

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS DURING THE WEEK 9th 16th February 2020

✠ Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
R 6.15-6.45pm	St Pius X	6.00pm	Mass People of the Parish
	St Mary	7.00pm	Mass Patrick O'Connor RIP <i>Noreen & ted Moynihan</i>
Sunday 9th	St Joseph	8.00am	Mass Florence Da Silva RIP <i>M.D.P Da Silva</i>
		11.00am	Mass Dawn Patricia Newman and Jackie Donne RIP <i>T White</i>
		6.00pm	Mass People of the Parish
	St Edward	9.00am	Mass Estela Lopez RIP <i>M .G. Lopez</i>
	St Pius X	9.30am	Mass Christopher Urch RIP <i>Graham McBain</i>
	St Mary	11.00am	Mass Intention for Tom Collins <i>Martin & Linda</i>
	12.30pm	Baptism: Reggie & Jensen Dunham	
Monday 10th St Scholastica	St Mary	9.15am	Mass Joseph Schlanek RIP <i>Anne Breen</i>
	St Pius X	7.30pm	Mass Bereavement Mass for February
Tuesday 11th Our Lady of Lourdes	St Joseph	10.00am	Mass Intention for Jessica Littlewood <i>Weronika Littlewood</i>
	RSCH chapel	4.00pm	Mass Holy Souls
Wednesday 12th	St Joseph	10.00am	Mass for Thanks Giving <i>Irish Pomento</i>
	St Edward	10.00am	Mass Richard & Brigid Nagle RIP <i>Terence Nagle</i>
	St Pius X	2.00pm	Memorial Service for Stella Potts
Thursday 13th	St Mary	9.15am	Mass Wellbeing of Fr Prudence Ferreira <i>Braganza Family</i>
	St Pius X	10.00am	Mass Brian Cook RIP <i>Maureen Cook</i>
Friday 14th Ss Cyril, Monk and Methodius	St Peters School	8.45am	Mass The New Chapel
	St Mary	10.00am	Mass Piotr Zwolinski RIP <i>Aneta</i>
	St Joseph	10.00am	Mass Gilbert & Anna Elkes, Keith Bradley and Stanley Gibbs RIP <i>Carol Bradley</i>
Saturday 15th	St Joseph R & Exp 11am12nn	10.00am	Mass Zarina & David Fernandez Wedding Anniversary <i>Zarina & David</i>
✠ Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
R 6.15-6.45pm	St Pius X	6.00pm	Mass Jack Thorne RIP <i>Nick & Mary Fox</i>
	St Mary	7.00pm	Mass Peter Scott RIP <i>Eileen Scott</i>
Sunday 16th	St Joseph	8.00am	Mass People of the Parish
		11.00am	Mass Wilfred Bartolo RIP <i>Wyn king</i>
	R 5.15-5.45pm	6.00pm	Mass Florence Da Silva RIP <i>M.D.P Da Silva</i>
	St Edward	9.00am	Mass Gregory Brierley RIP <i>Ursula Brierley</i>
	St Pius X	9.30am	Mass Florencio Sambalilo RIP <i>Iris</i>
	St Mary	11.00am	Mass Intention for Nula Galligher <i>Molly Flannery</i>

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

THE COLLECT

Keep your family safe, O Lord, with unfailing care, that, relying solely on the hope of heavenly grace, they may be defended always by your protection. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**

FIRST READING (Isaiah 58: 7-10)

Thus says the Lord: Share your bread with the hungry, and shelter the homeless poor, clothe the man you see to be naked and turn not from your own kin. Then will your light shine like the dawn and your wound be quickly healed over. Your integrity will go before you and the glory of the Lord behind you. Cry, and the Lord will answer; call, and he will say, "I am here." If you do away with the yoke, the clenched fist, the wicked word, if you give your bread to the hungry, and relief to the oppressed, your light will rise in the darkness, and your shadows become like noon.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

R: The good man is a light in the darkness for the upright.

He is a light in the darkness for the upright: he is generous, merciful and just. The good man takes pity and lends, he conducts his affairs with honour. **R**

The just man will never waver: he will be remembered for ever. He has no fear of evil news; with a firm heart he trusts in the Lord. **R**

With a steadfast heart he will not fear; open-handed, he gives to the poor; his justice stands firm for ever. His head will be raised in glory. **R**

SECOND READING (1 Corinthians 2: 1-5)

When I came to you, brothers, it was not with any show of oratory or philosophy, but simply to tell you what God had guaranteed. During my stay with you, the only knowledge I claimed to have was about Jesus, and only about him as the crucified Christ. Far from relying on any power of my own, I came among you in great 'fear and trembling' and in my speeches and the sermons that I gave, there were none of the arguments that belong to philosophy; only a demonstration of the power of the Spirit. And I did this so that your faith should not depend on human philosophy but on the power of God..

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

GOSPEL (Matthew 5: 13-16)

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew

Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus said to his disciples: "You are the salt of the earth. But if salt becomes tasteless, what can make it salty again? It is good for nothing, and can only be thrown out to be trampled underfoot by men. You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill-top cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp to put it under a tub; they put it on the lamp-stand where it shines for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine in the sight of men, so that, seeing your good works, they may give the praise to your Father in heaven."

The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

O Lord our God, who once established these created things to sustain us in our frailty, grant, we pray, that they may become for us now the Sacrament of eternal life. Through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O God, who have willed that we be partakers in the one Bread and the one Chalice, grant us, we pray, so to live that, made one in Christ, we may joyfully bear fruit for the salvation of the world

**Readings for the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
CYCLE A (Sundays) and YEAR II (Weekdays)**

**Ecclesiasticus 15:15-20
1 Corinthians 2:6-10
Matthew 5:17-37**