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15th October 2023 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 15th October <i>28th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> Diocesan Prayer Link <i>St Margaret Mary, Coleford, Our Lady of Victories, Cinderford, Our Lady of Lourdes, Newent with Blaisdon</i>	6.00pm (Sat) Mass Helen, Wladyslaw & Frank Wasylikiw <i>RIP</i> 9.00am Mass Ints of Kay Slade 10.30am Mass Fr Donal Daly <i>RIP</i> 12.30pm Polish Mass 5.30pm Mass Clare Selman <i>RIP</i>
Monday 16th October <i>St Margaret Mary Alacoque</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass Street People of Gloucester
Tuesday 17th October <i>St Ignatius of Antioch</i>	6.00pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7.00pm Mass Thanksgiving- Gayya Family
Wednesday 18th October <i>St Luke</i>	11.00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 12.00pm Mass Maureen Faulkner <i>RIP</i>
Thursday 19th October <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass For All Converts to the Catholic Faith
Friday 20th October <i>Weekday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass Ints of Rebecca Northway 7.00pm Polish Mass
Saturday 21st October <i>Our Lady on Saturday</i>	10.00am Mass Nay- Special Intention 10.45am – 11.30am Confessions 5.00pm – 5.30pm Confessions 6.00pm Mass People of the Parish 7.30pm Polish Mass
Sunday 22nd October <i>29th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.00am Mass Ints of Phil Bawden 10.30am Maas Michael Walsh <i>RIP 1st Anniversary</i> 12.30pm Polish Mass 5.30pm Mass Ints of Deacon Colm Robinson

This Week: Ordinary Time Week 28, weekday readings Year 1. Daily Prayer of the Church: Week 4

Church Cleaning: After the morning mass on Monday, thank you to those who help each week.

Last Weekend: Attendance – 854 Offertory - £2360.87 (including £347.00 online/contactless) Donations - £233.00

100th Birthday: Congratulations to Kay Slade who celebrates her 100th birthday today, we pray God's continued blessing upon her.

Fr Donal Daly RIP: Fr Donal died peacefully in Bristol on Wednesday evening, may he rest in peace. He will be very fondly remembered by so many, he served as Parish Priest at Our Lady's, Churchdown for over twenty years until his retirement in 2005. After his retirement he was very much part of our parish until ill health meant him moving into St Joseph's Nursing Home in Bristol where he was very well cared for over the past eighteen months. Please keep his family and friends in your prayers at this time. Funeral details will be published as soon as they are available.

Publications: The weekly edition of The Universe (£3.50) and the monthly edition of The Catholic Herald (£5) are available at the back of the church.

Time for Secondary School: If you have a Year 6 child (born between 1 September 2012 and 31 August 2013), then now is the time to apply for their secondary school place for September 2024. To make your application:

1) you must complete the secondary transfer application form provided by your home Local Authority (available on the LA website) by 31 October, and:

2) if you are applying for a baptised child for St Peter's Catholic High School, you should also additionally complete their Supplementary Information Form (available on the school's website) and provide the school with a copy of your child's baptism certificate, also by 31 October.

RIP: Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently:

Jill Ann Gray. Funeral service in St Peter's Church on Friday 27th October at 1.00pm followed by committal at Gloucester Crematorium.

Mary Stokes (nee McDonagh). Funeral Service in St Peter's Church on Thursday 2nd November at 11.00am followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.

Christine Noble. Funeral service in Gloucester Crematorium Chapel on Thursday 2nd November at 1.00pm.

CAFOD Family Fast Day: Thank you for your generous donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day Appeal, our parish has raised £1002.50 so far. Together, we are supporting local experts like Dr Nasha in Pakistan to get help to families and communities when they need it most. It's not too late to give online at cafod.org.uk

SVP: October meetings on Tuesday 17th and Monday 30th at 7.30pm in the sacristy.

Journey in Faith (RCIA): Continues Thursday October 19th, 6.30pm for a 6.45pm start. Access via the rear door of the church.

Red Mission Boxes/Missio: Box holders, promoters and parishioners, thank you all so much for your generosity in helping the missions especially in these difficult times. Please collect your magazines from the back of church. Please feel free to empty your own box if you can and put the money into one of the brown envelopes provided. Otherwise, please bring it to church to be emptied. If you would like to write a cheque, please make it payable to "APF". Any queries please contact me on 07452773330 or email lucyglos@msn.com

Missio/Mill Hill Masses: There will be two Diocesan Masses this year, on Tuesday 24th October at the Immaculate Conception, Stroud; and the other on Thursday 26th October at Corpus Christi, Weston-Super-Mare. Both Masses will be at 7:00pm. The Masses will be followed by a time to share together our enthusiasm and experiences of supporting the mission of the Church, including short presentations from Father Gary Brassington, the Diocesan Director for Missio, Brother Eddie Slawinski, the Diocesan Organiser, and Dave Wheat, the Missio Community Fundraiser for the South of England. All are welcome to these Masses. During 2024 it is hoped that there will be celebrations in each of our new Pastoral Areas.

Christian Leadership Formation Programme: Are you currently in Lower Sixth/Year 12/S5? Are you considering a public-facing career? Do you want to help build a Christian society? The Christian Leadership Formation programme uniquely offers a combination of stimulating and high-quality intellectual content, spiritual nourishment, personal development, inter-personal skills, team building and socials in a tightly-knit community experience, with expert academics and professionals. Open to any student who is motivated by their faith and their studies, with bursaries available as needed. More information and applications via our new website www.christianleadershipformation.com

Praying for Peace in Ukraine: In response to Pope Francis' request that October be dedicated to prayer for peace in Ukraine, the Saturday rosary in St Peter's Church during October will be prayed for this intention.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Pat O'Ryan, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell, Sandra Flanagan, Dan Roche, Oliver Cuffe, Michael Casey, Terri Tyreman, Kitty McMahon, Beth Leeder, Tess Lane, David Murphy, Rosemary de Castro Lima, Richard Johnson, Kitty Daly. In compliance with the requirements of GDPR permission must be sought from an individual (or next of kin) before their name can be added to a list of those who are sick. Do please advise of any changes to be made to this list.