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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday 10:00am Anthony Konwea RIP Tuesday 10:00am Liturgy of the Word

> Saint Peter & St Paul Holiday of Obligation

Wednesday 10:00am People of the Parish

7:00pm Jack & Mary RIP

Thursday 10:00am John Murray RIP Friday 10:00am Bridie Curran FM

Saturday 6:00pm Intention of Hyacinth Appah

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 8:30am Christ's Love Within

10:00am Reflection

12:00noon People of the Parish

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(Cardinal Nichols at the launch of the 'Universe' - October 2021)

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FR JACK

I often worry about what I write here and what I preach. Why?

My mother used to bake brown soda bread and it was beautiful.

Many other women bake brown soda bread, even here in the parish.

But none of them make it quite like my mother. It is a very personal experience.

You see, I could give you a recipe here for a wedding cake. All the best quality ingredients, quantities and how to put them together. But no way does that compare to the sheer joy of eating/sharing a wedding cake and a glass of champagne with the happy couple.

Reading the scriptures and doing what Fr Jack suggests, no way compares to the sheer joy of knowing Christ.

You've got to sit down and spend your own time with the readings/ingredients and hopefully that will bring you to knowing the person of Christ in a very personal way.

"I live now, not I but Christ lives in me." This is the freedom that Paul talks about in the second reading.

The freedom of being in love.

You do not stumble into the future.

You create your own future.

Baptism and confirmation application forms are available at the back of the church.

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