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## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



### Eucharistic Adoration

Mon 9AM-7PM, Fri 6PM-7PM  
 & Sun 9AM-10AM

### Confessions

Fri 6PM, Sat 10AM & Sun 9:30AM



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Wednesday-Friday

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After Sunday Morning Mass

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Welcome to you all this weekend, and please take note of the following dates as required;  
**Altar Server Training** for all new Altar Servers and those who need a refresher on  
**Saturday 2nd November at 11AM.**

**All Readers** we have received the new missals, before using these we will have refreshers for you all and to see the new missals before use in Advent. You will be contacted individually as to your availability/attendance.

**First Holy Communion Enrolment Mass** will be on **Saturday 23rd November 9:30am** the lessons have now begun and will be every Wednesday 5:45PM to 6:45PM.

The **Parish Office** will be **closed Thursday 24th October.**

This weekend's readings focus on one of the truly powerful qualities that shines out in Jesus' life was that of His generous and loving service. We see it in the way He speaks and cares for people and in the steadfast way He endeavours to fulfil His Father's will. These examples should both inspire and challenge us to ask ourselves how we treat one another. Perhaps the generosity of Jesus is seen most clearly in the way He goes to the Cross to lay down His life to free us from slavery to sin. He never orders us into service, rather He shows us, and then invites us to do as He did. He does this so that we learn to serve Him in serving others. Both St James and St John appear to get hold of the wrong end of the stick; it seems they wanted power and authority. That wasn't what Jesus was calling them to; no, He was calling them, inviting them, to a joy filled life of sacrifice and service. We can make that same mistake. It's only in making a genuine sacrifice for others that Jesus gives us the authority to call ourselves Christian and in that sacrifice, we experience the joy that Jesus offers us. In the Kingdom of God authority only comes through service, never through power.

Sat 19th Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	09:30AM 18:00PM	Joshua, Jonah & Francis Michael Coyle
Sun 20th Oct 2024	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	10:00AM 18.00PM	Patrick Kells RIP Maria Leanor Faro RIP
Mon 21st Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00AM 19:00PM	Charles & Jo (Wedding Anniversary) Brian Cuddihy IC RIP
Tue 22nd Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00AM 11:30AM 19.00PM	Mike Taylor RIP (Anniversary) Requiem Mass of Frances Jackson RIP Johanna Sheehan
Wed 23rd Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00AM 11:30AM 19.00PM	Tyblewski, Wroblewski & Rogers Families Funeral Service of Marion Keane RIP John Moore RIP
Thurs 24th Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00AM 19.00PM	Anne & Howard Ormsby Margaret Rappai RIP
Fri 25th Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00AM 12.00PM 19.00PM	Claire & Jon Ormsby Potter (Wedding Anniv) Funeral Service of Agnes Lynch RIP Fr Brian Cuddihy IC RIP
Sat 26th Oct 2024	Feria in Ordinary Time	09:30AM 18:00PM	All Parishioners Molly

## This week's Gospel – Mark 10:35-45

### 'The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many'

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.' When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them, 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

### Responsorial Psalm

**May your love be upon us, O Lord,  
as we place all our hope in you.**

### Fr Brian Cuddihy IC RIP Funeral

It is with great sadness that we learned of the passing of our dear friend Father Brian Cuddihy IC RIP, former parish priest here at St. Marie's and of St. Patrick's in Newport. Fr Brian died on Saturday 5th October peacefully in Gentili House, aged 81. Fr Brian will make his final journey on earth to the town and parish where he liked to call home, St Patrick's in Newport (NP19 OHS), Fr Brian will be received into St. Patrick's this Wednesday at 5PM with his requiem mass on Thursday at 11:30AM and Internment at St. Woolo's Cemetery (NP20 3PY) at 1:30PM. St. Patrick's also have live streaming for those unable to make the journey. The Rosminian family gratefully remembers Fr Brian and asks for you to join their prayers for him. May he rest in peace.

### Christmas Market Meeting

This Tuesday 7pm in the Coach House, please attend if you have or would like a stall, so that you are aware and included in the plans, thank you.

### Rosary for the month of October

It is truly encouraging to see parishioners from the young and old making a special effort in the evening to come to Church and partake in the Rosary. There are a few dates available for families or friends to come together and lead the rosary so please do fill in those empty dates on the sheet in the back of church.

*"When you say your Rosary, the angels rejoice, the Blessed Trinity delights in it, my Son finds joy in it too, and I myself am happier than you can possibly guess. After the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, there is nothing in the Church that I love as much as the Rosary."*

- Our Lady to Blessed Alan de la Roche

### Second Collection for Missio

This Sunday is WORLD MISSION SUNDAY celebrated by parishes worldwide. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, we stand united as God's global family, in prayer, solidarity, and action. Please pray for missionaries and give what you can to this vital collection, bringing God's compassion, peace, and justice to those in need. Please take a Missio envelope for ways to donate and Gift Aid your donation if possible. Thank you

### St. Marie's Parish Foodbank

Request for items for foodbank that are non perishable and left in the porch please, thank you.

### UCM Meeting

The next UCM meeting is Monday 28th October and will be discussing preparations for the Christmas fair. We appreciate all your donation of bottles and bottle bags so far, thank you.

### Assisted Dying Bill

We must bear witness to love and to life once more. No one is excluded from God's love and no-one should be killed as 'health care'. From the unborn to the dying, we have no right to decide who should live and who should die.

Christians of many sorts are united in opposing the misguided proposed legislation—our own bishops and the Anglican Archbishop of Canterbury among them. The Catholic Bishops' website has resources to inform you about the that is currently working its way through Parliament.

See: [www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/](http://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/)

### Blessing of the Graves

Family and Friends of those who are buried here at St Maries in our graveyard are invited to the Blessing of the Graves, a commemoration of the faithful departed and an opportunity to pray for the repose of their souls.  
St. Maries – Saturday, 02/11/2024 after 9:30am mass

### RECENTLY DECEASED

Frances Jackson, Fr Brian Cuddihy IC, Marion Keane, Agnes Lynch

### FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AROUND THIS TIME

John Smyth, Barbara Brodalka, PJ Larkin, Robert Larkin, Susan Simpkin, Maria Lysenkiw, Henry Welton, Michael Maloney, Paul Simpson, Sarah Reynolds, Doris Ivens, Una Leach, John Moore, Shirley Deery, Patrick Maughan, John O'Meara

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK

Tom Donnelly, Sharon Colleran, George Mears, Freddie Fereday, Piotr Fior, William Hearne, Hattie Taylor, Val Muir, Lenny & Marie Niner, Sybil Brookes, Maureen Keane, Ginny Eves, Paula Ann Smith, Michael Duffin, Teresa Summersgill, Breda O'Byrne, Alan Thomas, Philomena, Antonio Hernandez, Eamon Curry, Janet Eyles, Malcolm Reeves, John Dover, Terry McSweeney, Stuart Woodcock, Fr Bellwood IC, Johnny Stott, Alan Parish, Emariciana D'Souza, Joseph Deery