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**TWENTY EIGHTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**SUNDAY READINGS YEAR. B. Weekday Readings Year 1, Divine Office Week 4**

**PUBLIC MASS AND LITURGY TIMES 8<sup>TH</sup> – 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2021**

<b>Friday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>12:30pm</b>	<b>Funeral Mass</b>	For Bernard McDevitt
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b>	Twenty Eighth	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	Deceased members of the Bowe Family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	Sunday	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	The Parish
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	In Ordinary Time	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Fr.Michael Crumpton RIP
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	St Edward the Confessor	6:00pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>6:45pm</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Eamon Megan RIP
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>12:00noon</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Gerald Ginster RIP
<b>Friday</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	St Theresa of Jesus	<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Alan Sutton RIP
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>12:00noon</b>	<b>Nuptial Mass</b>	Matthew Rashleigh & Julia Brennan
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup></b>	Twenty Ninth Sunday	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Vigil Mass</b>	Vittorio & Elsie Abate RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>	In Ordinary Time	<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	Canon Sean McTernan
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup></b>		<b>10:30am</b>	<b>Mass</b>	The Parish

**CONFESSIONS –SATURDAY 9TH 5:15PM OR BY APPOINTMENT.**

**FROM FATHER MICHAEL**

Sharing power is never easy. Taking responsibility can be scary. Changing the way we do things can feel challenging and threatening. But the era of just doing what Father says is fast coming to an end. And we are not just talking about lay people filling some of the gaps caused by a shortage of priests and nuns. What we are talking about is a wholly new way of being church. Interestingly though, this wholly new way turns out to be a very ancient and traditional way, whereby every baptised Catholic plays their full part in the ongoing mission of Christ's One Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church.

Pope Francis is himself calling for a synodal church, a church where bishops, priests and the lay faithful all work together in discerning God's will for his people in today's world.

Back in August at our parish open meeting the idea was mooted that we as a parish should re-establish a parish pastoral council. The time has come, I believe, to bite the bullet. I envisage a council of up to twelve people to meet about six times a year. May I please invite you to make the necessary nominations. Please pray about this and act accordingly.

This is not the democratisation of the church. We don't want the church to become a religious version of the Houses of Parliament. What this is all about is listening, listening to one another, and most of all listening together to what the Spirit is saying to the churches. It is also envisaged that what we do in the parish should be fed into the diocese and ultimately into the universal Church. We live in exciting times.

Nomination forms for a new Parish Pastoral Council will be available from the back of church. Please return them to me by Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> October. It would be good to convene our first meeting sometime in November.

Our Lady of the Rosary pray for us.

Our Lady, Queen of the Apostles pray for us.

St Augustine of Hippo pray for us.

## ENTRANCE HYMN

1.) Will you come and follow me  
if I but call your name?

Will you go where you don't know  
and never be the same?

Will you let my love be shown,  
will you let my name be known,  
will you let my life be grown  
in you and you in me?

2.) Will you leave your self behind  
if I but call your name?

Will you care for cruel and kind  
and never be the same?

Will you risk the hostile stare  
should your life attract or scare,  
will you let me answer prayer  
in you and you in me?

3.) Will you let the blinded see  
if I but call your name?

Will you set the prisoners free  
and never be the same?

Will you kiss the leper clean  
and do such as this unseen,  
and admit to what I mean  
in you and you in me?

## RECESSIONAL HYMN

1.) All who keep the faith of Jesus,  
sing the wonders that were done,  
when the love of God the father  
o'er our sin the victory won,  
when he made the Virgin Mary  
Mother of his only son.

**Hail Mary, hail Mary, hail Mary full of grace**

2.) Blessed were the chosen people  
Out of whom the Lord did come,  
Blessed was the land of promise  
fashioned for his earthly home;  
but more blessed far the Mother,  
she who bore him in her womb. **R**

3.) Wherefore let all faithful people  
Tel the honour of her name,  
Let the church in her foreshadowed  
part in her thanksgiving claim;  
What Christ's Mother sang in gladness  
Let Christ's people sing the same **R**

4.) Praise, O Mary, praise the Father,  
praise your Saviour and your Son  
praise the everlasting spirit,  
who has made you ark and throne;  
o'er all creatures high exalted,  
lowly praise the Three in One **.R**

## TRACK AND TRACE

As part of the very gradual relaxation of COVID precautions we no longer require you to leave us with your contact details. If you have the NHS app you can still scan the QR code if you wish.

**COMPANIONS OF ST MONICA** – Meeting 2:00pm Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> October in the Narthex

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK** and especially:- Tim Whitehead, Dolores Buscombe, Frances, Rene, David Nugent, Fintan, Helen Ledwidge, Yvonne Bradbury, Cynthia Rosevear, Angela Alderman, Jesus Mauri-Oria, Joseph Poole, Pauline Pallet, Val Cain, Pauline Abdey, Fred Abraham, Sylvia Austin, Brendan Bowe, Teiaia Bradbury, Paul Briscoe, James & Margaret Clapp, Sue Dugmore, Suzi Hill, Teresita Hill, Carmen Matthews, Sarah Mitchell, Mary O'Brien, June Parsons, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Sylvia Ryan, Amanda Stickney, Paddy Wellington, Pauline Whitford and Sally Wilson.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DEPARTED** : Bernard McDevitt and Michael Kelly