



Dome of Home

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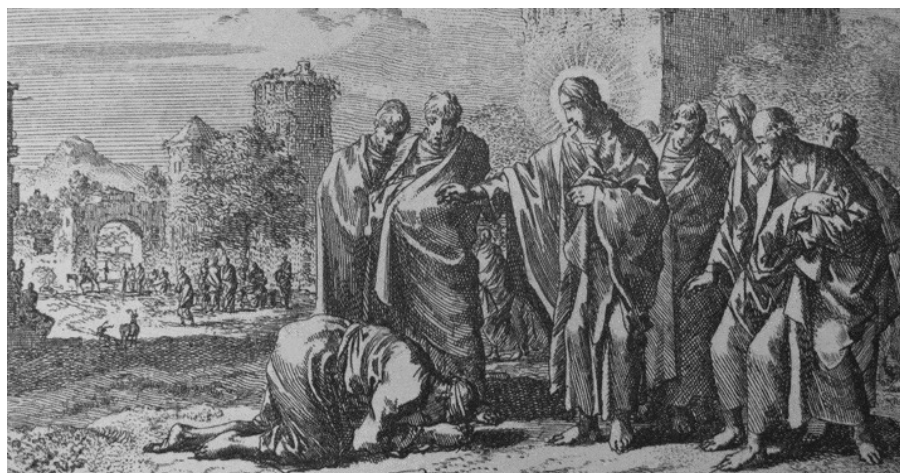
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13th Sunday after Pentecost - Gospel of the ten lepers

23rd – 30th August 2026



✠ **General Chapter of the ICKSP:** Canons Montjean and Post will depart for the annual meeting of the clergy of the Institute of Christ the King in Gricigliano, near Florence, Italy during the coming week of **24– 28 August**. During the chapter, the clergy of our society gather for common prayer, conventual Masses, spiritual conferences, meetings with superiors and confreres, as well as recreation and reunion with their brothers in the priesthood. The annual chapter is an always an opportunity to renew the unity and familial spirit of our Institute.

There will be no Mass or Adoration in the church Monday through Friday of this week. However, the church will be opened during the day for private prayer.

✠ **Change of schedule:** The summer schedule will end, and the regular schedule of Mass and services will be resumed on **Monday, 31st August**.

✠ **Class for catechumens and candidates:** We are pleased to announce a new catechetical initiative – weekly instruction on the Catholic faith as presented in the Creed, following the teachings of the *Roman Catechism*. This instruction will be given every Thursday at 7.10pm following the evening Mass. The class is directed particularly towards the formation of catechumens and candidates for reception into the Catholic Church. First session on **Thursday, 3rd September**.

✠ **Catechism on the Ten Commandments:** Canon Post will resume the catechism on Catholic morality for adults on **Saturday, 12th September at 10.50am**. All are welcome!

✠ **“Bread of Angels – The Holy Eucharist”:** The final class will be held on **18th September at 7.15pm**. Instruction given by our Rector, Canon Montjean. Newcomers are welcome to join the class in progress.

✠ **Catechism of the Mass:** After the completion of the course on the Holy Eucharist, Canon Montjean will begin a new series on the prayers and gestures of the Liturgy of the Mass. See future newsletters for the announcement of the start date.

✠ **Wedding banns:** We look forward with joy to the union of Benjamin Alonso Aguilar Diaz and Ellie Richards in holy matrimony on **Saturday, 5th September at 1pm**. If you are aware of any canonical impediment to this marriage, please contact the rector. This is the 3rd publication of the banns.

Announcements

✠ **Choir Practices:** on Monday at 7.15pm. **Gregorian Chant Rehearsals:** No rehearsals until September **Polyphonic Choir Rehearsals:** Every 2 weeks. No rehearsals until September Please contact Clare Tucker: tuckerobertson@gmail.com or 01516 391 999/07714 710 275.

✠ **Last Sunday Collection:** Loose plate £780.50 Boxes £170.00 Bank Transfers £525.36 Card Donations £ n/a Shop £117.97 **Total £1593.83** If you wish to donate via bank transfer, please use the following: Sort Code: 40-45-14 - Account number: 01805061 - For the credit of ICKSP / SSPPP.

✠ **Piety Shop:** New to the Piety Shop a limited number of *The Father Lasance New Roman Missal* and *Ignatius Study Bibles*. New statues of St Philomena, Our Lady of Mount Carmel and St Michael. All reasonable prices and all profits go to the Dome. Pop in to see these and ask if we have something you want and we will try to get it. Thank you for your continued support from the Piety Shop team.

✠ **200 Club:** If you would like to join the 200 Lottery club there are plenty of numbers available. The cost is £1 per week per number. This must be paid monthly by standing order which is £4.33 per month per number. Come and see Anne in the Piety Shop to sign up for your number and details for payment. All profits to the Dome. Thank you.

