



Our Lady & St Joseph's Parish Bulletin

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**THIRTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 26TH 2003**



THIS SUNDAY'S MUSIC. Entry *Praise to the Lord* 706 Offertory *Lay your Hands* 432 Comm *O Godhead Hid* 661
Recessional *Lord of all Hopefulness* 969

A NOTE ABOUT NEXT WEEKEND. The feast of All Saints falls on a Saturday this year. It is a Holyday of Obligation. That means we celebrate it on Sunday next week. Because of that, Holy Souls Day, normally on November 2nd, is now celebrated on Monday November 3rd.

Sorry about this, but there's another second collection today. This one is for the **SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS** of the diocese. It is one of those collections where each parish is assessed according to its capacity to pay! Our assessment is £4033 which we pay whatever actually comes into today's second collection. You might like to be particularly generous! It is a sad reflection on the advancing age and physical deterioration of an increasing number of diocesan priests. Praying for more vocations would be one way of softening the financial blow on the parish!

Next Sunday there's also another second collection. This time it is for **THE CHURCH IN NEED**. A speaker, John Smith, will tell us more about this particular charity which cares for poor parishes in Eastern Europe and Asia.

PLEASE PUT YOUR RETURNED SKILLS AUDIT FORMS IN THE BOX AT THE BACK OF CHURCH. AS A SIGN OF OUR GIVING BACK TO GOD THE TALENTS HE HAS ENTRUSTED TO US WE'LL BRING THE BOX UP TO THE ALTAR AT TODAY'S 10.0 MASS

We'll start this years **JOURNEY IN FAITH** course on Thursday November 20th. All we need, of course, is a group of people who are interested in knowing more about our Faith and who are willing to come weekly from now until Easter to share with a group of parishioners on a friendly and informal basis experiences of Faith. Some may even go on to being received as part of our community at next year's Easter Vigil Ceremony, though there is no pressure to do this. Folk will be able to take advantage of this **ONLY IF YOU TELL THEM!** Thank God you keep the Faith. Please God you don't keep it to yourself.

DIOCESE OF LANCASTER - EDUCATION SERVICE

Maranatha!

Preparing the Advent Scriptures for Children



Led by:

Simon Stewart
(*Diocesan guidelines*)

Margaret Huggon
(*working with pre-schoolers*)

Lynne Gibbons
(*drama and movement*)

10am - 1pm, November 15
St. Augustine's Social Centre, Carlisle

There's an ecumenical meal at the Auctioneer on Thursday November 13th. Details are on the noticeboard. You will need to book quickly if you wish to go.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat	6.00	Alston	Benjamin Gallagher
Sun	10.00		Elizabeth Rome (sick)
	4.30		The Parish
Mon	12.10		Bert Wilson
Tue	8.00		Dec'd Family Members
	12.10		Sr Egbert
Wed	9.15	St Gabs	Harry Comerford
	12.10		Agnes Wilson
Thu	8.00		Private Intention
	12.10		Alf Little and family
Fri	8.00		Special Intention
	12.10		William White
Sat	12.10		Brigid Ward
	6.00	Alston	Mary Ellen Cubin
Sun	10.00		The Parish
	3.30		HOLY HOUR
	4.30		Paul Duda

Please pray for John Drummond who is sick, for Sr Egbert (late of Durranshill Convent) who died recently, and for Paul Duda whose anniversary occurs about this time.



One World Storytelling

Thursday 30th October

11am-12noon

Carlisle Children's Library
The Lanes, Carlisle

Stories and activities for 5-12 year olds with Uwem Ite: what's the same and what's different between growing up in Britain and in Africa? Parents may leave their children, or stay and enjoy the fun!

For more information contact

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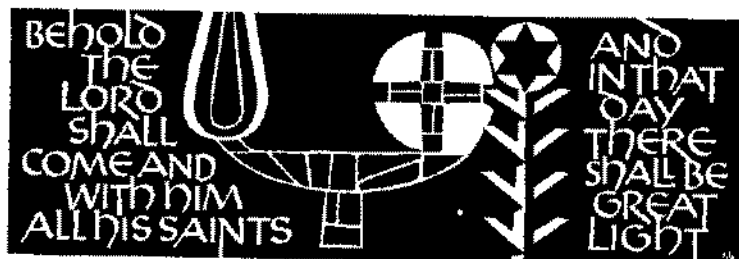
ONE WORLD CENTRE

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Thank you for your support for World Mission Sunday, last week. Our sharing in the self-sacrifice of Christ enables us to be called sons and daughters of God - 'what marvels the Lord works for us'. By helping the missions of the Church, we are enabling that Good News to be brought to many more peoples throughout the world. Thank you for your generosity.

NOVEMBER is the month of the Holy Souls. As usual you will find at the back of church a blank DEAD LIST form on which you can write the names of those you particularly wish to remember and we will place these forms on the altar for remembrance during Masses in November.



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