



St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Ansdell

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All Saints- Year B

31st October 2021

Happy the gentle:

they shall have the earth for their heritage.

Sunday 31st October All Saints

(Vigil)	6.00pm	Tony Gleeson (Ann)
	9.15am	Annabel Evans RIP
	10.30am	Mass at St Peter's
	5.05pm	The Parish

Mon 1st November No Mass

Tues 2nd All Souls

10.00am Holy Souls

Wed 3rd 9.00am Mass at St Peter's

Thu 4th 9.00am Mass at St Peter's

Fri 5th 10.00am George McKeon (Ann)

Sat 6th 10.00am Mass at St Peter's

Sunday 7th November 32nd Sunday in Ord. time

(Vigil) 6.00pm Ken & Margaret Hammond (Ann)

9.15am John & Mgr Peter Cookson (Ann)

10.30am Mass at St Peter's

5.05pm The Parish

CONFESSIONS: Available after the 10am Saturday Mass at St Peter's, and the 10am Masses at St. Joseph's on Tuesdays and Fridays. Also, by arrangement with Fr David. Tel. 737037

ONLINE MASSES:

For live-streamed Sunday Mass, go to:

<https://bit.ly/3fkB30I> or

<https://st-josephsansdell.net/videos/> recorded videos

COLLECTION COUNT: for recent weeks:

	Offertory	Combonis	World Missions
Gift Aid	£1199.69	£385.00	£ 68.00
Non-Gift Aid	£ 377.89	£598.66	£273.33
	£1577.58	£983.66	£340.33

Other Gift Aid Donations:

Sick & Ret'd Priests:	£5.00
Bishop's Admin	£4.57
Home Missions	£3.00
Cath. Ed Services	£3.00

Other Donations:

St. Joseph's Care	£350.59
Burkina Faso	£685.00

Thank you for your generosity!

READERS

For Weekend 6th/7th November

Sat Vigil: E Gillett Sun 9.15: M Hall

Sun 5.05 : R Page

We need more readers for the three Sunday Masses. If you are interested, please ring David Warwick on 733897.

Please pray for:

Those who are sick: Anne Cawthorn, Margaret Brindle, Nora Shortt, Sr. Josephine Mary (Hynning), Brid José, Kitty O'Dea, Michael Cookson, Simon Muller, Susan Standing, Margaret Spillane, Maureen Lundy, Christopher Hill, Christopher Hunter, Pat Marion, Paul Meskell, Anne Meyer, Phil Winstanley, Judith Cross, Andrew Cox, Roseanne Evans, Emmanuel Zammit, Bob Osachuk, Rosaline Fox, Alan Watkins, Alison Singleton, Rod Beirne, Molly Murphy, Sr Kay, Elaine Acton-Reid, Richard Smith, Teresa Mulvey, Patrick Gilligan, George Morgan, Christopher Hickson.

Those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Peggy Lawrenson, Kath Warburton, Neil Harrison, John Christopher Duignan, Richard Thomas Whalley, Peter Wigmore, Vi Ford, Frank Barrett, Julia Byrne, Edmund Byrne, Agnes Cross, Nora Johnson, Anne Marie Pilling, Bishop Thomas Edward Flynn, Joseph Glaze, Mary Stokes Warburton, Elizabeth Pascaline Whitehead, Matthew Fox.

BACON BUTTIES ARE BACK! Simon is back in the kitchen after Mass on Sunday morning, so why not call in for a bite and coffee! The children's craft club is also underway again.

ST JOSEPH'S CARE: Your kind offerings are enabling us to continue to provide help to the young families associated with St Cuthbert's Primary School in South Shore. We have also donated £250 to the St Bede's Impact Group to help them with costs involved with a weekend at Castlerigg.

FOODBANK: Thank you for your continued generous donations. All items go to support people in our local community.

500 MILES +: please see the sponsorship form at the back of church. Joy and David Warwick's son in law and Maria's husband is running 500+ miles in support of a children's charity. Full details with the sponsorship form.

REPOSITORY: A restocked Repository including cards and gifts for Confirmation will reopen at the end of October. The toys etc currently stored in the Repository have been washed, sanitised and moved on. During this period of the Pandemic, it would be unwise for toys etc to be shared during services.