✠ **Donations for refreshments after the 10.30 Mass :** In August we are collecting for our seminarian, Abbe Matthew Bird. Last Sunday £106 was donated.

✠ **Apiculae – Rosaries & Chaplets:** For beautiful handmade rosaries and chaplets, silver, copper, bronze & brass, see Elaine Gibbons. Commissions taken! Contact elaineapiculae@gmail.com or 01519 241 178.

Forthcoming events

✠ **Introduction to the Solesmes Method of Gregorian Chant:** Next workshop in September.

✠ **Adult Catechism Classes** – See page 1

✠ **Catechism for children:** Canon Post will be offering lessons for children each 1st Saturday of the month at 10.50am, following the morning Mass. There is no lesson in September. The first lesson will be on 3rd October.

✠ **Altar server training:** Canon Post is hoping to recruit new servers for the Mass. On Saturday, 29th August, following the 10am Mass, there will be a training for how to serve the Sung Mass as an acolyte. No prior experience is necessary. Please contact Canon for more information about serving.

✠ **Craft Group:** Knitting, patchwork, dressmaking, lacemaking and embroidery. Beginners welcome. Contact: Dorothy McCarthy 07767 752671. Next meeting Saturday, 5th of September at 11am.

✠ **Heritage Open Days:** The Dome will be providing free guided tours, refreshments and a range of craft-based activities for children 1 - 4pm, 12th and 19th September. All welcome!



✠ **March for Life, Saturday, 5th September:** A coach has been booked! 15 Catholic Bishops will be attending so please come and join us! Speakers include Isabel Vaughan-Spruce and Jeff Joaquin. If you are not able to come, but are able to sponsor a place please see how to do this on the sign up form - details below. To register for a place on the coach please see sign up form at the back of the church or contact Clark Gray on 07895 989711. The sign-up form can also be found using the QR code to the left.

✠ **For life matters and helplines:** see <https://lifecharity.org.uk>; for prolife helpline <https://www.goodcounselnet.co.uk> and abortion recovery <https://www.rachelsvineyard.org.uk>



✠ **18 - 30 Young Catholics Winter Ball.** Sunday, 29th November Liverpool from 4pm: Crowd games, Scottish Ceilidh dancing and late night Jazz Piano. For more information and to see the Winter Ball ticket form, use the QR codes:



Prayer intentions: Please keep in your prayers Anthony Sibert, Alan Frost, Dorothy McCarthy, Margaret Rushton, Michael, Roisin, Dermot, Eamonn, Sandra, Anne, Patricia, Vera, Chris, Andrew, Madeleine, Sarah, John, Kathleen, Olivia, Lynne, Angela, Helen, Stuart, Jacqueline, Lindsey, Edward, Tracy, Mary, Peter Joseph, Janet, Michael, Donna and Gabriella.

Ordo	Mass	Mass intentions		Devotions	Confessions
		Canon Montjean	Canon Post		
Offer a Mass for your intentions using the Mass Offering envelope (narthex). Write name (living or deceased) or intention. Enclose donation. Place envelope in collection box or give to a Canon. <i>The earliest available date for a Mass at the moment is: 14th December.</i>				Confessions can also be arranged privately by texting a Canon (see front page)	
Sunday 23 rd August Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost <i>Green</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass	Holy Souls in purgatory	• Dominic Wilkinson • Carol Traynor	No evening service	9.40am–10.15am
Monday 24 th August St. Bartholomew <i>Red</i>	No Mass	Holy Souls in Purgatory	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	No Confessions
Tuesday 25 th August St. Louis the King <i>White</i>	No Mass	Colin Callow	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	No Confessions
Wed 26 th August St. Zephyrinus <i>Red</i>	No Mass	Mgr Wach	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	No Confessions
Thurs 27 th August St. Joseph Calasanctius <i>White</i>	No Mass	Doug Callow	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	No Confessions
Friday 28 th August St. Augustine <i>White</i>	No Mass	Margaret Whittle RIP	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	No Confessions
Sat 29 th August The Beheading of St. John the Baptist <i>Red</i>	10am Low Mass	Mary Fenerty	Delia Nye Novena	No Adoration	9.20am–9.50am
Sunday 30 th August Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost <i>Green</i>	8.30am Low Mass 10.30am Sung Mass	Tom Whitfield	• Delia Nye Novena • Henry Nowak RIP	4.30pm Vespers, Adoration, Rosary & Benediction	9.40am–10.15am

The Beheading of Saint John the Baptist – 29th August

After having solemnised on 24th June, the joyous birth of Saint John the Baptist, the church honours his glorious birth in heaven on 29th August. Excepting the Blessed Virgin, he is the only saint whose temporal birthday is observed. Saint John the Baptist holds in the worship [honour] of the Church, the first rank after the angels. [...] On this day Saint John completes his mission, adding to the testimony he gave to Christ at his baptism, the testimony of his martyrdom. He was put to death towards the Passover one year before the passion of Jesus; but the anniversary is solemnised on the day when his venerable Head was found in Emesa in Syria in AD 453. ¹

Source ¹St Andrew's Missal 1945.

