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**13TH  
SUNDAY  
AFTER  
PENTECOST**

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Editorial: by Rev. Canon R. Post

Dearly beloved faithful,

It is our joy to return to you this Sunday, following the Institute's annual General Chapter in Italy and to be able to confirm the continuation of our present ministries. Your three Canons will remain in Preston for the year to come!

With the end of the summer holidays, we will resume the brisk pace of the apostolate here as well as a new academic year at Saint Benedict's, our part-time learning centre. We look forward to the challenges and opportunities which God in His providence will place before us this year.

The chapter is an occasion for the priests of our society to renew the bonds of charity. Let us seek to do the same here in our beautiful community of Saint Walburga's and work together for the glory of God.

In Christ the King,

Canon Post



# TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

## Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Lesson from the letter of St. Paul the Apostle to the Galatians**

**Gal 3:16-22**

Brethren: The promises were made to Abraham and to his offspring. He does not say, And to his offsprings, as of many; but as of one, And to your offspring, Who is Christ. Now I mean this: The Law which was made four hundred and thirty years later does not annul the covenant which was ratified by God, so as to make the promise void. For if the right to inherit be from the Law, it is no longer from a promise. But God gave it to Abraham by promise. What then was the Law? It was enacted on account of transgressions, being delivered by angels through a mediator, until the offspring should come to whom the promise was made. Now there is no intermediary where there is only one; but God is one. Is the Law then contrary to the promises of God? By no means. For if a law had been given that could give life, justice would truly be from the Law. But the Scriptures shut up all things under sin, that by the faith of Jesus Christ the promise might be given to those who believe.

**Continuation ✠ of the Holy Gospel according to Luke**

**Luke 17:11-19**

At that time, Jesus was going to Jerusalem, He was passing between Samaria and Galilee. And as He was entering a certain village, there He met ten lepers, who stood afar off and lifted up their voice, crying, Jesus, Master, have pity on us. And when He saw them He said, Go, show yourselves to the priests. And it came to pass as they were on their way, that they were made clean. But one of them, seeing that he was made clean, returned, with a loud voice glorifying God, and he fell on his face at His feet, giving thanks; and he was a Samaritan. But Jesus answered and said, Were not the ten made clean? But where are the nine? Has no one been found to return and give glory to God, except this foreigner? And He said to him, Arise, go your way, for your faith has saved you.

### Collection figures (Sunday 28th August)

SW Collection £493.95

SW Bank transfers £293.00

SW Total £786.95

EM Collection £91.80

### Publication of Banns of Marriage:

There is a proposed marriage between Mr Jack Thomas Downes and Miss Anna Cannell. If you know of any impediment to this marriage, please contact Canon Cristofoli. The ceremony is scheduled for Saturday 10th September at St Walburge's.

### Our Safeguarding representative:

**\*\*Mr. Peter Dilworth\*\***

You can contact Peter by email or in the church:  
safeguarding.stwalburge@gmail.com

### Our prayer intentions this week:

For our sick members: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Trevor Dale, Anita, Trevor. Mark and Ligaya McKay, Arthur and Maxine Frankland.

The residents of Swansea Terrace.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kay Taylor who recently passed away.

Pray for peace!

Date	Ordo	Canon Cristofoli	Canon Post	Canon Ducret
Sunday 4th September 9:00 EM 10:30 SW 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	13th Sunday after Pentecost	Justina and Wtodek	Marie-Therese Lawler	The souls in purgatory
Monday 5th September 8:30 SW 12 EM	St. Lawrence Justinian	Rene Monceyron RIP	Donor's Intentions	Ms. Guillaume intentions
Tuesday 6th September 8:30 SW 12 EM	Votive Mass of the Holy Angels	Marianne Tihy RIP	Donor's Intentions	Ms. Guillaume intentions
Wednesday 7th September 8:30 SW ***12 SW***	Votive Mass of St. Joseph	Michael Kavanagh Safran	Donor's Intentions	Ms. Guillaume intentions
Thursday 8th September 8:30 SW 12 EM	Nativity of Our Lady	Francis Grimer	Donor's Intentions	Louise B.
Friday 9th September 8:30 SW 12 EM	St. Gorgonius	Gijs Uittenbogaard	Donor's Intentions	For the Holy Souls
Saturday 10th September 8:30 SW ***12 SW***	St. Nicholas of Tolentino	Daniel Servais	Donor's Intentions	The souls in purgatory
Sunday 11th September 9:00 EM 10:30 SW 5:30pm Vespers **6:30pm Mass**	14th Sunday after Pentecost	Daire Mc Grath	Donor's Intentions	Saint Benedict's

## OUR SHRINE SCHEDULE:

### Saturday

8:30am Mass at SW  
9:15-9:45am Confessions SW  
12 noon Mass SW  
5:30pm Vespers  
6-7pm Adoration

### Sundays

9:00am Low Mass at EM  
10:00am Confessions SW  
10:30am High Mass SW  
5:30pm Vespers and Benediction SW  
6:30pm Low Mass SW

### During the week

\*Please note: Both Wednesday Masses will be at SW. There are no other services this day.

7:30am Lauds and Meditation  
8:30am Mass at SW  
12 noon Mass at EM \*SW on Wednesday\*  
5:30pm Vespers SW (except Wednesday)  
6pm Adoration and Confessions SW (except Wednesday)  
7pm Compline (Monday, Thursday, Friday)



## Announcements

**Confirmations:** His Lordship, Bishop Paul Swarbrick will visit us this 10th of October to confer the Sacrament of Holy Confirmation at 6pm. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow. Please approach Canon Cristofoli or Canon Post to register for preparatory classes in autumn.

**Confirmation Class:** Saturday classes will be held on the 17th and 24th of September and 1st of October, 2-3pm at St Walburge's Hall. Before the end of August, please provide a copy of the confirmand's baptismal certificate as well as the name and proof of confirmation for his or her sponsor.

**Sunday Evening Mass:** The Sunday evening Mass (6:30pm following Vespers and Benediction) will resume on the 11th of September.

**Mass at English Martyrs:** Please note carefully that the noon Mass during week will return to English Martyrs on days when Saint Benedict's is open (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. We will continue to enjoy the Sung Mass on Friday at noon. However, **noon Mass on Wednesday and Saturday will now take place at Saint Walburge's.**

**Save the Date:** Join us for a meal to celebrate the Dedication of Saint Walburge's on Sunday 25 September 1:15pm at Il Gusto d'Italia (4-8 Watery Ln, Ashton-on-Ribble, Preston PR2 2NN). Don't forget to return your booking forms as quickly as possible.

### To Donate:

Institute of Christ the King/St Walburge, Charity number: 1144783

To donate to St Walburge's via bank transfer:

Name: ICKSP Sort Code: 40-10-22 Account Number: 52347733

Gift Aid forms and offertory envelopes can be obtained at the Presbytery.

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