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Twenty-Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Today's Readings

First Reading: Wisdom 7:7-11

Psalm: 89

Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-13

Gospel: Mark 10:217-30



Reflection

Today the word of God challenges us: What do we put our hearts into? What makes our lives valuable and worthwhile? The answer is found reflected in our first reading: more precious than power, riches, health and beauty is the wisdom that comes from God. It makes us live in God's love. This truth about wisdom in seeking God, is found in Jesus' encounter with the rich young man in our gospel today.



TODAY -15 October

Children's Mass at 10. am.

Tea, coffee, apple pie and cream served by Val and Peter Heywood after 10 and 11.15 am Masses.

Traidcraft Stall after 10 and 11.15 am Masses.

The retiring collection today is for the work of the SVP.

BONANZA

Quarterly and half yearly subscriptions are now due. If you would like to join please contact Bart on 928 3628. The winners for September were: 1st £120 John Starkey, 2nd £80 Peter Burke, 3rd £40 Anne Coghlan.

FIRST SACRAMENTS - YEAR 2 AND ABOVE.

Preparation for First Forgiveness and First Holy Communion for those children attending a school other than St. Vincent's will commence in November. If you wish to register your child/children for this preparation please contact Mary Farrell on 0161 282 9340, mobile 07976 366 128 or email apfandmtfarrell@ntlworld.com

RCIA

Do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith?

Perhaps you are thinking about becoming a Roman Catholic?

RCIA is a series of sessions for non-Catholic members of our parish, who are interested in knowing more about their partner's faith or are thinking of becoming a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Meetings on Thursdays at 8 pm.

PARENTS AND TODDLERS

The group meets on Monday and Thursday mornings from 10 - 12 noon. There are no afternoon meetings. The Thursday group is already over subscribed and has a waiting list. There is a possibility of another group being started on Wednesday morning if there is sufficient interest. For more information please contact Christine on 282 3421.

A ROSARY WALK OF WITNESS

The walk will take place at 2.00 pm on Saturday, 21st October at the Old Market Hall Square in Shrewsbury and will commemorate the 150th Anniversary of Shrewsbury Cathedral.

NOTICE FOR ALL MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

All ministers are now required to complete a Diocesan volunteer application form and a CRB. Forms are available from the parish office or ring 928 4501.

DIARY

Mon 16 Oct	Parents and Toddlers	10 am - 12noon
	Cheerful Companions	1 pm - 3 pm
	Men's SVP	7 pm
	Catholic Women's League	7.15 pm
	A talk on Victorian local theatre by Derek Slater	
Tues 17 Oct	Ladies SVP	2 pm
	Brownies	5.45 pm - 7.15pm
Wed 18 Oct	Parents and Toddlers	10 am - 12 noon
	Wednesday Club	After 12.15 Mass
	CaFE	7.45 pm
Thur 19 Oct	Parent and Toddlers	10 am - 12 noon
	RCIA	8 pm
Fri 20 Oct	District SVP	7 pm
	Youth Drop-In (School yrs 7 to 9)	7.30 pm - 9 pm

Quiz Night and Hot Pot Supper - Westleigh - Thursday 16 November.

SVP - HELP

The SVP cannot accept working electrical equipment without a test certificate from a qualified electrician and it proves embarrassing when we have to reject kind offers of such untested items. Is there a qualified electrician in the parish who might be able to help us? Please let the parish office know - 928 1689.

NEW YOUTH DROP-IN - School years 10 & 11

Sign up now! Westleigh 7.30 pm to 9 pm, October 13, November 10, 24, December 8.

THE VINEYARD

Next Sunday, 22 October, is the deadline if you would like to contribute to the Christmas Issue. Simply write up to 200 words about your favourite bible verse(s) and deliver your article to the presbytery by next Sunday.

ADOPTION

The Catholic Children's Rescue Society is very interested in hearing from any families who may want to learn more about adoption or fostering. If you are able to support us in either of the above, please contact myself or any of the Family Placement social workers on -Tel 0161 445 7741 or e.mail: Rosaleen.griffin@ccrsorg.co.uk.

