

toral visits throughout the world. He died in Rome on 2 April 2005.

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Romans 7:18-25: Who will rescue me from this body doomed to death?

Response to the Psalm

Lord, teach me your statutes.

Gospel Acclamation

Harden not your hearts today, but listen to the voice of the Lord.

Gospel Reading

Luke 12:54-59: You know how to interpret the face of the earth and the sky. How is it you do not know how to interpret these times?

Communion Antiphon

Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

SATURDAY

**Weekday *or* Saint John of Capistrano,
Priest *or* Saturday Mass of Our Lady**

[OPTIONAL MEMORIAL]

Saint John of Capistrano: born in 1386; after a career as a lawyer he entered the Franciscan Order, and then travelled throughout most of Europe preaching and strengthening Christian morals. He died, aged 70, in 1456.

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

[BVM: Hail, Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb.]

First Reading

Romans 8:1-11: The Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you.

Response to the Psalm

Such are the men who seek your face, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

The Lord is faithful in all his words and loving in all his deeds.

Gospel Reading

Luke 13:1-9: Unless you repent, you will all perish as they did.

Communion Antiphon

Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

[BVM: Glorious things are spoken of you, O Virgin Mary, for he who is mighty has done great things for you.]

THE MARIAN ANTHEM (Salve Regina)

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy,
hail, our life, our sweetness, and our hope.
To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve;
to thee do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.
Turn, then, most gracious advocate,
thine eyes of mercy toward us;
and after this our exile
show unto us the blessed fruit
of thy womb, Jesus:
O clement, O loving, O sweet virgin Mary.

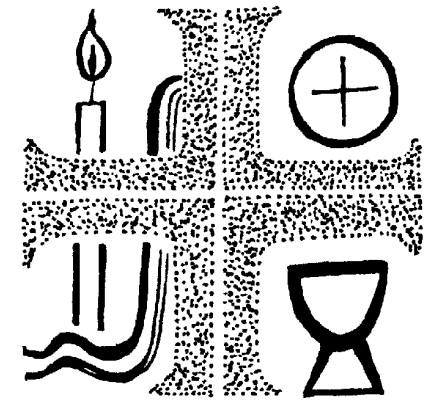
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WEEKDAY MASS SHEET

TWENTY NINTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

18th—23rd October 2021



THE SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK

We continue to read the Letter to the Romans; in Jesus we have justification which overcomes the force of sin; by baptism we become one with Christ and receive his salvation.

The Gospel (Luke 12-13) sees Jesus speaking about the end times, the day of the Lord which comes when no one expects it. We are to be on our guard in how we live.

OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

During Ordinary Time (Autumn) we are asked to pray for these intentions: Students and Teachers; The Spread of the Gospel; The Harvest; The Fruits of Human Work and the Reverent Use of Creation; Justice and Peace in the World; All Victims of War; Young People; Prisoners and Their Families.

HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS (October)

Missionary Disciples: We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavour of the Gospel.

MONDAY

Saint Luke, Evangelist [FEAST]

Saint Luke: born of a pagan family and converted to the faith, he was a companion of Saint Paul and wrote his Gospel in accordance with Paul's teachings. He also wrote the Acts of the Apostles.

Entrance Antiphon

How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who brings glad tidings of peace, bearing good news, announcing salvation.

The Gloria is sung or recited.

First Reading

2 Timothy 4:10-17: Only Luke is with me.

Response to the Psalm

Your friends, O Lord, shall make known the glorious splendour of your reign.

Gospel Acclamation

I chose you from the world to go out and to bear fruit, fruit that will last, says the Lord.

Gospel Reading

Luke 10:1-9: The harvest is rich but the labourers are few.

Communion Antiphon

The Lord sent out disciples to proclaim throughout the towns: The kingdom of God is at hand for you.

TUESDAY

Weekday *or* Saint John de Brebeuf and Saint Isaac Jogues, Priests and Companions, Martyrs *or* Saint Paul of the cross, Priest [OPTIONAL MEMORIALS]

Saint John de Brebeuf and Saint Isaac Jogues: they were Jesuits who preached the Gospel in North America from 1635. They worked among the Huron and Iroquois but between 1642 and 1649 all were brutally killed.

Saint Paul of the Cross: Paul Danei was born in 1694; he was devoted to the Passion of Our Lord, and set up houses for others to share his work – the Passionist Order. He died in Rome in 1775.

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Romans 5:12. 15. 17-21: If death reigned over everyone as the consequence of one man's fall, it is even more certain that everyone will reign in life.

Responsorial Psalm

Here I am, Lord! I come to do your will.

Gospel Acclamation

Blessed are those who, with a noble and generous heart, take the word of God to themselves and yield a harvest through their perseverance.

Gospel Reading

Luke 12:35-38: Happy those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes.

Communion Antiphon

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WEDNESDAY

Weekday

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Romans 6:12-18: Offer yourselves to God, and consider yourselves dead men brought back to life.

Response to the Psalm

Our help is in the name of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me.

Gospel Reading

Luke 12:39-48: When a man has had a great deal given him, a great deal will be demanded of him.

Communion Antiphon

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THURSDAY

Weekday

Entrance Antiphon

To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading

Romans 6:19-23: Now you have been set free from sin, you have been made slaves of God.

Response to the Psalm

Happy the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life.

Gospel Reading

Luke 12:49-53: I am here not to bring peace but division.

Communion Antiphon

Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

FRIDAY

Weekday *or* Saint John Paul the Second, Pope [OPTIONAL MEMORIAL]

Saint John Paul II: Charles Joseph Wojtyła was born in 1920 in Wadowice, Poland. On 16 October 1978 he was elected pope and took the name John Paul II. His exceptional apostolic zeal, particularly for families, young people and the sick, led him to numerous pas-