



INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

PROPERS OF THE MASS ON AUGUST 31st, 2025 TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

INTROIT (Ps. 69: 2, 3, 4)

Incline unto my aid, O God: O Lord, make haste to help me: let my enemies be confounded and ashamed, who seek my soul. **Ps.** Let them be turned backward and blush for shame, who desire evils to me. **V** Glory be to the Father.

COLLECT

Almighty and merciful God, of whose gift it cometh that Thy faithful people do unto Thee true and laudable service; grant, we beseech Thee, that we may run without hindrance toward the attainment of Thy promises. Through our Lord.

EPISTLE (II COR. 3: 4-9)

Brethren: Such confidence we have through Christ towards God. Not that we are sufficient to think anything of ourselves, as of ourselves; but our sufficiency is from God. Who also hath made us fit ministers of the new testament, not in the letter, but in the spirit: for the letter killeth, but the spirit quickeneth. Now if the ministration of death, engraven with letters upon stones, was glorious, so that the children of Israel could not steadfastly behold the face of Moses, for the glory of his countenance, which is made void: how shall not the ministration of the spirit be rather in glory? For if the ministration of condemnation be glory, much more the ministration of justice aboundeth in glory.

GRADUAL (Ps. 33: 2-3)

I will bless the Lord at all times; His praise shall ever be in my mouth. **V** In the Lord shall my soul be praised: let the meek hear, and rejoice.

ALLELUIA (Ps. 87: 2)

Alleluia, alleluia. **V** O Lord, the God of my salvation, I have cried in the day, and in the night before Thee. Alleluia.

GOSPEL (Lk. 10: 23-37)

At that time, Jesus said to His disciples: Blessed are the eyes that see the things which you see. For I say to you, that many prophets and kings have desired to see the things that you see, and have not seen them; and to hear the things that you hear, and have not heard them. And behold a certain lawyer stood up, tempting Him, and saying: Master, what must I do to possess eternal life? But He said to him: What is written in the law? how readest thou? He answering, said: Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with thy whole heart, and with thy whole soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself. And He said to him: Thou hast answered rightly: this do, and thou shalt live. But he, willing to justify himself, said to Jesus: And who is my neighbor? And Jesus answering, said: A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among robbers, who also stripped him, and having wounded him went away, leaving him half dead: and it chanced that a certain priest went down the same way, and seeing him, passed by. In like manner also a Levite, when he was near the place and saw him, passed by. But a certain Samaritan being on his journey, came near him, and seeing him, was moved with compassion, and going up to him, bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine; and setting him upon his own beast, brought him to an inn, and took care of him: and the next day he took out two pence, and gave to the host, and said: Take care of him, and whatsoever thou shalt spend over and above, I, at my return will repay thee. Which of these three, in thy opinion, was neighbor to him that fell among robbers? But he said: He that shewed mercy to him. And Jesus said to him: Go and do thou in like manner.

OFFERTORY (Ex. 32: 11, 13, 14)

Moses prayed in the sight of the Lord his God, and said: Why, O Lord, is Thy indignation enkindled against Thy people? Let the anger of Thy mind cease; remember Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, to whom Thou didst swear to give a land flowing with milk and honey: and the Lord was appeased from doing the evil which He had spoken of doing against His people.

SECRET

Mercifully regard, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the sacrifices, which we lay upon Thine altar: that they may obtain pardon for our sins, and give glory to Thy name. Through our Lord.

COMMUNION (Ps. 103: 13, 14-15)

The earth shall be filled with the fruit of Thy works, O Lord, that Thou mayest bring bread out of the earth, and that wine may cheer the heart of man: that he may make the face cheerful with oil; and that bread may strengthen man's heart.

POSTCOMMUNION

May we be quickened, O Lord, by participation in this holy mystery, and may it grant us both the expiation of our sins and the strengthening of our souls. Through our Lord.