The task set before the Baptist as he lay in prison was to become blessed by this unquestioning acceptance of God's obscure will; to reach the point of asking no further for external, visible, unequivocal clarity but instead, of discovering God precisely in the darkness of the world and of his own life and thus becoming profoundly blessed. [...] Only when we act in this manner does another and doubtless the greatest saying of the Baptist reveal its full significance: "He must increase, but I must decrease" (Jn 3:30). We will know God to the extent that we are set free from ourselves.²

Source ²Benedictus Pope Benedict XVI

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Music for Sunday Kyriale XI Creed I

Recessional: Ave Maria, O Maiden, O Mother (51)

INTROIT *Psalm 73. 20, 19, 23*

Have regard, O Lord, to Thy covenant, and forsake not to the end the souls of Thy poor: arise, O Lord, and judge Thy cause, and forget not the voices of them that seek Thee. Ps. O God, why hast Thou cast us off unto the end: why is Thy wrath enkindled against the sheep of Thy pasture V. Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

Almighty and everlasting God, grant unto us an increase of faith, hope and charity: and that we may obtain what Thou dost promise, make us love that which Thou dost command. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE *Galatians 3. 16-22*

Brethren: To Abraham were the promises made, and to his seed. He saith not: And to his seeds, as of many; but as of one, and to thy seed, which is Christ. Now this I say, that the testament which was confirmed by God, the law which was made after four hundred and thirty years, doth not disannul, to make the promise of no effect. For if the inheritance be of the law, it is no more of promise. But God gave it to Abraham by promise. Why then was the law? It was set because of transgressions, until the seed should come, to whom He made the promise; being ordained by angels in the hand of a mediator. Now a mediator is not of one: but God is one. Was the law then against the promises of God? God forbid. For if there had been a law given, which could give life, verily justice should have been by the law. But the Scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by the faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe.

GRADUAL *Psalm 73. 20, 19, 22*

Have regard, O Lord, to Thy covenant, and forsake not to the end the souls of Thy poor. V. Arise, O Lord, and judge Thy cause: remember the reproach of Thy servants.

ALLELUIA *Psalm 89. 1*

Alleluia, alleluia. V. Lord, thou hast been our refuge, from generation to generation. Alleluia.

GOSPEL *Luke 17. 11-19*

At that time, as Jesus was going to Jerusalem, he passed through the midst of Samaria and Galilee: and as He entered into a certain town, there met him ten men that were lepers, who stood afar off, and lifted up their voice,

saying: Jesus, master, have mercy on us. Whom when He saw, He said: Go, show yourselves to the priests. And it came to pass, as they went, they were made clean. And one of them, when he saw that he was made clean, went back, with a loud voice glorifying God: and he fell on his face before His feet, giving thanks: and this was a Samaritan. And Jesus answering said: Were not ten made clean? And where are the nine? There is no one found to return, and give glory to God, but this stranger. And He said to him: Arise, go thy way; for thy faith hath made thee whole.

OFFERTORY *Psalm 30. 15, 16*

In Thee, O Lord, have I hoped; I said: Thou art my God my times are in Thy hands

SECRET

Look with favour, O Lord, upon Thy people; look with favour upon their offerings: and appeased by this oblation, mercifully forgive us our sins and grant what we ask. Through our Lord.

PREFACE OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

It is truly meet and just, right and for our salvation, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks to Thee, holy Lord, Father almighty, eternal God: Who, together with Thine only-begotten Son and the Holy Ghost, art one God, one Lord: not in the Oneness of a single Person, but in the Trinity of one substance. For what by Thy revelation we believe of Thy glory, the same do we believe of Thy Son, the same of the Holy Ghost, without difference or separation; so that in confessing the true and eternal Godhead, in It we should adore distinction in persons, unity in Essence, and equality in Majesty: in praise of which Angels and Archangels, Cherubim also and Seraphim day and night exclaim, without end and with one voice saying.

COMMUNION *Wisdom 16. 20*

Thou hast given us, O Lord, bread from heaven, having in it all that is delicious, and the sweetness of every taste.

POSTCOMMUNION

Having received Thy heavenly sacrament, we beseech Thee, O Lord, to increase thereby our hope of everlasting salvation. Through our Lord.