

NOTICES

HEALING PRAYER LIST

Terry Cant,

PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR

Reg Armstrong, Maisie Dodd, Viola Howells, Janis, Ian Ferguson, Glad Wilson, Kathryn, Catherine Nathan, Nanuk, Maxwell & Impi McBain, Val Melrose

RIP

Fr Lyall Cowell (Ordinariate priest)

YEARS MIND

13 December - Maurice Wilson

13 December - Arthur Barker

15 December Joyce Helen Moyle

OFFERTORY

5/12/21 —Cash \$512.25 Electronic \$717.00 TOTAL \$1229.25

Local Vocations - \$60.00

Ordinariate Vocations—\$14,320 (Total amount) – Thank you very much indeed!

WEEKDAY MASSES

At 8:00am

(following matins at 7:25am)

Monday 13th December (St Lucy, V&M)

Wednesday 15th December (Feria)

Friday 17th December (Feria)

PARISH LUNCH – Parish Pre-Christmas lunch next week (after mass. No speaker, just Fellowship & Fun!!

STUDY GROUP – There are two Fortnightly Study Groups on the Acts of the Apostles and Evangelisation held on Wednesday evenings.

One is held at 6-30 pm in the Presbytery – contact Nigel McBain, the other is held in Como at 7-45 pm at Taylor & Natasha Glass' residence – contact Taylor Glass.

PREGNANCY ASSIST – Donations of baby clothes, cots, bassinets, soft toys, clothes and non perishable food items are always greatly appreciated for our charity outreach. Please hand donations to Doreen Dodd.

CHOIR REHEARSALS 6:30pm each Tuesday in the Presbytry. Please contact Nigel McBain.

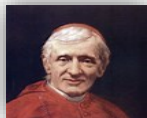
CATHOLIC ENQUIRY GROUP If you know anyone who is interested in becoming fully Catholic through the Ordinariate, please put them in touch with Msgr Harry or Nigel McBain. Evangelisation is an invitation to 'Come and See.'



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Our Lady of the Southern Cross
Help of Christians
Pray for us

St John Henry Newman
Pray for us



The Personal Ordinariate of Our Lady of the Southern Cross

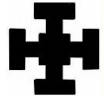


Parish of St Ninian and St Chad

Sunday Mass: 10:30 am
106 Rookwood Street, Menora

Advent 3

Sunday 12th December 2021
TONIGHT at 7:00pm LESSONS and CAROLS



Word from the Wise

Greetings from Quarantine! All is well and all manner of things shall be well.

- Please wipe down the pews after today's Mass because there is another event today in the church. Wipes available in the bucket near the sacristy.
- It would be good if one of two of you could help with setting up the Christmas Crib this afternoon from 2-00 pm- 4-00pm.
- Carols tonight at 7-00 pm.
- Christmas Masses - 24th Evensong (8-30 pm) & Mass (9-00pm'ish) ; 25th Said Mass with Carols at 10-30 am; 27th Sung Mass 10-30 am.

"Bethlehem is not the end of our journey but only the beginning - not home but the place through which we must pass if ever we are to reach home at last."

— Frederick Buechner, *The Magnificent Defeat*

With every blessing Msgr H

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The Order of Mass

INTRODUCTORY RITES

HYMN 33

**O Day of God, draw nigh
in beauty and in power,
come with thy judgement now
to match our present hour.**

**Bring to our troubled minds,
uncertain and afraid,
the quiet of the steadfast faith,
calm of a call obeyed.**

**Bring justice to our land,
that all may dwell secure,
and finely build for days to come
foundations that endure.**

**Bring to our world of strife
thy sovereign word of peace,
that war may haunt the earth no more
and desolation cease.**

**O Day of God, draw nigh;
as at creation's birth
let there be light again, and set
the judgements in the earth.**

R. B. Y. SCOTT 1899-1987

The people KNEEL

Priest ✠ In the Name of the Father, and of
the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

People: Amen.

PENITENTIAL RITE

Priest: I will go unto the altar of God.

People: **Even unto the God of my joy and
gladness.**

Ps 43. Judica me, Deus.

Priest: Give sentence with me, O God, and
defend my cause against the ungodly
people; O deliver me from the
deceitful and wicked man.

People: **For thou art the God of my**

**strength, why hast thou put me
from thee? and why go I so heavily,
while the enemy oppresseth me?**

Priest: O send out thy light and thy truth, that
they may lead me, and bring me unto
thy holy hill, and to thy dwelling.

People: **And that I may go unto the altar of
God, even unto the God of my joy
and gladness; and upon the harp
will I give thanks unto thee, O God,
my God.**

Priest: Why are thou so heavy, O my soul?
and why art thou so disquieted within
me?

People: **O put thy trust in God; for I will yet
give him thanks, which is the help of
my countenance, and my God.**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;

People: **As it was in the beginning, is now,
and ever shall be: world without
end. Amen.**

Priest: I will go unto the altar of God.