MANCHESTER AIRPORT Master plan consultation

There will be meetings at All Saints Church Hall, Hale Barns on Tuesday 17 October from 1 to 7 pm and The Jubilee Centre, The Firs from 2 - 7 pm for you to ask questions on the airport's future development and for the powers that be to listen to your concerns.

Mass Times and Intentions

Sun 15 Oct 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6.00 pm OLL 7.00 pm (Sat) 8.30 am 9.30 am BV 10.00 am OLL 10.00 am 11.15 am 6.30 pm	Priest's Intention Wyn Casey (sick) Parishioners Andrew Gormally Parishioners Baby James Edward Connors Jennie & Peter Atherton (Silver Wedding Anniv) Joseph Duffy
Mon 16 Oct St. St. Margaret Mary Alacoque	12.15 pm OLL 12.15 pm	Service of Word & Communion Kim Baldwin
Tues 17 Oct St. Ignatius of Antioch	10.00 am BV 12.15 pm	Ints of Sr. Maura McNamara Martha Sweeney
Wed 18 Oct St. Luke The Evangelist & Physician	12.15 pm OLL 12.15 pm	Priest's Intention Jack Nicholson
Thurs 19 Oct St. Paul of the Cross	10.00 am BV 12.15 pm 5.00 pm Lor	Mrs. Marshall (Sick) Requiem Mass of Frank da Cunha Priest's Intention
Fri 20 Oct	12.15 pm OLL 12.15 pm 1.30pm 7.30 pm	Priest's Intention Private Intention Wedding of Juliet McAuliffe & Timothy Tomlinson Michael P. Burke
Sat 21 Oct	12.15 pm 1.30pm 6.00 pm OLL (Sat) 7.00 pm (Sat)	Anne & Michael Giblin (Golden Wedding Anniv) Wedding of Karen Handley & Dominic Hughes Priest's Intention John Eberlein
Sun 22 Oct 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.30.am 9.30 am BV 10.00 am OLL 10.00 am 11.15 am 6.30 pm	Delia Kenny John Hutchinson Parishioners Thomas & Sarah Gately Patrick Hartigan Parishioners

Key:

BV = Bowdon Vale Convent, Grange Rd; OLL = Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Chapel Lane, Partington. Lor = Loreto Convent, 28 Hartley Rd.

**Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 11 am - 12 noon
6.00 pm - 7.00 pm**

Morning Prayer: Weekdays 8.45 am - Week 4 of the Psalter

We welcome into God's Family, Freya Young, William Shefer, Amy Mallion & Lydia Grace Visoni who were baptised last weekend. Congratulations to Markus Aberle & Lyndsey Kelly on their recent Wedding. Congratulations to Jennie & Peter Atherton on their Silver Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations to Anne & Michael Giblin on their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Please keep them in your prayers.

Requiescant in Pace

Please pray for those who have died recently including Frank da Cunha, Stephen Trewick, Patrick Larkin and all whose anniversaries occur about this time including:- Mary Owen, John Owen, Kathrine Owen, Tom Shaughnessy, John Eberlein, Jack Lalley, Delia Kenny, Thomas & Sarah Gately.

Please pray for the sick who

include: Mary Brennan, Monica Cardiff, Ted Charleson, Rita Corcoran, John Dalton, Rita Frame, Ellie Hardman, Nora Hardy, Robert Jones, Mrs. Marshall, Warren McCourt, Baby Thomas Patrick, Evelyn Poland and all in our hospitals and homes.

Pope's Intentions:

That all baptised people grow into a mature faith and manifest it by the choices they make in their lives. That the missionary spirit be increased everywhere, by the celebration of Mission Sunday.

Fr. Albert Knight will celebrate

the following Mass Intentions: Jim Lavin, Ints of Juliet Murphy, Bridget Pickering, David Bailey, Ingrid Wills, Mrs. Monteiro, Kathleen Heery.

Money Matters

Offertory Collection

15 October 2006

£1573.00

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day

£1695.73

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