



FROM THE SPIRE



News & updates from our Shrine Churches for our community in Preston, Lancashire, England.

Recessional:

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Kyriale XI

Credo III



23RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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Dear faithful,

Sometimes we have school visits to Saint Walburge's. Inevitably, an object of great fascination is the skull in the sacristy, "Whose is it!?" the children ask. In fact, we do not know.

However, it was a common practice in the past for Christians to keep a skull (or a depiction of one) as a "Memento Mori" --remembrance of death. Death is the most frightening thing we face in the human condition, so to look at it soberly gives us strength and courage, as well as a greater appreciation for the gift of life. The meditation on the last things--death, judgement, heaven and hell--also keeps us spiritually grounded and aware of the moral importance of our acts before God.

Let us pray for the poor souls in purgatory, believing in the power of the communion of the saints. When they reach heaven, they will certainly assist us in our journey to join them. On the next page, I have included Psalm 129 (130) "De Profundis", which is a traditional prayer for the dead. Remember that it is also possible to receive a plenary indulgence for the dead between 1st-8th November by visiting a grave or cemetery and praying for the poor souls.

Next Sunday will be the annual Remembrance Sunday Solemn Requiem at our War Memorial altar. In the meantime, I will be on retreat this week at our Sisters' convent of Maria Engelport in Germany. My phone will be turned off, so please don't be offended if I do not respond to messages! You will be in my prayers.

Yours in Christ the King,
Canon Post



TRANSLATION OF THE EPISTLE AND GOSPEL

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost

Lesson from the letter of St. Paul the Apostle to the Philippians

Phil 3:17-21; 4:1-3

Brethren: Be imitators of me, and mark those who walk after the pattern you have in us. For many walk, of whom I have told you often and now tell you even weeping, that they are enemies of the Cross of Christ. Their end is ruin, their god is the belly, their glory is in their shame, they mind the things of earth. But our citizenship is in heaven from which also we eagerly await a Saviour, our Lord Jesus Christ, Who will refashion the body of our lowliness, conforming it to the body of His glory by exerting the power by which He is able also to subject all things to Himself. So then, my brethren, beloved and longed for, my joy and my crown, stand fast thus in the Lord, beloved. I entreat Evodia and I exhort Syntyche to be of one mind in the Lord. And I beseech you also, my loyal comrade, help them, for they have toiled with me in the gospel, as have Clement and the rest of my fellow-workers whose names are in the book of life.

Continuation of the Holy Gospel according to Matthew

Matt 9:18-26

At that time, as Jesus was speaking to the crowds, behold, a ruler came up and worshipped Him, saying, "Lord, my daughter has just now died; but come and lay Your hand upon her, and she will return to life." And Jesus arose and followed him, and so did His disciples. Now a woman who for twelve years had been suffering from hemorrhage, came up behind him and touched the tassel of His cloak saying to herself, "If I touch but His cloak I shall be saved." But Jesus, turning and seeing her, said, "Take courage, daughter; your faith has saved you." And the woman was restored to health from that moment. And when Jesus came to the ruler's house, and saw the flute players and the crowd making a din, He said, "Begone, the girl is asleep, not dead." And they laughed Him to scorn. But when the crowd had been put out, He went in and took her by the hand; and the girl arose. And the report of this spread throughout all that district.

Our prayer intentions this week:

For our sick members:

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Anita.

Mark and Ligaya McKay,
Peter, Bob, Will

Arthur and Maxine Frankland,
William.

For the residents of
Swansea Terrace and
Moor Park House.

For the repose of the soul of
Mrs Tanner, mother of our
dear Canon.



Pious List Novena

A novena of Masses will be offered
for the Holy Souls from
22nd to 30th November.

Fill out your pious list in advance and
turn it in to one of the canons.

Psalm CXXIX

For the Poor Souls

Out of the depths I have cried to thee,
O Lord: Lord, hear my voice. Let thy
ears be attentive to the voice of my
supplication. If thou, O Lord, wilt
mark iniquities: Lord, who shall stand
it? For with thee there is merciful
forgiveness: and by reason of thy law,
I have waited for thee, O Lord.
My soul hath relied on his word:
My soul hath hoped in the Lord.
From the morning watch even until
night, let Israel hope in the Lord.
Because with the Lord there is mercy:
and with him plentiful redemption.
And he shall redeem Israel from all
his iniquities. Eternal rest grant unto
them, O Lord...



Ordo	Mass and Confession Times	Offices and Devotions	Mass Intentions
Sunday 5/XI 23rd Sunday after Pentecost	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Confessions: 10am SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers & Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Jim and Joyce Lyons Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Monday 6/XI Votive Mass of All the Saints	8:30 Mass SW *12 noon EM* Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Walther family intentions Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Tuesday 7/XI Votive Mass of All the Saints	8:30 Mass SW *12 noon EM* Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Walther family intentions Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Wednesday 8/XI Four Crowned Martyrs	8:30 Mass SW *12 noon <u>SW</u> *	*No evening offices*	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Leonard Rinallo Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Thursday 9/XI Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	8:30 Mass SW 12 noon EM Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds *9:15-6:45pm Adoration* 5:30pm Vespers 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Leonard Defazio Canon Ducret: Barbara Osbaldeston RIP
Friday 10/XI St Andrew Avellino	8:30 Mass SW 12 noon EM (Sung) Confessions: 6pm SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Alina Rekawek Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Saturday 11/XI St Martin	8:30 SW 12 noon SW Confessions 9:15 SW	7.30am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers 6pm Adoration 7pm Compline	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ Canon Post: Sean Kerr Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel
Sunday 12/XI Remembrance Sunday	9:00 EM 10:30 SW 6:30pm SW Conf: 10-10:30 SW	8:00am Lauds 5:30pm Vespers and Benediction	Canon Cristofoli: Novena GZ and Remembrance Sunday intentions. Canon Post: Deceased Service members Canon Ducret: Novena Abbé Gabriel



Announcements

Saint Walburge's Guilds/Catechism Sundays: 12th and 26th November. **No Guilds in December.** Bring a packed lunch to the church hall following High Mass. Catechetical talks for children of all ages and adults begin at 1pm.

Seminary Collection: Thank you for your generosity in giving to the Seminary! May God reward you.

Saint Walburge's Pram Club: We are presently gauging interest in forming a toddler group at Saint Walburge's on Thursdays. If you would be interested in participating (and organising!) this initiative, please contact Canon Cristofoli or Maria Platt.

Afternoon with the Sister Adorers at their convent: Saturday November 18th from 2 pm to 5.15 pm. Activities, prayer of the rosary and office of vespers, snack and more for young ladies from 14-20 years old. St Augustine's Presbytery, 47 St Austin's Place, PR1 3YJ. To sign up, contact Sister Jean-Marie.

Youth Group: Saturday, 18 November, walk in the Lake District (see Canon Cristofoli or Antoni for details). *Friday, 24 November, 6pm at Saint Walburge's Church. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and confessions, followed by a spiritual conference of Canon Post on the topic "Finding a Catholic Spouse" and a festive fish and chips.

Men's Club: Monday, 27 November, 7:30pm at Saint Walburge's Presbytery. Social for the gentlemen with a conference by Canon Cristofoli on the spirit of Christian fatherhood.

Piety shop: Now in stock: Christmas cards and tree decorations, advent candles, calendars and more!

Our Safeguarding Representative: Mr. Peter Dilworth--peter.dilworth@icksp.org.uk. See Church notice board for further safeguarding information.

Last week's collections: SW: £675.20 Bank transfers: £485.00 Donations: £45.00 EM: £101.00
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