



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

PROPERS OF THE MASS ON SEPTEMBER 3rd, 2023

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

INTROIT (Ps. 83: 10, 11, 2)

Behold, O God, our protector, and look on the face of Thy Christ: for better is one day in Thy courts above thousands. Ps. How lovely are Thy tabernacles, O Lord of hosts! my soul longeth and fainteth for the courts of the Lord. *V* Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

Keep, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy Church with perpetual peace; and because the frailty of man without Thee cannot but fall, keep us ever by Thy help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE (Gal. 5: 16-24)

Brethren: Walk in the spirit, and you shall not fulfil the lusts of the flesh: for the flesh lusteth against the spirit, and the spirit against the flesh; for these are contrary one to another, so that you do not the things that you would. But if you are led by the spirit, you are not under the law. Now the works of the flesh are manifest, which are fornication, uncleanness, immodesty, luxury, idolatry, witchcrafts, enmities, contentions, emulations, wraths, quarrels, dissensions, sects, envies, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like; of the which I foretell you, as I have foretold to you, that they who do such things shall not obtain the kingdom of God. But the fruit of the spirit is: charity, joy, peace, patience, benignity, goodness, longanimity, mildness, faith, modesty, continency, chastity. Against such there is no law. And they that are Christ's have crucified their flesh with the vices and concupiscences.

GRADUAL (Ps. 117: 8-9)

It is good to confide in the Lord, rather than to have confidence in man. *V* It is good to trust in the Lord, rather than to trust in princes.

ALLELUIA (Ps. 94:1)

Alleluia, alleluia. *V* Come, let us praise the Lord with joy; let us joyfully sing to God our Saviour. Alleluia.



The Worship of Mammon, Evelyn de Morgan, 1909, De Morgan Centre, London



Christ's sermon on the mount: The parable of the lily, 1866, Currier & Ives, Library of Congress



Seek ye therefore first the Kingdom of God: *Anonymous painter from Westphalia, late 15th century, God the Father on a throne, with Virgin Mary and Jesus*

GOSPEL (Mt. 6: 24-33)

At that time Jesus said to His disciples: No man can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will sustain the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon. Therefore I say to you, be not solicitous for your life, what you shall eat, nor for your body, what you shall put on. Is not the life more than the meat, and the body more than the raiment? Behold the birds of the air; for they neither sow nor do they reap, nor gather into barns, and your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are you not of much more value than they? And which of you, by taking thought, can add to his stature one cubit? And for raiment why are you solicitous? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they labour not, neither do they spin; but I say to you, that not even Solomon in all his glory was arrayed as one of these. Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is today, and tomorrow is cast into the oven, how much more you, O ye of little faith! Be not solicitous therefore saying, what shall we eat, or what shall we drink, or wherewith shall we be clothed, for after all these things do the heathens seek. For your Father knoweth that you have need of all these things. Seek ye therefore first the Kingdom of God, and His justice; and all these things shall be added unto you.

OFFERTORY (Ps. 33: 8-9)

The angel of the Lord shall encamp round about them that fear Him, and shall deliver them: O taste and see that the Lord is sweet!

SECRET

Grant, we beseech Thee, O Lord, that the saving oblation we offer, may both atone for our sins, and propitiate for us Thine almighty power. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION (Mt. 6: 33)

Seek first the Kingdom of God: and all things shall be added unto you, saith the Lord.

POSTCOMMUNION

May Thy Sacraments, O God, at all times purify and strengthen us, and through them may we attain to eternal salvation. Through our Lord.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ST. PIUS X, POPE AND CONFESSOR

FEAST 3rd SEPTEMBER - VOTIVE MASS ON 4th SEPTEMBER

Born on 2nd June 1835 in Riese to poor parents, Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto was elected Pope with the name Pius X on 4th August 1903. He died on 20th August 1914 and was canonized on 29th May 1954 by Pius XII.

The holiness of Pius X was evident throughout his life and there were many miracles associated with him, both before and after his death. His motto was: *Instaurare omnia in Christo* - "To restore all things in Christ." His many actions and writings during his papacy clearly had this intention. He lowered the age for First Communions for children, produced a clearly written catechism, did much to restore the musical traditions of the Church, and gave a new emphasis to the writings of Thomas Aquinas. These, plus his many important encyclicals, are but some of the many things he did to "restore all things in Christ".

Pope Pius X (Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto), 1914, photograph by Ernest Walter Histed, National Portrait Gallery, London

LITURGICAL CALENDAR SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER 2023

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| Fri 8 th Sep | Nativity of the Blessed Virgin |
| Thu 14 th Sep | Exaltation of the Holy Cross |
| Fri 15 th Sep | The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary |
| Sun 24 th Sep | FIRST HOLY COMMUNION |
| Fri 29 th Sep | The Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel |
| Tue 3 rd Oct | St. Therese of the Child Jesus |
| Sat 7 th Oct | Our Lady of the Holy Rosary |
| Thu 12 th Oct | St. Wilfried |
| Fri 13 th Oct | St. Edward |
| Sun 29 th Oct | Titular Feast of the Kingship of Our Lord Jesus Christ |

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24th, 2023

First Holy Communion has been further delayed due to family related issues. Four children are now scheduled to receive the holy Eucharist for the first time on September 24th at 12:30 pm.

Thank you for your prayers our children and their families.

SHREWSBURY WEEKLY SCHEDULE

| DAY | DATE | TIME | MASS OF THE DAY | INTENTION |
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| SUN | 3 rd Sep | 12:30 pm | Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost | PI |
| MON | 4 th Sep | 10:00 am | Votive Mass of St. Pius X, Pope & Confessor (Feast September 3 rd) | David's brother (healing) |
| TUE | 5 th Sep | 6:30 pm | St. Lawrence Justinian, Bishop & Confessor | SB |
| WED | 6 th Sep | 10:00 am | St. Stephen, King of Hungary & Confessor (Feast September 2 nd) | Irene Parkinson RIP |
| THU | 7 th Sep | 6:30 pm | Votive Mass of Jesus Christ Sovereign & Eternal High Priest | Kenneth Parkinson RIP |
| FRI | 8 th Sep | 10:00 am | The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary | Franciszek Wasinski RIP |
| SAT | 9 th Sep | 10:00 am | Our Lady of Saturday Commemoration of St. Gorgonius | Lillian Jill Wasinski RIP |
| SUN | 10 th Sep | 12:30 pm | Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost | PI |

All Masses (also Adoration and Benediction on Tuesday and Thursday) are celebrated at St. Winefride's Church, 187 Crowmere Rd, Shrewsbury SY2 5LA.

Note: Adoration and Benediction on Tuesdays and Thursdays start at 5.30pm before the 6.30pm Mass.

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