

Harvest Sunday

Today we celebrate harvest. Tinned goods will be gratefully accepted and donated to 'GROW' a hostel for homeless men on Rickmansworth Road.

St Thérèse

This Thursday 8th October a talk and slides on her life in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm.

A Novena

Until the 10th October we will have a Novena to St. Thérèse each weekday 11.30am - 11.40am and on Saturdays at 10.45am.

If you are travelling to the cathedral with the parish on October 15th and have not yet returned your booking form, please do so today.

No forms will be accepted after 8pm Sunday October 4th

Visiting St. Therese's Relics

On 15th October we depart Holy Rood at 9.30am and leave the cathedral at 3pm.

SECONDARY SCHOOL TRANSFERS

Forms for secondary school transfers will be signed this

Tuesday 6th October 3.30 - 7pm

and on

Tuesday 13th October between 5 - 8pm.

Small Faith Sharing Groups

Begin on Sunday 11th October. If you are not a member already then email, telephone or hand in your name to the presbytery to join. A new group will meet in the presbytery on the Thursdays of the new season. The first on Thursday 15th October at 8pm.

Always be Thankful



There will be a second collection for **CAFOD at all Masses** this weekend. Envelopes are available for your donation. Please Gift Aid..

CHURCH DISPLAYS:

This weekend we have **five** displays in Church.

1. A very obvious display adorns the front to celebrate *Harvest* and the bountiful goodness of God.

2. On the back wall, a quotation from the writings of *St Thérèse of Lisieux* whose *relics* will be in *Westminster Cathedral 12th - 15th October*.

3. Our *Lady's Chapel* is home to another display, a series of photographs from the life of *St Thérèse* her portrait and her statue.

4. St John's Chapel, a part of the Church, which is not immediately obvious, houses a shrine to mark this *Year for the Priests*.

5. CAFOD Display in Baptistry to remind us of that today is CAFOD Harvest collection Many thanks to all responsible for these displays, they generously gave their time and talent to remind us of our spiritual heritage. Make sure you see all their work.

MacMillan Coffee Morning:

Many thanks to everyone who supported Joan's MacMillan Coffee morning on September 25th. The total raised was £162.



The Year for Priests:

Announced by Pope Benedict to mark the 150th anniversary of the death of the *Cure D'Ars* which is French for *Parish Priest of Ars*. *Ars* is a small village in France where Fr John Marie Vianney, who is the Patron of all priests who work in parishes, ministered. To mark this year we have placed an image of Christ The Great High Priest in St John's Chapel.



Rosary at 11.40am each weekday in October and a Novena from 1st - 10th October.

RCIA

Next session of RCIA the group for those who wish to know more about the Catholic Faith is on Wednesday 7th October at 8.00pm.

KNEELERS:

There is a meeting for the 'Kneeler Group' on Wednesday, 14th October at 8.00pm in the **large hall** of the Parish Centre. If you were unable to come to the first meeting please join us.

CWL will meet this Tuesday, 6th October, at 8pm when a local quilter, Mrs Kathleen McMahon, will be giving a talk on quilting. All welcome.



The Chalice will be restored to the congregation next weekend.

Mass Intentions 3rd - 10th October 2009

Saturday	7.00pm	Florence Herft	RIP
Sunday	8.00am	Dorothy Howe	RIP
Sunday	9.30am	Maureen Moriarty	ANNIV
Sunday	11.00am	Francis Maguire	RIP
Sunday	2.15pm	Polish Mass	
Sunday	6.30pm	Ann Roche	RIP
Monday	8.30am	James Connolly	RIP
Monday	12 noon	Alec Wojaczek	RIP
Tuesday	8.30am	John O'Connor	RIP
Tuesday	12 noon	Thomas Daffy	RIP
Wednesday	8.30am	Andrew Fitzpatrick	RIP
Wednesday	12 noon	Violet Steele	ANNIV
Thursday	8.30am	Sean Maguire	RIP
Thursday	12 noon	Dorothy Frances Smith	ANNIV
Friday	8.30am	Hugh O'Neill	RIP
Friday	12.30pm	Funeral of Ronald James Day	RIP
Saturday	11.00am	In Thanksgiving (Josie Harte)	INT

Recently Deceased:

Ronald Day

Anniversaries:

Violet Steele, Maureen Moriarty, Sean Maguire, Daisy Morse and Dorothy Smith

Last Weekend's Collection

Loose: £923.90

Envelopes £967.22

Standing Orders: £324.94

Many thanks for your generosity

First Communion

Registration Forms are available at the back of the Church.

Ascent Group:

Are having a harvest lunch on Tuesday 6th October after the midday Mass..

Congratulations to

Aaliyah Ferraris-Burton, James Sepe, Kelly Ojuederie, Daniel Angosta, Nicholas Grzezyoziak, Antoni Kasperski and Harrison Moors who were baptised during the month of September.

Open Parish Meeting

On Tuesday 20th October at 8.00pm in the Parish Centre.

Have you completed the questionnaire which will form the basis of the evening's discussion?

Place it in the wooden box at the back of the Church. Forms available, if you cannot find one - please ask.