

First reading: Exodus 17:8-13

Response to the Psalm: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made

heaven and earth.

Second reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call

holds for us. Alleluia! **Gospel:** Luke 18:1-80

Church Rotas

Masses	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	
5.00 pm	Mary Flynn &	Anna Charles &	
Sat 15 th October	Helen Woodhouse	Elizabeth Freeman	
10.30am	Gemma	Clive Rickhards &	
Sun 16 th October	Holdsworth	Pat Mitchell	
5.00 pm Bud Sollis &		Alan	
Sat 22 nd October	Maria Martin	Clatworthy	
10.30am	Christine	Andrew & Denise	
Sun 23 rd October	Holdsworth	McDonnell	

Coffee Rota

16 th October		Pat & Tony Pearce	
	23 rd October	Lin Rea	

Children's Liturgy Rota

16 th October	Gemma and Catherine
23 rd Ocotber	Half Term Holidays

Parish Safeguarding Representative

Gemma Holdsworth

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Week 29 of Year(C)
Week commencing Sunday 16th October 2016

Registered Charity Number 1063237

Masses

Sat 15 th October	5.00pm	29th Week Year C	Margaret Hughes RIP
Sun 16 th October	10.30am	29th Week Year C	Private Intention
Mon 17 th October	9.30am		No Service
Tue 18 th October	9.30am	St. Luke (Feast)	
Wed 19th October	9.30am		No Service
Thu 20 th October	9.30am		SCHOOL MASS
Fri 21st October	9.30am		No Service
Sat 22 nd October	5.00pm	30th Week Year C	
Sun 23 rd October	10.30am	30th Week Year C	

Collection weekend 8th/9th October was £369-53. Many thanks.

<u>Prayers for the Sick:</u> Doleen Evans, Faith Lyons, Steve Smith, Stephen Highfield, Jane-Christina Thomson, Joan Smith, Derek Sollis, Michael Hall, Christopher Hurd, Paula Brooke, Edward O'Neill, Megan Hayes, Michael Smith, Gerald Clarke, Barbara Wall, Pamela Young, Mick Sollis, Margaret Birkett, Nell Bridge, Joe Brennan.

Those who have died: Stanley Williams; Laura Kearney, Pat Tenten, Thomas Henry Yearby, Winefred Reynolds, Suronie Williams, Kathleen and John O'Brien Thomas Kennedy, Beatrice Fitzmaurice, Joan Brennan, Mo Gannon, Hannah Williams, Maria Lee, Yvette Gittins, Margaret Kickham, Pat Ceclich, Michaelangelo Fiumefreddo, Christopher Donovan, James Lancaster, John Gallagher, Michael Wall, Patrick Hayes, Noreen Leach. John Reynolds, Charles Franklin, Phyllis Brookes, Genowefa (Jenny) Jurczyk, Jon Hitchman,

Millie Thompson, Herbert Bridge, Daniel Scally, Stephen Sollis, Ross Bullock, Jennifer Harvey, Anne Nora Finnegan, Mary Hadley

In Memoriam

As from the end of November the names of 'Those who have Died' will be taken out of the bulletin after the first anniversary of their death.

Friends of St. Mary's

There will be a meeting of the Friends of St. Mary's on Thursday 20th October at 2pm in the conservatory. All are welcome.

PARISH EVENTS

TEA/COFFEE IS SERVED IN THE CONSERVATORY AFTER THE 10.30 AM MASS. Please join us.

Missio Red Boxes

Can all Missio promoters collect the money from the red box holders and deliver it(counted and with your account book) to Mary Cross for banking by end of October. Can the promoters please collect Missio booklets from the back of church to distribute to the box holders. Thank you all for your continuing support. Your generosity supports 40% of the worldwide catholic churches in 157 countries who are too poor to support themselves.

Children's Liturgy Meeting

There will be a meeting of all volunteers from the 'Children's Liturgy' team on **Saturday 19th November at 10.30am in the presbytery.** It would be helpful if as many people volunteers as possible could be present. Many thanks.

Coffee Rota 2017

A big thank you to all the volunteers who have served coffee after the 10.30 Sunday Mass throughout 2016; your support is much appreciated. We do hope all those volunteers currently on the rota will continue to serve

coffee after 10.30 Sunday Mass in 2017. If you are <u>unable</u> to do so, please see Father Benedict by the 13th of November at the latest.

We could do with <u>2 more</u> couples to volunteer (people who are **not** already on the childrens' liturgy or ministers & readers rotas) to help out on the rota for 2017. If you can spare an hour or so once every 6 weeks then please see Father Benedict and leave him your name and contact details. Many thanks!

We will be collecting bottles – alcoholic and non-alcoholic - for the bottle stall at this year's Christmas Fayre which will be held at St Mary's Catholic School on Saturday 26th November **Please support us!**