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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time 30th September 2018

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10:30am Sung Mass People of the Parish

5:00pm Low Mass Holy Souls

Monday NO PUBLIC MASS

Tuesday The Holy Guardian Angels

7:00pm Frederick & Elizabeth An Gts RIP

Wednesday

10:00am Antonio Hipolito Fernandes RIP

Thursday St Francis of Assisi

10:00am Olive Barnett RIP

Friday

10:00am Madelline Pratt RIP

Saturday Our Lady's Saturday

10:00am William Thomas Donovan RIP

Confessions heard after Masses on weekdays and on Sundays after Mass at request.

Parking on Sundays behind the Church in the school playground in Spring Street.

Please ensure your mobile phones are switched off in Church.

**Masses for the following week
commencing Sunday 7th October**

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Parish News

Diocesan Pastoral Plan

Last week Bishop Richard met with all the diocesan clergy to talk about the diocesan plan for the diocese, it will be implemented over the next few years until 2030. It looks at following matters:

- **Combining parishes**
- **Centralising administration**
- **Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life**
- **Provision for schools**
- **Formation of Laity and Clergy**
- **Diocesan Finance**
- **Finance for increasingly large numbers of sick and retired priests**

In the next 10 plus years the Church in our diocese will change dramatically. Over the next few months the Bishop will be visiting all of deaneries to unveil this plan and we will then be able to discuss our implementation of it here at St Mary Magdalen's. There is a video link about the Pastoral Plan (<https://dabnet.org/news/view/33>) **Our meeting with the Bishop** will be on **Thursday 11th October at 7pm** at **Cardinal Newman Sixth Form College**.

It is vital that we attend the meeting, as it concerns the future of our parish and Diocese. Please sign up for the meeting on the sheet at the back of the Church.

Pope Francis has asked us to pray the Rosary every day in October that the Church be delivered from the tyranny of the Devil. Please do so.

Pray for Br. Andrew Wagstaff, our former MC, and for Rupert Bevan Andrew will be ordained a Deacon in November and both Rupert and Andrew should be ordained Priests next year. Pray also for the four seminarians in our Diocese.

Catholic Women's Group Next meeting is **Sunday 7th October** at the Presbytery. Meetings will henceforth be on **the first Sunday of every month** until June.

Rosary Crusade of Reparation is on **Saturday 13th October 2018**, assemble by 1.45pm outside Westminster Cathedral (Ambroseden Avenue), Procession to Brompton Oratory, SW7. More information on poster in porch and leaflets at back of Church.



Hospital Chaplaincy If you are going into hospital, do tell **Fr Peter Fitch**, he is Catholic chaplain to our hospitals. His number is **01273 087839**.

Last week's offertory collection was £567.00 of which **£265.00** was gift aided. The Lord loves a cheerful giver, so be generous in your offerings. **Gift aid envelopes** are at the back of the Church.