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Sunday TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

9th October Prisons Week begins

10.00 am Mass: People of the Parish

Monday St Paulinus 10th October No Mass

Tuesday St John XXIII

11th October 9.00 am Rosary 9.30 am Mass

Wednesday St Wilfred, Second Patron of the Diocese

12th October No Mass

Thursday St Edward the Confessor

13th October No Mass

Friday St Callistus

14th October 8.30 am Adoration 9.30 am Mass

Saturday St Teresa of Jesus

15th October No Mass - Walsingham Pilgrimage

Sunday TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

16th October 10.00 am Mass: People of the Parish

Confessions are available before and after Mass, or on request.

NOTICES

CAFOD Family Fast Day - World Food Crisis Appeal

Today is an opportunity to return your Family Fast Day envelope to help the millions of families who are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. As people of faith we must act. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries in East Africa; and to support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table. If you have forgotten your envelope, the collection will remain open for the next two weeks.

You can also start a monthly gift to CAFOD by going to: cafod.org.uk/fastday

Prisons Week - 9th to 15th October

This Sunday marks the start of Prisons Week, recognised across all Christian communities, when we are encouraged to reflect on and pray for prisoners and their families.

First Holy Communion Programme

Children's Liturgy will commence on Sunday 23rd October.

Hull and District Catholic Women's Luncheon Club

Ladies! Come and join us for lunch this Autumn.

The Luncheon Club meets on the second Tuesday of every month at 12.45pm in the Kingston Theatre Hotel. There is an interesting programme of speakers and a raffle for charities.

October 11th - Hilary Byers: Heritage National Theatre

November 8th - Frances Kelly: 'Box of Bits'

December 13th - Christmas Lunch

You are warmly invited to come along and bring a friend (or two!)

Please contact Jayne Wilson for further information or to book for any of the above dates.

Tel: 446565, or email: jayne.wilson24@ymail.com

National Turin Shroud Replica Exhibition

The Exhibition will be hosted by St Peter's Church, Scarborough from Saturday 8th to Sunday 16th October. The exhibition features a full sized replica of the Shroud of Turin. (The actual Shroud is housed in Turin Cathedral in Italy.)

Next World Youth day

In August 2023, the Pope will meet young people in Lisbon for the next World Youth Day. It is hoped that a group from the Diocese will travel with Bishop Terry from 31st July - 7th August to join in this wonderful event. If anyone, aged 18 - 35 by August 2023, would like to go to Lisbon, please contact Fr Philip Cunnah to register your interest by email at: frphilip.cunnah@rcdmidd.org.uk, and to receive further details.

Hospital Chaplain

If you, or someone you know, is in hospital and would like a visit from the Chaplain, please contact Deacon Bob directly on 470456; if you go through the hospital chaplaincy to arrange a visit it is much more complicated.

God of all,

Open our eyes to see the needs of our brothers and sisters.

Open our ears to hear your words of hope and compassion.

Open our mouths to speak up when people are suffering.

Open our hearts to reach out in love.

Amen.

Prayer for those affected by the Pakistan Floods

O Lord, in the goodness of your constant love, be with the people of Pakistan as they face devastating floods.

At this time of great loss – loss of lives, homes and crops – may we be filled with your compassion and moved to reach out in love.

As we stand alongside our sisters and brothers, we pray that they may find consolation in their sorrow, strength as they seek shelter and safety and courage to carry on.

Forgive us, O Lord, for our part in the climate crisis, and inspire us all to play our part in protecting the earth, our common home.

So that together we may build a world that reflects your glory, where hope drives out despair and all things are made new.

Prayer for Ukraine

(Bishop Kenneth Nowakowski of the Ukrainian Catholic Church)

God of peace,
your prophet Isaiah promised swords
would be turned into ploughshares,
and your Son's mother Mary
proclaimed the mighty would be put down
and the humble exalted.

Visit the people of Ukraine:
deliver them from fear, violence, attack,
injury, destruction and death;
and give them courage, solidarity,
and allies in their hour of vulnerability and sorrow.

Turn the hearts of those bent on war and invasion. Strengthen the hand of all seeking to halt conflict, restore order, and pursue justice.

And make this moment of peril an occasion for your Holy Spirit to show your world the cost of conflict, and our dependence on one another.

In Christ our Lord who went to his death because of our hatred, and rose again because our hatred is never stronger than your indomitable love.

Amen.

Prayer sent by Missio