



'Let's begin with a prayer...' 2023/24

Week Commencing: Monday 16th October 2023
28 Week of Ordinary Time- Year A

WORLD RELIGIONS AND CULTURAL EVENTS:

16TH OCT WORLD FOOD DAY 17TH INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ERADICATION OF POVERTY, 18TH ANTI SLAVERY DAY
October is the Month of the Most Holy Rosary

FEAST DAYS AND MEMORIALS THIS WEEK:

16th St Margaret May, 17TH, ST IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, 18TH ST LUKE, 19th ST PAUL OF THE CROSS
INSET DAY 20th OCTOBER 2023 - HALF TERM NEXT WEEK
(Chaplaincy review of the first half term to take place this week)

Monday

FERIA

In the Gospel at Mass yesterday, we hear Jesus tell a parable about a wedding feast. In the story, the family of the bridegroom invite everyone to the wedding feast after those invited shunned the invite... We pray that we might be a community that welcomes the outcast and the stranger to share with us the joy that comes from knowing Jesus as our friend, brother and redeemer.

In the Gospel all people were welcome to the party- may this Gospel inspire us to be people who acknowledge and celebrate that diversity brings a real beauty to our communities.

Amen

TUESDAY

ST IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH

"It is right, therefore, that we not just be called Christians, but that we actually be Christians.

Ignatius of Antioch

May the world know we are Christians by our love today - Amen



wednesday

ST LUKE THE EVANGELIST

In this month of the Holy Rosary, we ask Our Lady to take our prayers and needs to Her Son as we say:

Hail Mary, full of grace,
the Lord is with thee.

Blessed art thou among women
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, mother of God,
pray for us sinners now
and at the hour of our death.

Amen

Thursday

Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the Kingdom of Heaven belongs.' Matt 19:14

Loving God, we thank you for the gift of our young people in each Trust school.

May each child you have created recognise how precious he or she is in your eyes and may all children everywhere feel loved and cherished.

Give our children the perseverance and patience they need and inspire them with an enthusiasm for learning.

We ask this through Christ our Lord

Amen

Friday

INSET DAY

THEME FOR THE WEEK:

'Everyone is welcome!'



WEEK 28 YEAR A-
Matthew 22:1-14

'Invite everyone you can to the wedding.'

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