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Remembrance Sunday

There are over thirty conflicts throughout the world at the present time. The two most prominent in the news are in Ukraine and Israel / Palestine. The reports and pictures we have seen from both situations bring home to us all the horror and devastation of terrorism, war and conflict and the terrible impact it has on those who are caught up in the midst of these situations. The purpose behind Remembrance Sunday was never to glorify war but remember those who died in the major conflicts that have affected the world and to pray and work for peace. As we remember the Fallen in war in prayer let us also pray for those in positions of leadership that they make wise and measured decisions in situations of terrorism and defence of their country and peoples.

'They shall not grow old as we that are left grow old. Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning we will remember them'.

Canon Anthony O'Brien Cathedral Dean

CAFOD Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at cafod.org.uk/jpc or call 0303 303 3030 to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need. Thank you for your prayers.

CHRISTMAS BY CANDLELIGHT – LAST FEW TICKETS LEFT

Friday 22 December 2023 - 7.00pm

Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King, Crypt Concert Room.

We are planning a really special evening of Christmas cheer, and would love you to be a part of it!

Set by candlelight in the beautiful Crypt Concert Room we will be serving a delicious two-course Christmas supper prepared and served at your table by Horseradish, one of the Cathedral's preferred caterers. A delicious Christmas feast will be specially designed for you by one of the team of 5* and Michelin experienced chefs. Following a welcome drink of fizz on arrival you will be able to sit back and listen to the Cathedral Youth Choir who will be singing some festive favourites. There will also be a live band for dancing and prancing at the end of the evening! This will be the Christmas event not to be missed. If you would like to buy individual tickets or reserve a table for friends and family please email c.hanlon@metcathedral.org.uk Tickets are limited and we do expect them to sell fast so get them today and leave the rest to us! Cost: £50.00 per person.

Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING 12 November 2023

Sunday 12 November

32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time

9.00am Mass Cathedral
10.00am Mass Crypt
11.00am Mass * Cathedral
3.00pm Choral Evening Prayer
 * This Mass will be streamed live on Youtube
7.00pm Mass Crypt

Monday 13 November

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass BSC
12.15pm Mass Crypt
5.00pm Sung Mass BSC

Tuesday 14 November

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass BSC
12.15pm Mass Crypt
5.00pm Sung Mass BSC

Wednesday 15 November

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass BSC
12.15pm Mass Crypt
5.15pm Sung Mass BSC

Thursday 16 November

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass BSC
12.15pm Mass Crypt
5.00pm Sung Mass BSC

Friday 17 November

7.45am Morning Prayer
8.00am Mass BSC
12.15pm Mass Crypt
5.00pm Sung Mass BSC
5.30pm Choral Evening Prayer

Saturday 18 November

8.45am Morning Prayer
9.00am Mass BSC
5.00pm Vigil Mass BSC

EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Will take place from 4.00pm on Fridays.

RECONCILIATION (Confession)

Monday - Friday:
 Following the 12.15pm Mass in the Crypt

Saturday: 9.30am - 10.30am & 3.30pm - 4.30pm

Please note that there are no Confessions on Holy Days.

Crypt
 Crypt Chapel

BSC
 Blessed Sacrament Chapel

CLERGY:

PRIESTS:
 Canon Anthony O'Brien Dean
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 Fr Peter Murphy

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Cathedral Notice Board

MASS INTENTIONS

Sheelagh McCullen (RIP), Antonia Beary, Katherine Byrne (RIP), Kathleen Adamson (RIP), Peter Heston (RIP), Michael Taylor (RIP Anniversary), Michael Taylor (Birthday Remembrance), The Cornyn Family, Josie Hyde (RIP), Mary and Martin Bonner (Golden Wedding), Breege McDevitt (RIP), Edward Delahunty (RIP), Patricia Spittle (RIP), Leonardo Cuccato-Pitol (RIP), Claire Mitchell (RIP), Peter Robertson (RIP), Nora de Hora (nee Sheaghda) (RIP), Josie Dunne (RIP), Gerard Webb (RIP), Carl Petersen (RIP), Holy Souls, People of Ukraine, Winifred Foster (Birthday Remembrance), Harry and Freda Foster (Wedding Anniversary Remembrance), Colette Ross (RIP).

