## LITURGY OF THE WORD

Dt 6: 2-6. Ps 17. Heb 7: 23-28. Mk 12: 28-34

The question about the first of all the commandments was a live debate in Jesus' time: not as a question about the supremacy of one commandment . but a quest for a single commandment which summed up the entire Law. Jesus highlights two commandments as being the basis for all the others. It's a pleasant surprise to find that this question was genuine. Jesus tells the scribe who asked it: "vou're not far from the kingdom of God"!

We pray for all our sick, those in the parish, at home and in hospital.

Sick: Baby Olivia Kelly, Jim Hall, Nicky Pacitti, Christina Bainbridge.

Mary Help of the Sick pray for them.

Dead: Mary Dougan, Anne McDonald, Jean Gallagher, Margaret Harrigan, Johnny O'Rourke,

**Anniversaries:** Isabella Cusak, & for the repose of the souls of all our dearly departed, in this month of the Holy Souls.

Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them O Lord...

#### PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

St Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

# PLEASE TAKE A BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU **TO PERUSE AT YOUR LEISURE**

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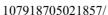
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> 31st Sunday of the Year Year 'R' (3rd November 2024)



## **Times of Masses and Services**

**Sunday Mass St Robert's:** Vigil (Saturday) 4pm; Sunday 10am. **Confessions:** Saturday morning 10.30am—11am. Saturday evening

3.20pm-3.50pm (before Vigil Mass) and on request.

Sunday Mass St Bernard's: 11.30am.

**Confessions:** Every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month after Mass and on request.

Holy Days of Obligation: St Robert's 10am & St Bernard's 7pm.

Weekday Mass St Robert's: Mon -Wed, Fri and 1st Saturday of the

Month 10am.

RCIA: Mondays at 12 noon.

Every Weekday: 9am-9.50am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Rosary: 9.30am.

Novena Prayers to Perpetual Succour: Thursday after the Rosary.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy: Friday after 10am Mass. Fr Joe's Day Off: Will be on a Thursday of each week.



# **Sanctuary Lamp Intentions:**

St Robert's: For the repose of the souls of all our dearly departed.

St Bernard's: For the repose of the souls of all our dearly departed.

# **CALENDAR**

Monday: St Charles Borromeo - Memorial

Friday: Blessed John Duns Scotus - Memorial

Saturday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica -Feast

November, Month of the Holy Souls: At the back of the Church the November Lists are available for you to complete. Here you can list the names of friends and family and they will be placed before the altar and Mass will be said for them each day. Photographs of your loved ones are also welcome and we will place them on the notice board of the Holy Souls. In November we will have special Masses for the Bereaved at 7pm on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> in St Robert's and Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> in St Bernard's to pray for all those who died over the last year.

Cemetery Mass: Bishop John invites you to join him in the celebration of Mass in St. Conval's Cemetery, today Sunday 3rd November at 2pm.

**Renovation Appeal Update:** We received further anonymous donations totalling £10.00. Thank You all for your continued support, God Bless You.

**Sunday 3rd November : Parishes AGAPE (Love) Sunday:** You are invited to stay behind after Mass for tea, something to eat and a chat.

**Parishes Pens:** We thank Daniel McNulty (St Bernard's Parish) for donating inscribed pens (36 each) to both parishes. May God bless him for his generosity and love.

**New Lectionary: The word of God is Alive and Active.** From the first Sunday of Advent 2024, churches in Scotland, England and Wales will begin to use a revised lectionary.

Confirmation Parents Meeting: If your child has been put forward to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in January then please attend the meeting on the 4th November at 6:30pm in St Robert's Church. Please bring with you a copy of your child's baptismal certificate.

## PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD FOR NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Readers:** Information Evenings - Unpacking the Lectionary

**Night Fever:** St Anthony's Govan from 4-9pm on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November. All welcome. Poster at the back of the church.

**Forty Hours:** The new list for 2025 is available at the back of the church.

**Mass for COP29:** in St. Andrew's Cathedral, Glasgow, on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November @ 1pm. Poster at the back of the church.

**Support Group:** for Catholic Women Affected by Separation and Divorce