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LITURGY, CONFESSION & MASS TIMES

Sun 30th Oct **31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** *Ps Wk 3*
Wisdom 11:22—12:1; 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2; Luke 19:1-10 (page 157)
OLSG: Mass 8am, 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon (LS) & 6pm. **OLW:** Mass 10am

Mon 31st Oct *feria*
HFC: Mass 8am
OLSG: Church cleaning 10am, Mass 12 noon (LS)

Tues 1st Nov **+ALL SAINTS - Holy Day of Obligation**
HFC: Mass 8am, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 7-8pm
OLSG: 10 am (LS), 12 noon, 7 pm (sung)

Wed 2nd Nov **ALL SOULS' DAY**
HFC: Mass 8am, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 7-8pm
OLSG: Mass 12 noon (LS), 7 pm **OLW**—10 am Funeral Mass—Eileen Guerrero

Thurs 3rd Nov St Martin de Porres, Religious
OLW: Mass 10am **OLSG:** Mass 12 noon (LS). 2 pm -Wedding—Daniel Emery & Stephanie Moore

Fri 4th Nov St Charles Borromeo, Bishop *Friday abstinence*
OLSG: Mass 10am, Funeral Mass of Noel Minos 12 noon (LS)
Adoration, Confessions, Benediction 6-7pm

Sat 5th Nov BVM on Saturday (A Day with Mary at OLSG)
OLSG: 9.30am Mass—then see separate notice for 'Day with Mary'.
5pm-5.45pm Confession & Adoration; 6pm Mass

Sun 6th Nov **+ 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** *Ps Wk*
4 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14; 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5; Luke 20: 27-38 (page 160)
OLSG: Mass 8am, 9am, 10.30am, 12 noon (LS) & 6pm. **OLW:** Mass 10am

KEY **OLSG:** Our Lady of Mount Carmel & Saint George
OLW: Our Lady of Walsingham, Holtwhites Hill, EN2 8HG
HFC: Holy Family Convent, 52 London Road, EN2 6EN
LS: Mass is also Live-streamed

In OLSG: On weekdays the Rosary and the Litany will usually be said at 11.30am before the 12 noon Mass, which will start with the Angelus

Mass in Polish on Sunday at OLW: (Sat 6pm), 8.30am, 12 noon, 3.30pm
For more information please visit www.parafiaenfield.org

OLSG is open: Monday-Friday 7.30am-5pm; Saturday 8.30am-7pm; Sunday 7.30am-7pm
Except on First Friday - church will close at 7pm

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Our Lady of Mount Carmel & Saint George

with Our Lady of Walsingham & the English Martyrs

A parish of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Westminster

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31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

30th October 2022

The World, the Flesh and the Devil

Regular (even avid) readers of this editorial will be familiar with its usual style. It tends to have a 'spiritual' tone, with what the editor hopes will be an encouraging and thoughtful message for the week ahead.

Every so often it is necessary to have a change of aspect or mood. With this in mind, I am writing about car parking. Parishioners will know that at Our Lady & St George there is a small car park which is rather popular with all kinds of motorists. It provides me with more than an occasional headache. There are two main problems, both of which we are seeking to address over the coming months:

1) Those who use the car park for no other reason than it is convenient for the town centre. These are the most serious offenders. They are brazen in attitude and often thick-skinned when verbally challenged. Their days are numbered. From the new year, we will be installing a set of cameras which will keep a close watch on those who are using the car park without good reason. Those who are

genuinely using the church and Parish Centre will be able to book in using machines, as with many other car parks nowadays. The 'roll out' of this new system will be clear and well advertised. Signs will be prominent and not open to misinterpretation. The company running the system will issue fines to those who offend. The old permit system will no longer apply. The cameras will not function on Sundays. This move has become inevitable.

2) Those who park without charity or sense. This still leaves the matter of those who thoughtlessly block others by parking where they like—even blocking the disabled access. I appeal to the good sense and conscience of drivers. Could we all make a commitment to only park in marked bays (which will soon be remarked for extra clarity)? Using other car parks (including Genotin Road) is always an option. I have it on good authority that Genotin Road car park is free for us to use on Sundays, as before.

Let's all drive, and park, carefully. Fr Daniel

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The sick and housebound: Ailsa Mosquera, Ria Hughes, Piet De Jong, Joseph Healy, Eveline Jansz, Agnes Verbeek, Norman Philips, Gary Cannon, Tom Rochford.

Those who have died: Giuseppina Manzi, Eileen Guerrero, Eamonn Carr, Noel Minos, Tereasa O'Riordan, Nora Leahy, Concetta Perciato, Edwin Juan Lucero and Fr Duncan Adamson.

Those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Ruben Vargas, David Scally, Anne Lane, Bernard O'Sullivan, Mervyn Gardner.

