you may wish to make a donation in the envelopes provided at the back of church today. You are welcome to hand them back in or send your offering directly to SCIAF. For more info go online at www.sciaf.org.uk Thank you.



ANNUAL MINISTRY REFLECTION EVENING. Our annual evening for all those involved in the parish ministries will take place in the Parish Hall tomorrow evening (28th) from 7.30pm till 9.15pm. All those involved in any ministry are asked to come along.

ST TERESA'S FEAST DAY. Our parish Patron's Day is celebrated this coming Thursday (1st October). You are welcome to join the staff and children of St Teresa's Primary School who will lead us in the celebration of Mass here in the Church at the regular time of 10am.

JUMBLE SALE. This sale takes place in the Hall on Saturday/Sunday 3rd/4th October. The Ladies Guild would welcome any contributions you may have. Please leave them in the church porch or parish hall. For more information contact any of the members or call Peggy on 261373.



RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF CHILDREN (RCIC). Also known as First Communion/Confirmation Preparation, this time of preparing the children for the reception of the Sacraments as always is a collaboration between home, school and parish. Families with children of p4 age + whether they attend St Teresa's Primary School OR St Andrew's Primary School OR any other primary school in the area are asked to pick-up a Registration Form and hand it into Fr Jim asap. The forms are also downloadable from the parish website. Sacraments are celebrated in your parish not in your Primary School so please consider registering your child to celebrate the Sacraments here at St Teresa's regardless of which school they attend. **Our first parents meeting will take place in the Baptistry meeting room in the church this coming Wednesday (30th September) at 7.30pm finishing no later than 8.30pm. The first Saturday Club for the children themselves will take place on Saturday 3rd October from 11.15am till 1.15pm.**

CLIMATE CHANGE PETITION. You are invited to sign a petition as part of a global Catholic climate movement inspired by Pope Francis' recent encyclical "Laudato Si: Care for our common home", supported by SCIAF asking David Cameron to play his part in helping to protect our planet for future generations. The petition is available in the church porch as is a summer newsletter update from SCIAF.

THE WEDNESDAY CLUB. This club for seniors and their friends next meets on Wednesday 7th October in the Parish Hall from 12.30pm till 3pm.

GRAND RAFFLE. A parish raffle is taking place now. Tickets 5 for a £1. First prize £100. On sale now-you might like to take some to sell among your family and friends. See Peggy or any of the Ladies.

ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE TRANSITION EVENING. This evening, intended for future pupils of the school, their parents and families to meet the staff, pupils and tour the school will take place at the College on Wednesday 7th October at 7pm. Please pick-up a flyer from the church porch for more information.



WORLD YOUTH DAY, KRAKOW: Young people age 16-30 from Galloway Diocese are invited to join World Youth Day in Krakow from 20th July - 2nd August 2016. Cost £690. Please register before the end of September. Full details and registration from our diocesan youth officer, Fr Stephen McGrattan at www.gallowayyouth.org.uk Or pick up an Application Form from the youth noticeboard at the back of church.

