

Newsletter

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Monday 22nd October – Sunday 28th October 2018

Mass Intentions

Monday	10:00am	The Homeless
Tuesday	10:00am	Fr Thomas Smith & family F.M
Wednesday	10.00am	Liturgy of the Word
	7:00pm	Intention of Mike Hazel
Thursday	10:00am	Callaghan & Ryan family
Friday	10:00am	The People of Yemen
	5.30 – 6.30pm	Holy Hour
Saturday	6:00pm	World Governments
Sunday	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:30am	Regina & Mark Francis	
10:00am	Holy Souls	
12 noon	People of the Parish	

**Confessions 2–4pm every Saturday,
or by Appointment**

HOLY HOUR

*Next Friday, on 26th Oct, the
last Friday of the month, there*

**We seek too much information and
not enough transformation.**

Footnote

...Continued from last week

4. St John was miraculously saved from a huge basin of boiling oil in Rome, but sentenced to working in mines on the prison island of Patmos, where he then wrote Revelation.
5. St Peter was crucified upside down on an x-shaped cross, having told his tormentors he felt unworthy to die in the same way as Jesus.

More to follow...

Fr JACK..... Called to serve

We are all familiar with today's gospel and Jesus telling us from time to time that we are called **TO SERVE.**

The washing of the feet is immediately linked to the Eucharist.

Jesus wanted to make it quite clear that we dare not share in the Eucharist if we are not serving. The minute we separate them, we are depriving both of their meaning.

This is why I believe, that many people see the Eucharist as boring.

It does not lead them to serve their brother or sister.

Hence mass can become an empty ritual for many people.

So here in St James'

1. Will you be a reader at mass?
2. Will you serve?
3. Will you join the SVP to help people with small jobs, a bit of decorating, shopping or keeping them company for an hour a week?
4. Join the Legion of Mary and call on people to help them live their faith?
5. Clean the church once a month (with others), or form your own team?
6. Wash church linen?
7. Help teaching children?
8. Run an event for some charity?
9. Run a social event in the Hall?
10. Help with the making of tea/coffee after mass?
11. Be a hospitality person and welcome people at the back of the church?
12. Play a musical instrument at 10am or 12 noon mass?
13. Do you pray/teach your own children?
14. Or add your own special expertise and set the parish ablaze with the spirit?

Aspire not to have more but to be more.
(O. Romero)

Christmas

*It might seem a long way away
but plans need to be made.*

Any volunteers...?

1. To do a Christmas fair
2. Christmas dinner
3. Any ideas of your own.
4. Christmas carols / Music session
5. Don't be shy