People: **Even unto the God of my joy and
gladness.**

Priest: Our help is in the ✠ Name of the Lord.

People: **Who hath made heaven and earth.**

Priest: I confess to Almighty God,

People: **May almighty God have mercy
upon thee, forgive thee thy sins, and
bring thee to everlasting life.**

Priest: Amen.

People: **I confess to Almighty God, to
Blessed Mary ever-Virgin, to
Blessed Michael the Archangel, to
Blessed John the Baptist, to the holy
Apostles Peter and Paul, to all the
Saints, and to thee, Father, that I
have sinned exceedingly in thought,
word, and deed; [they strike their
breast thrice] by my fault, by my
own fault, by my own most grievous
fault. Wherefore I beg Blessed Mary
ever-Virgin, Blessed Michael the
Archangel, Blessed John the
Baptist, the holy Apostles Peter and
Paul, all the Angels and Saints, and
thee, Father, to pray for me to the
Lord our God.**

Priest: May almighty God have mercy upon

Priest: *Almighty and everliving God, we most
heartily thank thee*

All: **Amen.**

POSTCOMMUNION

Priest: Let us pray,

HAVE mercy upon us, O Lord, we beseech thee:
and grant that the heavenly assistance of thy holy
mysteries may so cleanse us from all our
iniquities, that we may be made ready worthily to
keep thy coming festival; through Jesus Christ
our Lord.

All: **Amen.**



THE BLESSING

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with thy Spirit.**

The Priest gives the blessing. ✠

All respond: Amen.

Priest: Go forth in peace.

People: **Thanks be to God**

The people STAND



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RECESSIONAL HYMN

HYMN 29

**Hills of the North, rejoice,
river and mountain-spring,
hark to the advent voice;
valley and lowland, sing.
Christ comes in righteousness and
love,
he brings salvation from above.**

**Isles of the Southern seas,
sing to the listening earth,
carry on every breeze
hope of a world's new birth:
In Christ shall all be made anew,
his word is sure, his promise is true.**

**Lands of the East, arise,
he is your brighter morn,
greet him with joyous eyes,
praise shall his path adorn:
your seers have longed to know their
Lord;
to you he comes, the final word.**

**Shores of the utmost West,
lands of the setting sun,
welcome the heavenly guest
in whom the dawn has come:
he brings a never-ending light
who triumphed o'er our darkest
night.**

**Shout, as you journey home,
songs be in every mouth,
lo, from the North they come,
from East and West and South:
in Jesus all shall find their rest,
in him the universe be blest.**

Editors of English Praise 1975 *

Based on CHARLES E. OAKLEY 1832-1865

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Priest: Deliver us O Lord...
...and safe from all distress.

People: **For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, For ever and ever. Amen.**

Priest: O Lord Jesus Christ, who saidst to thine Apostles, Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you: Regard not our sins, but the faith of thy Church; and grant to her peace and unity according to thy will; who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

THE PEACE

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And with thy Spirit.**

The people KNEEL

Priest: Alleluia Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia**

AGNUS DEI

**O Lamb of God,
that takest away the sins of the world:
have mercy upon us.**

**O Lamb of God,
that takest away the sins of the world:
have mercy upon us.**

**O Lamb of God,
that takest away the sins of the world:
grant us thy peace.**

All communicants: We do not presume to come to this thy Table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy Table. But thou art the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.

Priest: Behold the lamb of God; behold him that taketh away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those who are called to the Supper of the Lamb.

All: **Lord, I am not worthy that thou shouldest come under my roof, but speak the word only, and my soul shall be healed.**

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Say to them that are of a fearful heart:
Be strong, fear not; behold your God will come and save you.

Holy Communion is now given.

*All sing quietly & reflectively
sitting or kneeling:*

HYMN 288 (t. 224)

**CHRIST is the heavenly food that gives
to every famished soul
new life and strength, new joy and hope,
and faith to make them whole.**

**We all are made for God alone,
without him we are dead;
no food suffices for the soul
but Christ, the living bread.**

**Christ is the unity that binds,
in one the near and far;
for we who share his life divine
his living body are.**

**On earth and in the realms beyond
one fellowship are we;
and at his altar we are knit
in mystic unity.**

TIMOTHY REES 1874-1939

CONCLUDING RITE

The people KNEEL

LITURGY OF THE WORD

The people SIT



THE FIRST READING

Zephaniah 3:14-18

A reading from the Book of the Prophet Zephaniah.

Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem! The Lord has taken away the judgments against you, he has cast out your enemies. The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst; you shall fear evil no more.

On that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Do not fear, O Zion; let not your hands grow weak. The Lord, your God, is in your midst, a warrior who gives victory; he will rejoice over you with gladness, he will renew you in his love; he will exult over you with loud singing as on a day of festival."