CATHOLIC VOICE: Please take a copy of the November edition home with you this weekend.

CLIMATE CHANGE: Together We Can Make a Difference - COP26 will be starting this Sunday in Glasgow, and continues until Friday, 12th November. Please pray that we will truly act as one family and all Nations will unite in the battle against Climate Change. We will take up the challenge where the Conference has left off. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will start after our Mass of Remembrance on Friday 12th, and end on Sunday the 14th at 1pm. The sign-up sheet for 'watching' is at the back of church. This is a link to CAFOD's webpage for prayers for the conference: <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Prayer-resources/COP26-prayer>. Here is a link to the Rosary procession at Carfin Grotto, Scotland's national shrine to our Lady, near Motherwell, set to take place on Sunday 31st at 3.30pm: <https://www.sowingseedsofthefuture.org/vocationslivestream>.

NOVEMBER - THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS: Traditionally, November is the month of the Holy Souls. We pray for all those who have died, especially over the last year. From this Tuesday the basket will be out at the front of church for those whose souls people wish to be prayed for. Please just write a list of their names on a piece of paper, fold it, and leave it in the basket. All their souls will be remembered at Masses throughout November.

ANNUAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE: This year the Annual Mass of Remembrance for our family and friends who have died in the past year will be on Friday November 12th at 10am. Depending on the weather, this will be followed by prayers in the Garden of Remembrance with Our Lady, and near the memorial tree planted last year. If you have someone you wish to be remembered in this way, please phone Christine on 01253 722922 with the name.

THE FAMILY QUIZ EVENT: will now take place after Evening Mass on Saturday 13th November in the Hall. Please come along and see what a difference we can all make. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church. Following Covid good practice, please bring along your own food and drink. Plates and glasses will be available.

PARISH PARTY: We have reluctantly taken the decision to postpone our party (originally scheduled for 26th November) until next year sometime. Don't worry, the Party will happen sometime in the New Year.

UNPICK THE GOSPEL: Come and reflect on next week's Gospel in the Hall Wednesday 10am until 11am. Listen and consider what Jesus is saying to us today! Come along and just try it, you will be surprised at how the Gospel comes alive.

ST. JOSEPH'S CARE: It is hoped to hold a meeting very soon for those people who already volunteer or anyone who would be willing to volunteer. It would be good to discuss how best to carry on this valuable and needy work. In the meantime, if you are willing to help, please let us know either by e-mail to anne.waters@talktalk.net or by phone 07968700582 / 07840112265.

DONATION BY STANDING ORDER: If you wish to donate to the parish by Standing Order, please email us at st.josephs_andsdell@btinternet.com, requesting a standing order form. If you are a taxpayer and are not already Gift-aiding your contributions, please consider this. It is a great support to the parish. Forms for Gift-aid are available as above.

THE CHURCH ON A 'SYNODAL JOURNEY': Pope Francis has called the whole Church to take part in a 'Synodal Journey'. This 'journey' means a period of prayer, reflection, and listening to all voices in the Church, starting at the local level. The pope speaks of the synod as the way of being Church together. The word 'synod' come from the Greek: 'synodos', meaning 'assembly, meeting, coming together'; and 'hodos', meaning 'journeying, a way, road or path'. The idea of the synod is very ancient in the Church. The pope speaks of it also as the way forward. Our bishop, Paul Swarbrick, introduces this initiative in this Sunday's Pastoral letter: 'This first phase of preparation is to take place throughout the Diocese, please God, in all the parishes. We are invited to pray, speaking our mind (with respect and charity of course!), careful listening, discernment and openness to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. The bishops who meet in Rome in 2023 will have received your deliberations on the theme: 'For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation and Mission.' The bishop also says: 'I am asking all our parishes to pray for the success of the Synod of Bishops due to take place in October 2023. As well as praying for the Synod, I want parishes to meet and actually help form the Church, making it Fit for Mission for these times.' More details will be made known as they come through. In the meantime, material is available from the Holy See at <https://www.synod.va/en.html>