



## 28th Sunday of the Year

### Mass times, intentions + the week ahead

Saturday 11th October	6.00pm	Jim Wright Joan Howard
Sun 12th October <b>28th Sunday</b>	10.30am	Geoff Young, in thanks to St Jude Irene Campbell
Monday 13th October St Edward	9.10am	George Poynor
Tuesday 14th October	9.10am	Sr Margaret Mullen
Wed 15th October St Teresa of Avila	11.30am 12 noon	<i>Confessions</i> In thanks for prayers answered (MM)
Thursday 16th October St Margaret Mary	9.10am	Leah Williams Margaret Harrison
Friday 17th October St Ignatius of Antioch	9.10am	Elizabeth Kelly Maureen Theis
Saturday 18th October	6.00pm	Maureen McGarry Parishioners
Sun 19th October <b>29th Sunday</b>	10.30am	Marion Cheeham (sick) Elly Hoy (sick)

#### Confessions

Wednesday 11.30am  
and by appointment with Fr Philip.

**Pope Leo's prayer intention** for October Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

**PRAYING THE PARISH:** WE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO LIVE IN  
EPSOM CLOSE + BEAUMONT DRIVE

**Praying the Sunday Missal:** The readings are on **Page 949** in the red Sunday Missals - and on page 976 In the blue missals.



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## 28th Sunday of the Year: 12th October 2025

**From the archbishop for the month of  
October : 'Peace be with you!'**

With these words Pope Leo XIV spoke to all people of goodwill as he first greeted the world following his election. My first words to the Church of Liverpool were the same when Archbishop Malcolm introduced me as his successor as shepherd of the archdiocese. This greeting echoes the words of risen Christ to all people through the power of his life-changing Resurrection. He invites them to be filled with His peace and calls us to share the peace of Christ with every person in every corner of creation. Peace is a quality for which we pray and something we need to create and cultivate by active steps of love which lead to the authentic human flourishing of all peoples no matter their race, colour, or religious belief.

On 24 September, the Holy Father noted that October was approaching and that with the 7 October, the feast of Our Lady of the Rosary, the Catholic Church dedicates the whole month to praying the rosary in a more intense way. "I invite everyone to pray the rosary every day during the coming month – for peace – personally, with your families and in your communities," he said.

So I invite each and all of you to pray the Holy Rosary each day during the month of October, for your families and your parish communities and for the gift of peace in the world.

**October:** Month of the Rosary: If anyone would like to lead the rosary in church please see Fr Philip. We will pray a decade of the rosary for peace, as requested by Pope Leo, each day 5 minutes before Mass. If you can lead please sign the list in the porch.

**Warm Lunch:** The next lunch is Fri 17th October 12 noon - lunch served 12.30pm. All welcome, no charge - a donation helps.

**FoodShare:** Tea, coffee, sardines and mackerel and mash potatoes please.

**Parish Account Details:** Holy Rosary Presbytery (183) Sort Code 40-29-12 Account No. 41543849 Or fill out a Standing Order form (in church) and give it into the Parish Office or send it to your bank.

**The Parish Council and Finance Committee** 4 areas for development: Establish a mother and toddler group; set up a local version of the SVP; develop a list of volunteers who can help with maintenance and day to day running of the parish; develop relations with AIPA and youth ministry.

The **Parish Bereavement Team:** On Tuesday 11th November we will have our annual service of remembrance for those who have had their funerals in our parish. We will be inviting the relatives of those who have died to a service at 7.00pm followed by refreshments in the Parish Lounge. This service is open to everyone, not just those who have had funerals in the last 12 months. During the service we will write gold Christmas stars with names and intentions on which will adorn our Christmas tree.

**“CAFOD Fast Day Appeal this Harvest:** Thank you for the collection of £850. This was a huge amount. We have had a letter from the Spiritans thanking us for the collection in September of £935. All of this along with the on-going support of the Red Boxes shows a parish with a truly missionary spirit.

Applications for the **Lourdes Youth Pilgrimage** with Sefton Coach 7 are LIVE now at [liverpool Lourdes youth.co.uk](http://liverpool Lourdes youth.co.uk). Those from Year 10 up to age 22 are invited to be part of Coach 7 this year (22nd-31st July 2026). The cost is £720, fundraising can reduce this. For information email [coach7@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:coach7@rcaol.org.uk)

**Singing Groups and Musical Theatre** – only £6 for 45 minutes. Every Monday from 16:30 to 19:30. Tuition starts at just £16 for one-on-one sessions. Available instruments: Piano, Guitar, Drums, Woodwind, Brass, and Vocals. Build confidence, learn new skills, and make friends through music! Contact AIPA today to book your spot – limited spaces available! WhatsApp 07434 581034 to secure your place.

**Fire Drill:** In the next few weeks there will be a fire drill in church so we all know what to do in case of a fire.

**‘Flu + Covid:** If you feel unwell please don’t come to church + don’t receive from the chalice. This is a precaution as we come toward winter.

**Wednesday 15th October** is the 70th anniversary of the consecration of Holy Rosary church.

**SVP:** It is time for us to re-introduce a local version of the SVP. A parish group that will be available to help those in need. Sometimes this is for financial support - often it is people who need a visit - or need someone to sit with a relative at the time of a hospital appointment. If you are interested and think you could volunteer in this way just indicate to Fr P or one of the parish council that this is something worth doing.

**Baby Loss Awareness Week** is from 9-15 October. It is an opportunity to pause and acknowledge the deep sorrow suffered by parents who have experienced the loss of a baby, especially through miscarriage, ectopic pregnancy, or stillbirth and infant loss. Each of these losses involves the death of a small child and the parents need our compassion and support through their bereavement. It is an opportunity for prayer. Many women and parents carry this painful loss silently. It is difficult to talk about, and the Church has also found this difficult. During this Baby Loss Awareness Week, let us remember all babies who have died before birth or in infancy and the families who mourn them. If you have experienced the loss of a baby, please be assured that the parish holds you in prayer and invites you to seek support in your our community.

**Christmas Raffle / Tombola and Bingo Night:** We are collecting prizes for these upcoming fundraising events. Funds raised go to the refurbishment of the Parish lounge. Any prizes, bottles etc will be welcomed!