The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL

Show thyself, O Lord, thou that sittest upon Cherubim: **stir up thy strength and come.**

Hear, O thou Shepherd of Israel: **thou that ledest Joseph like a sheep.**

THE SECOND READING

Philippians 4:4-7

A reading from the Letter of St Paul to the Philippians.

Brethren: Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let all men know your forbearance. The Lord is at hand. Have no anxiety about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which passes all understanding, will keep your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus

The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

The people STAND

you, forgive you your sins, and bring you to everlasting life.

People: Amen.

Priest: The almighty and merciful Lord grant unto us pardon, ✠ absolution, and remission of our sins.

People: Amen.

Priest: Wilt thou not turn again and quicken us, O God?

People: That thy people may rejoice in thee.

Priest: O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

People: And grant us thy salvation.

Priest: O Lord, hear my prayer.

People: And let my cry come unto thee.

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy Spirit.

Priest: Let us pray.

Priest: Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

The people STAND

KYRIE ELEISON

All: Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

COLLECT

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy Spirit.

Priest: Let us pray.

O LORD Jesus Christ, who at thy first coming didst send thy messenger to prepare thy way before thee: grant that the ministers and stewards of thy mysteries may likewise so prepare and make ready thy way, by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just; that at thy second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable people in thy sight; who livest and reignest with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia. *Alleluia* Stir up thy strength,
O Lord: *and come and help us.*
Alleluia

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 3:10-18

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

R. Glory be to thee, O Lord.

At that time: The multitudes asked John, "What then shall we do?"

And he answered them, "He who has two coats, let him share with him who has none; and he who has food, let him do likewise."

Tax collectors also came to be baptised, and said to him, "Teacher, what shall we do?"

And he said to them, "Collect no more than is appointed you."

Soldiers also asked him, "And we, what shall we do?"

And he said to them, "Rob no one by violence or by false accusation, and be content with your wages."

As the people were in expectation, and all men questioned in their hearts concerning John, whether perhaps he were the Christ, John answered them all, "I baptise you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming, the thong of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie; he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and with fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor, and to gather the wheat into his granary, but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

So, with many other exhortations, he preached good news to the people.

The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise be to thee, O Christ.

HOMILY

The people SIT



PROFESSION OF FAITH

The people STAND

Priest: I believe in one God

All: the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, Begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; By whom all things were made: Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven, (KNEEL) and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man: (STAND) And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried: And the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures: And ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of the Father: And he shall come again with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end. And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of Life, Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the prophets: And I believe one Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church: I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins: And I look for the Resurrection of the dead: ✠ And the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The people KNEEL

OFFERTORY

O Lord, thou art become gracious unto thy land; Thou hast turned away the captivity of Jacob: *thou hast forgiven the offence of thy people.*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

The people STAND

HYMN 26

**Hark, a thrilling voice was sounding;
'Christ is nigh,' it seems to say;
'cast away the dreams of darkness,
O ye children of the day.'**

**Wakened by the solemn warning,
let the earth-bound soul arise;
Christ, her Sun, all ill dispelling,
shines upon the morning skies.**

**Lo, the Lamb, so long expected,
comes with pardon down from
heaven;
let us haste, with tears of sorrow,
one and all to be forgiven;**

**That when next he comes with glory,
and the world is wrapped in fear,
with his mercy he may shield us,
and with words of love draw near.**

**Honour, glory, might and blessing
to the Father and the Son,
with the everlasting Spirit,
while eternal ages run.**

Latin
tr. EDWARD CASWELL* 1814-1878

Priest: Pray, brethren, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the Father Almighty.

People: May the Lord accept this sacrifice at thy hands, for the praise and glory of his Name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Priest: GRANT, we beseech thee, O Lord: that the continual oblation of this our bounden duty and service, may evermore avail for the fulfilment of the institution of thine ordinance and for the accomplishment in us of the wondrous work of thy salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.



THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

Priest: The Lord be with you.

People: And with thy Spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks unto the Lord our God.

People: It is meet and right so to do.

The Priest continues with the Preface:

...we laud and magnify thy glorious name;
evermore praising thee, and saying:

All sing: Holy, holy, holy,
Lord God of Hosts,
Heaven and earth are full of thy
glory.
Glory be to thee,
O Lord, most high.
✠ Blessed is he that cometh
in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

The people KNEEL

After the Consecration, the Priest sings:
The Mystery of Faith.

People: We proclaim thy Death, O Lord,
and profess thy Resurrection until
thou come again.

The Priest concludes the Eucharistic Prayer with: By whom and with whom and in whom, to thee, O Father Almighty, in the unity of the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory throughout all ages, world without end.

All: Amen.

COMMUNION RITE

The people STAND



LORD'S PRAYER

Priest: As our saviour Christ hath commanded and taught us, we are bold to say: Our Father

All: who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil.