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1st November 2026
Solemnity of All Saints – Year A

Sunday 1st November *Solemnity of All Saints* **Diocesan Prayer Link** *St Augustine of Canterbury, Downend,* *Our Lady of Lourdes & St Bernadette, Kingswood* *St Lawrence, Chipping Sodbury, with St Paul, Yate*	**6.00pm (Sat)** **9.00am** **10.30am** *12.30pm* **5.30pm**	**Mass** **Mass** **Mass** *Polish Mass* **Mass**	People of the Parish Noel Diver *RIP* Thanksgiving – Sue Montanaro Jozef Fedak *RIP*
Monday 2nd November *All Souls' Day*	**8.00am** **12.00 noon** **7.00pm**	**Mass** **Mass** **Mass**	Holy Souls All the Faithful Departed Holy Souls
Tuesday 3rd November *Weekday in Ordinary Time*	*6.00pm* **7.00pm**	*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* **Mass**	 Jos Varghese *RIP*
Wednesday 4th November *Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo*	*11.00am* **12.00 noon**	*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament* **Mass**	 Ints of McSheehan Family
Thursday 5th November *Weekday in Ordinary Time*	*9.10am* **9.30am**	*Morning Prayer* **Mass**	 Chackochan *1st Anniv*
Friday 6th November *Weekday in Ordinary Time*	*9.10am* **9.30am** *7.00pm*	*Morning Prayer* **Mass** *Polish Mass*	 Jim Hickman *RIP*
Saturday 7th November *Weekday in Ordinary Time*	*9.30am* **10.00am** *10.45am – 11.30am* *3.00pm* *5.00pm – 5.30pm* **6.00pm** *7.30pm*	*Rosary* **Mass** *Confessions* *Filipino Monthly Mass* *Confessions* **Mass** *Polish Mass*	 Ints of Genevieve Martin Margaret (Maggie) McMahon *Anniv*
Sunday 8th November *32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time*	**9.00am** **10.30am** *12.30pm* **5.30pm**	**Mass** **Mass** *Polish Mass* **Mass**	People of the Parish Dead of All Wars Deceased of Hankey & Kearney Families

Last Weekend: *Offertory* - £1521.85 *(inc £376.00 contactless/online)*
Donations - £272.85 *(inc £170.75 contactless/online)*
Mass Attendance – 859

Church Cleaning: after morning Mass on Monday 2nd November. Thank you to all those who give their time to keep our church looking nice. New volunteers are always welcome, just come along on Monday mornings.

This Week: Ordinary Time Week 31. Daily Prayer of the Church Psalter Week 3.

Monday: is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (often known as All Souls' Day). It is not a Holy Day of Obligation, although it is a day when people often like to participate in the Mass. There will be Masses at 8:00am, 12:00 noon and 7:00pm. November is sometimes known as the Month of the Holy Souls and it can be good to make this a particular prayer intention during the month.

Remembrance Sunday: is next weekend. The dead of all wars will be remembered at the Sunday Masses. It will also be marked during the 9:00am Mass, and with a short service after the dismissal at the end of the 10:30am Mass.

Mass for the Deceased of our Pastoral Area: on Thursday 12th November at 7:00pm at Our Lady's, Churchdown (Cheltenham Road East, Churchdown GL3 1HU). All are welcome to this Mass. There will be tea and coffee in the parish room after the Mass.

November Mass: for deceased members at The Irish Club is on Thursday 26th November at 7.00pm. All welcome.

Father Stephen's Induction: as parish priest of Our Lady's Churchdown will be on Wednesday 25th November at 7:00pm at Our Lady's. All are welcome to this Mass which will be followed by refreshments in Saint Mary's School.

Christmas Family Fun Evening: on Friday 27th November at 6:45pm at Saint Peter's Primary School on Horton Road. This is our parish Christmas event. The cost is £5 per family or couple. There will be: games of bingo for all; table quiz; raffle; and tombola. Please bring a plate of food to share. All proceeds are going towards the church hall fund. We need donations for raffle, tombola and children's bingo prizes. See posters on the church noticeboard.

Pastoral Area Celebration: Last Saturday candles and oak saplings were blessed for the churches, schools and religious communities within our pastoral area. The candles and saplings for our parish and schools are on the sanctuary during Masses this weekend.

Divine Mercy Holy Hour: On Thursday 5th November at 3.00pm in Saint Peter's Church, all are welcome.

Lectio Divina: continues each Friday after the morning Mass.

SVP: Meet on Monday 9th November at 6:30pm in the Presbytery.

Baptism Preparation Session: There will be a Baptism Preparation Session in the parish hall on Sunday 17th January 2027 (2:15pm – 4:00pm). Catholic parents seeking baptism for their children (up to six years of age) are invited to attend. Application forms will be available during the session, as well as reserving dates. These sessions will take place approximately every couple of months.

RIP: Please remember in your prayers those who have did recently:
James (Jim) Francis McGloin, Funeral Mass on Wednesday 11th November at 10.00am followed by burial at Coney Hill Cemetery.
Deacon David Hebbes, Funeral Mass on Friday 20th November 12.00noon at Saint Margaret Mary's Catholic Church, High Nash, Coleford GL16 8HN.

Journey in Faith (OCIA/RCIA): Our parish Journey in Faith group continues this Thursday 5th November at 6:45pm in the sacristy.

Newman Association: There will be a talk on Tuesday 3 November at 2.30pm, in the lounge of Sacred Hearts' Hall, Moorend Road, Charlton Kings, Cheltenham, GL53 9AU. See noticeboard for details.

Pope Leo's Prayer Intention for November: For the proper use of wealth "Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good and solidarity of those who have less."

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Betty Meadows, Andrea Brushneen, Christy & Sue Hartnett, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Kathy Smith, Sandra Flanagan, Michael Casey, Terri and Sean Tyreman, Rosemary de Castro Lima, Richard Johnson, Armani Parker, Julie Brooks, Poonam Britto, David McClurg, Sr Veronica Robson, Josie Hedderman, Julio Antonelli, Julie Robertson, Kathleen Ciereszko, Leonora Garcia, Edgardo Gayya. 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.