The Good Samaritan, Eugène Delacroix, 1849, William Rockhill Nelson Trust, Nelson Atkins Museum of Art, Kansas City, MO.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



ST GILES- 1st September

St Giles, known in Latin as Aegidius, was born around 650 of royal blood in Athens. His story and the legends associated with him are recorded in the Legenda Aurea (Golden Legend). His reputation for miracles grew and, not wanting the praise of men, he decided to go abroad. He began to live the life of a hermit. He befriended a doe who provided him with milk. When she was pursued by hunters, he prayed for her protection, but he instead was shot by the hunters. When king went out with a bishop to investigate, they were profoundly sorry, seeing that this was a very holy man. The king offered Giles wealth, but the saint asked instead that a monastery be built. The king confessed all his sins and was converted and Saint Giles continued in his holy life and was associated with many miracles. He is one of the Fourteen Holy Helpers. It was written that "whoever should call upon St Giles, for whatever he had committed, provided that he desist from that sin, he should not doubt that it was forgiven him by the Saint's merits." He died around 710 (aged c. 60) in the area now known as Langedoc in Southern France. A major shrine to St. Giles is the Abbaye de Saint-Gilles in Saint-Gilles, southern France, part of the Routes of Santiago de Compostela.

St Giles and the Hind, by an anonymous Franco-Flemish painter active around the turn of the 16th century, known as the Master of St Giles., National Gallery, London



SEPTEMBER 14th, 2025

VISIT BY SISTERS ADORERS

On Sunday, September 14th, the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, we will have the joy and honor to receive the visit of the community of Sisters Adorers in Preston. They will sing the Mass ("Nos autem gloriari oportet ...") and join us after Mass in the hall during the usual reception. At 3:00 pm they will give a talk and answer questions regarding the spiritual charism of the Institute's Adorers.

SUNDAY,

MARCH FOR LIFE UK 2025

Join March for Life UK on Saturday 6th Sept in London! The right to life underpins every other right we have and without it every other right is rendered meaningless. Unite with thousands of others at this family-friendly event where we recognise the value of life from conception and stand up for all those impacted by abortion. A coach leaves from St Winefride's Church, 187 Crowmere Rd, Shrewsbury SY2 5LA (6.30am). Coach seats: adults £30, under 16 £10, payable in advance. For more info/to book a seat contact Isabel 07773 501721, Ben 07885 505116 info@marchforlife.co.uk

LITURGICAL CALENDAR SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER 2025

Mon 8 th September	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Sun 14 th September	The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Mon 15 th September	The Seven Sorrows of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mon 29 th September	The dedication of St. Michael the Archangel
Sun 26 th October	The feast of Christ the King (Titular feast of the Institute)

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Most recent update of July 20th, 2025: Sue, Mary, Christine, Ruth, Helen, Jacqui, Teresa, Gyöngyi, Hannah, Grace, Anna, Deborah, Zoe, Isabella, Sophie, Abigail, Sharon, Clarice, Doreen, Grace, Beverley, Alex, Bozena, Peggy, Jude, Helena, Edit, Ági, Magdi, Mónika, Peter, Stephen, Martin, David, Mick, Joe, Tom, Felix, Toby, Henry, John, Michael, George, Graham, Colin, Andrew, Ian, Fr Siegfried, Fr István, Mark, Simon, Jennifer, Simon, Janet, Michael, Rose, Anna, Jo, Fr Zoltán, Ildikó, Gareth, Attila, Anya, Fr Gábor, Évi, Mavis, Alison, Mel, Alice, Father Feri, baby Peter, Siobhan, Nicholas.

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SHREWSBURY WEEKLY SCHEDULE

DAY	DATE	TIME	MASS OF THE DAY	INTENTION
SUN	31 st Aug	12:30 pm	TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST	PI
MO	1 st Sep	10:00 am	St. Giles, Abbot Comm. twelve holy brothers, Martyrs	Danuta Zurawska RIP
TUE	2 nd Sep	6:30 pm	St. Stephen of Hungary, King	Tadeusz Zurawski
WED	3 rd Sep	10:00 am	St. Pius X, Pope & Confessor	ZBIGNIEW KOBYLINSKI, SICK
THU	4 th Sep	6:30 pm	Votive Mass of Our Lord the Eternal High Priest Bishop & Doctor of the Church	IN REPARATION TO THE HOLY FACE
FRI	5 th Sep	10:00 am	Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Comm. St. Lawrence Justinian	ROSE MAIDEMENT RIP
SAT	6 th Sep	10:00 am	Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Virgin	Holy Souls in Purgatory
SUN	7 th Sep	12:30 pm	Thirteenth 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. (★ But are cancelled on 26 and 28 August)

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