THE LAMPS IN OUR CHURCHES

This week the lamp:

by the Tabernacle (left) burns for James & Maria—Thanksgiving

by the Tabernacle (right) burns for Marie Coutinho - Healing

by Our Lady's Chapel burns for Pat & Denis Fisk—50th Wedding Anniversary

by St George's Chapel burns for Michael Walsh—Birthday



All Saints Day—Tuesday 1st November—Holy Day of Obligation. Masses as advertised on the back of this newsletter. Please note that the 7 pm Mass will be sung.

All Souls' Day—Wednesday 2nd November. There is also a 7 pm Mass on this day.

November - Month of the Holy Souls Book of Remembrance. After All Souls' Day (Wednesday), every day of November one Mass will be offered for the Holy Souls. Please add the names of your own dear departed to the lists available in the porch, and return them (with a donation in the envelope marked 'Holy Souls' if you wish), so that they can form part of the Book of Remembrance that will remain on the altar for November.

Enfield Foodbank Collection 5th/6th November. Our next monthly foodbank collection will take place next weekend

Altar Servers: If you started serving over a year ago, would like to learn more and be considered to join the Guild of St Stephen we are organising two training sessions in OLSG on Tuesdays 8th and 15th November, 6.30pm to 8pm. It is essential to attend both sessions but if this not possible please let us know and we will see if something can be arranged. Please register by sending your name and

which Mass you usually attend to servers@catholickenfield.org

Day with Mary - Saturday 5th November. The day begins at 9.30am with procession and crowning of the statue and Mass. Please see the poster for details. We are looking forward to welcoming the 'Day with Mary' organizers, and many visitors to Enfield. Please note that there will be ample opportunity to make your confession during the day. All welcome.

Requiem Mass at 12noon on Tuesday 8th November for all the deceased members of the Enfield deanery, celebrated by Bishop John Sherrington and priests of our deanery at OLSG church. All welcome.

Requiem Mass on Monday 14th November at 7pm for the families and friends of those who have died in the last year, followed by refreshments in the parish centre.

Sick & Retired Priests Collection next weekend 5th/6th November. The second collection next week will be for the sick and retired priests of our Diocese. This is our chance to say thank you to our sick and retired priests who have given so much. You will find a donation envelope in the church porch. Please take one home, and

bring it back next Sunday with your donation. Please do continue to pray for the wellbeing of all clergy: active, retired and ill. You can donate online at www.rcdow.org.uk/donations—the envelopes and posters feature a QR code that you can scan with a phone camera to give online.

Fraternity of St Charles de Foucauld will meet in the Challoner room on Tuesday 1st November at 10.15 m. to 11.45am All are welcome.

Tuesday Bereavement/Social Group will meet on 8th & 22nd November. At 12.30 pm in the Challoner Room. All are welcome

Christmas Lunch—This will hopefully take place, but we need volunteer cooks for Christmas Day itself to finish off what will have already been prepared—please contact Chandra on 07745 693217.

Repository. The shop is fully stocked with items for Advent and Christmas.

Mount Carmel Ladies Group will meet on Thursday 3rd November from 12:45 for a talk on glass blowing with tea and cakes starting at 1:30.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) Christmas Coffee Morning will be taking place on Saturday 19th November in the Parish Centre from 9:30am. Good Company with Tea, Coffee, Cakes, Christmas Cards for sale and Christmas Tombola. All welcome.

TWIN (Third World In Need) Meeting on Wednesday 9th November 2.30-4pm in the presbytery. Anyone interested in the developing world is welcome to attend.

Music at Sunday Evening Mass. A choir is being formed to lead the music at this Mass. The initial meeting is on Monday 7th November at 6.30 pm in OLSG. All welcome to join

CATECHETICS -

Deadline for application to our **Foundational Catechesis (primary school year 2), First Holy Communion preparation (primary school years 3&4) & Confirmation preparation (secondary school year 9)** is the start of Nov. Please return your forms as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

- FINANCE -

To Donate to the Parish or Gift Aiding your Donation. Details are on our Diocese website: <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/enfield/donate/> Thank you for your ongoing support.

Giving by Standing Order. Would you consider donating your offering by Standing Order? If so, the payment details are: **HSBC Bank Plc**, Sort Code: **40-05-20**, a/c no: **21309110** a/c name: **WRCDT Enfield**; your surname as reference. Please email the parish Gift Aid Coordinator to let her know: enfieldgac@rcdow.org.uk

Contactless Giving Device in OLSG Church Porch. The contactless device is available for parishioners who would like to donate to the parish in a swift and simple way. Thank you.

OTHER NEWS & INFORMATION -

St George's Catholic Primary School – Admissions for 2023. The Governors invite applications from the parents of children born between 1st Sept. 2018 and 31st Aug. 2019. For more information visit the school's website: <https://www.st-georges.enfield.sch.uk>

The Nightingale Lights of Love. The Nightingale Cancer Support Centre in Enfield invite you to make dedications to loved ones and to help the charity to continue supporting local people affected by cancer. The Lights of Love Ceremony will be taking place on Wednesday 7th December, 6.30pm at Microsoft, 33 Genotin Road, EN1. . For Information pack please call 0208 366 4333