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**LITURGY**

**First reading:** 2Kings 5:14-17

**Response to the Psalm:** The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.

**Second reading:** Timothy 2:8-13

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life: you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

**Gospel:** Luke 17:11-19

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Dear Parishioners

Despite the suffering found in this weeks readings, we are being invited to reflect upon the joy of our faith, to be grateful for receiving it.

In Jesus, outsiders are brought into the joy of beings God's people and are graced with the wonder of offering prayer and thanksgiving to the Father. But this is only so because Jesus endures being afflicted for our salvation. He, the eternally begotten of the Father, becomes as a leper.

This is the wonder of Christian life that we are called into this life of thanksgiving present in the people of God; a thanksgiving we entered in baptism. And we receive not earth stained with blood from sacrifices, which cannot take sin away, but flesh and blood offered up in thanksgiving, which will win for us all life, joy and forgiveness.

**God Bless
Fr. Benedict OSB**

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28th Week of Year(C)

Week commencing Sunday 9th October 2022

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Masses

Sat 8 th Oct	5.00pm	28 th Sunday Year (C)	Danny Scally RIP
Sun 9 th Oct	10.30am	28 th Sunday Year (C)	Laurence Udall RIP
Mon 10 th Oct			
Tues 11 th Oct			People of Ukraine
Wed 12 th Oct			
Thur 13 th Oct			Wellbeing of the EBC
Fri 14 th Oct			
Sat 15 th Oct	5.00pm	29 th Sunday Year (C)	Maurice Andrews RIP
Sun 16 th Oct	10.30am	29 th Sunday Year (C)	Harvest Mass

Mass is celebrated privately daily except on Monday.

If you would like a mass offered for a particular intention, please email the parish or put a note through the door of the presbytery, *please do not place it in the collection bag*. Thank you.

Those Who Have Asked for Prayers:

Derek Sollis, , Georgette Cowell, Dolores Flynn, Fred Chadfield. Alan Clatworthy, Chanel Mullings, Clive Rickhards,, Jill Spurrell,

Those who have recently died: .

Richard Flynn, Denis Charlton, Mary Gardner, Charles Maries, Sheila Hall, Donald Newell, Helen Meaney Bridget Clarke, Sylvia Flanagan, Robert McCarthy, Pamela Young, Norah O'Neill-Thomas, Susanna Westmeath, Nell Bridge. Doleen Evans, Jean Monica Tucker, Fr. John Fallon, Judy Husband Graham Janes, Elizabeth Watton, Maurice Andrews, Max Stoddart. Tony Lyons, Michael Russell, Mary Cross, Agnes McIlravey, Helen McCarthy, Patricia O'Brien, Pauline Burton, Mary Judith Smith (nee Hewitt), Wyn Varley, Raimondo Gemeli, Anthony Woodhouse.

Information

.Second Collection

The weekly second collection will normally be for help towards the payment of the diocesan levy and the upkeep of the house and church buildings. Both the church and the house are Grade II listed so any work done has to be to a high standard as set by the requisite authority. Here are a few of the expenses for the coming year:

- Diocesan Levy £5.500 p.a.
- Building's upkeep £36,000.00
- Insurance £3,744.77 p.a.

At times the second collection will be for other charities and the details of these will be placed in the bulletin.

Money Counting

We currently have a dedicated small group of money counters, but it would be really beneficial if we could find a few more. The collection is counted on either a Tuesday or Wednesday morning and takes about one and a half hours. Please contact Fr. Benedict if you would like to offer your help.

Fr. Hudson's Care

Many thanks for your generosity for the above collection. We raised
£127-74

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