



## ST MICHAEL & ST GEORGE

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*Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> September 2020*

**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A**

**1100hrs – Holy Mass (broadcast via Zoom)**

**Mass Intention: Julia Dorey RIP**

*The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on a Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation remains suspended until further notice.*

### WELCOME EVERYONE

Each time you attend Mass in person you will be required to complete a 'Track & Trace' form. In addition, please note the following guidance and engage with all of the instructions:

1. Sanitise your hands on entry to, and exit from, the Cathedral.
2. Face coverings & two metres social distancing are mandatory.
3. Adhere to the one-way system by following the arrows.
4. Go straight to your seat on entry and do not engage in conversation with anyone except those from your household.
5. Ensure that there are at least two seats between yourself or your household and another person or household.
6. There will be no exchange of the Sign of Peace.
7. At the invitation to holy communion all join saying 'Amen' as the celebrant presents the host and the chalice from the altar.
8. Nothing will be said, and thus no response is necessary, if you come forward to receive Christ in the Blessed Sacrament.
9. After Mass please put your kneeler on your chair and leave the Cathedral while maintaining two metres social distance.
10. Place your Mass sheet in the bin or take it home with you and put your offering/collection money in the receptacle provided.

### EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES

The times when the Cathedral will be open each day for individual prayer are given below *in bold italics*. Mass will continue to be offered privately each weekday for the intentions of the faithful. On Wednesdays Mass is open to the public. The celebration of Mass on Solemnities and Holy Days of Obligation will broadcast via Zoom, as it is on Sundays and Wednesdays. The clergy may be contacted via their duty mobile numbers as above.

### THIS WEEK

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Sept: *St Wenceslaus, martyr*

**1400hrs-1600hrs**

Tue 29<sup>th</sup> Sept: *St Michael, St Gabriel, St Raphael, archangels*

**1100hrs-1300hrs**

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Sept: *St Jerome, priest, doctor*

**1130hrs-1600hrs** 1200hrs – Holy Mass (broadcast via Zoom)

***The isolated and the lonely***

Thu 1<sup>st</sup> Oct: *St Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor*

**1100hrs-1300hrs**

Fri 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct: *The Holy Guardian Angels*

**1400hrs-1600hrs** *Holy Rosary @ 1500hrs*

### PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the members of our Armed Forces, their families and all support staff, together with everyone affected by, and involved in the fight against, Coronavirus, as in your personal intercessions.

### LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Sunday's Mass Zoom Invitation details - ID: 827 7726 7188

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82777267188?pwd=L1RvaWJxTHVRVmQ2L2g4dldmUjQ2Zz09> Passcode: 694223

Wednesday's Mass Zoom Invitation details - ID: 857 2732 0625

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85727320625?pwd=dTZubkhYYndFZXE0NlFqdUNDtTNDUT09> Passcode: 913003

### TODAY'S COMMEMORATION

The title for the Holy Father's message in respect of the 106th World Day of Migrants and Refugees is "Forced like Jesus Christ to flee". It focuses on the pastoral care of internally displaced people who currently number over 41 million worldwide. As the title makes clear, the message originates in the experience of the young Jesus and his family as displaced persons and refugees. This experience provides a specific Christological grounding for the Christian action of welcome or hospitality. The full text is available on the Bishopric website.

### PATRONAL FESTIVAL

The Sacred Scriptures have revealed the proper names of only three Angels, all of whom belong to the Choir of the Archangels: Michael, Gabriel, Raphael. Ancient apocryphal literature of the Old Testament contains several other names of Archangels, but the Church does not permit proper names of Angels that are not found in the canonical books of the Bible. Further details and reflections at: [www.ucatholic.com/saints/the-archangels](http://www.ucatholic.com/saints/the-archangels)

### SPIRITUAL TIME

Celebrating the dedication of October to the Holy Rosary, a set of mysteries will be prayed at 1500hrs on Fridays during the month.

### PAPAL PROCLAMATION

Pope Francis will visit Assisi next Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October to sign a new encyclical, entitled '*Fratelli tutti*' on fraternity and social friendship. The title is a reference to the writings of St Francis: "Let us all, consider the Good Shepherd who to save His sheep bore the suffering of the Cross" (Admonitions, 6, 1: FF155). The Holy Father will arrive in Assisi in the afternoon where he will celebrate Holy Mass at the Tomb of St Francis, which will be followed by the signing of the encyclical. The visit will take place in private, without the participation of the faithful.

### AND FINALLY ...

... four things come not back: the spoken word, the sped arrow, the past life, the neglected opportunity.

*With every blessing*  
*Fr Nick*