NEWMAN ASSOCIATION TALK

The Coronation: what did it mean for Catholics, Anglicans and contemporary Britain?" Will take place on Thursday 16 November 2023. Speaker Fr. Tom Carpenter. Join us at St. Helen's Parish Centre, Crosby L23 7TQ (on the 53 bus route from Liverpool City centre). Tea & coffee will be available from 7.15 pm for a 7.30 pm start. The event is free to attend and everyone is welcome. For more details contact the Secretary at helen.flynn8@googlemail.com

PAX CHRISTI

On November 16th Pax Christi will be in Liverpool City Centre outside the Playhouse with a stall to raise awareness of the Treaty For the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons at 1pm.

Please consider joining them.

CATHEDRAL WALKING GROUP

The next walk is set to take place on Sunday 19th November after 11am Mass. Meeting at the entrance to the Cathedral Car Park and walking alongside Otterspool promenade, and back through Princes Park. Walkers can bring their own refreshments or/ and arrange a bite to eat or drink at the end of the walk. The walk will be around 2 to 3 hours with a short break. For further details please call Mike on 0796 9543983.

CATHEDRAL READERS

Cathedral Readers required - Come and Share the Liturgy of the Word! Would you like to join our group of readers at the many Masses here at the Cathedral? We would love to hear from you and require new readers to join our team in this important role for all Masses. For more information please contact Danielle Myerscough on dmmyscough@gmail.com or 07919894918.

PILGRIM WAY FOR THE ARCHDIOCESE OF LIVERPOOL

Hearts in Search of God is a project to promote walking pilgrimage in England & Wales focused on developing Pilgrim Ways from every Catholic cathedral to one or more shrines in the same diocese. They have recently published a Pilgrim Way for the Archdiocese of Liverpool, a 30.1 mile long route from the Metropolitan Cathedral to the Shrines of Blessed Dominic Barberi in St Helens & St Edmund Arrowsmith in Ashton-in-Makerfield. All the details and some photos can be found here: <https://www.pilgrimways.org.uk/the-liverpool-pilgrim-way-is-ready-to-walk>

STAFF AND POSTGRADUATE GROUP

Are you a university staff or a PhD student? Come and join the Liverpool Universities Catholic Staff & Postgraduate Group! The group of staff and doctoral students meets fortnightly every other Wednesday for prayer, discussion and sharing. please contact Antal on 07515821079 for further details.

EXHIBITION – FREE ENTRY

An exhibition about the life and teachings of the Servant of God Fr. Luigi Giussani, founder of the Catholic movement of Communion and Liberation. The encounter with Fr. Giussani (1922-2005) has left an indelible mark on the lives of many people worldwide. Join us in discovering a legacy that goes beyond borders and generations. **The Gibberd Room. Saturday 18th November and Sunday 19th November. 10 am – 7 pm • Tea and coffee will be served**

THIS SHINING NIGHT

A Concert for St Cecilia
The Tung Auditorium

Wednesday 22nd November, 730pm

is a mesmerizing musical event showcasing the immense talent of the St Edward's College Senior Choir and Senior Orchestra, alongside the renowned Liverpool Mozart Orchestra and Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral Choir. With harmonious melodies and breath-taking compositions, this concert pays homage to the patron saint of musicians, St. Cecilia, and promises to fill the night with enchanting music that will leave the audience spellbound. Don't miss this celestial celebration of music and artistry! The concert features music from Vivaldi's Gloria, movements from the Mozart Requiem, modern choral classics, outstanding sixth-form soloists and much more.

ADVENT HIGHLIGHTS ADVENT SEQUENCE

Sunday 3 December
5pm

As the season of Advent begins, the cathedral choir and clergy offer a sequence of music and readings to prepare us for the Advent journey. The service lasts around 70 minutes and features the choir singing from a variety of places around the cathedral. All welcome.




Last week's collection: **£1,379.00**

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Golden Book of Remembrance

The Golden Book Office is now open each Tuesday between 10am and 3pm.

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LUTYENS CRYPT

— THE MYSTERY OF THE —
LUTYENS CRYPT
— LIVERPOOL'S BEST KEPT —
ARCHITECTURAL SECRET

Open Monday – Saturday: First Admission: 10am, Last Admission: 3.30pm
Crypt Admission Charges: £5 Adult, £12 Family (2 adults + 2 children)