

# Catholic Church of Our Lady and St. Walstan

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## *The Lord of the vineyard.*

*God is master of all creation and giver of all gifts. Do we use the gifts God has given us as God wants us to? If our lives are full of prayer and thanksgiving, then the God of peace will always be with us.*

Sundays Year A ~ Ordinary Time ~ Psalms Week 3

**27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**4<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

<b>Entrance Antiphon</b>	<i>Within your will, O Lord, all things are established, and there is none that can resist your will. For you have made all things, the heaven and the earth, and all that is held within the circle of heaven; you are the Lord of all.</i>	
<b>First Reading</b>	<i>Against the Lord's vineyard.</i>	<b>Isaiah 5:1-7</b>
<b>Responsorial Psalm</b>	<i>The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel.</i>	<b>Psalms 79</b>
<b>Second Reading</b>	<i>If there is anything you need, pray for it.</i>	<b>Philippians 4:6-9</b>
<b>Gospel Acclamation</b>	<i>Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!</i>	
<b>Gospel</b>	<i>This is the landlord's heir: come, let us kill him.</i>	<b>Matthew 21:33-43</b>

## Mass Times and Intentions

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Herminio 'Pogs' Astorga R.I.P.</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Louis Botg R.I.P.</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Our Lady of the Rosary</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Thor Smith R.I.P.</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>All with Coronavirus</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>St. John Henry Newman</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Parishioners</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Pat Scrutton R.I.P.</b>

Morning or Evening Prayer will be said 15 minutes before all weekday Masses.  
 Confessions by Appointment

**Sick and Housebound** – Please pray for Jenny Piercy, Barbara Shannon, Geoffrey Smith, Yustyna Adamska, Una McWeeny, Michele Bendall, Christina Thomas, Ann Bettany, Vivienne Anne Mallett and Marcia Jenkin.

**Faithful Departed** – please pray for Christopher Peruzzi, Mary King, Jean Vince, Joyce Hanley, Lucy Spilman, Marguerite Taylor, Bernard Locke, Dorothy De Beaulieu, William Hart, William Buckley, Mary Dimelow, Margaret Delaney, Gary Caswell, Edith Vines, Rosaria (Rose) King, Margaret Ramsbottom, Walstan Drury, Agnes Hogan, Maude Juby, Robert Adair, Michael Quadling, Geoffrey Smith and all whose anniversaries occur around this time.

*The Eucharist is the secret of my day.  
It gives strength and meaning to all  
my activities of service to the Church  
and to the world.*

*Pope Saint John Paul II*

**Resources for Children's Liturgy  
4<sup>th</sup> October (27<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the year)**

<http://www.sdc.me.uk/sundayliturgy/worksheets/a-ordinarytime-27.pdf>

<https://www.salfordliturgy.org.uk/Wordsearch%2027A.jpg>

<http://www.higherpraise.com/pdf/pdf/New/Curr223.pdf>

[https://f.hubspotusercontent30.net/hubfs/275132/\\_catholicmom/Sunday%20Gospel%20Activities/2020/10/10-04-2020%2027%20OT%20A/27%20OT%20A%20Mass-compressed.pdf](https://f.hubspotusercontent30.net/hubfs/275132/_catholicmom/Sunday%20Gospel%20Activities/2020/10/10-04-2020%2027%20OT%20A/27%20OT%20A%20Mass-compressed.pdf)

**Cafod also have something every week at  
<https://cafod.org.uk/Education/Children-s-liturgy>**

**Are you a good listener? Do you have compassion for others in need?** The Diocese of East Anglia is initiating a Catholic Listening and Prayer Ministry to provide confidential support to those wishing to share their concerns with a trustworthy helper. Full training and supervision will be given to those who wish to be part of this new ministry after a simple interview process. If you feel you may have the empathy, availability, and agreement with Church teaching, please email [mflc.eastanglia@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mflc.eastanglia@yahoo.co.uk) > [mflc.eastanglia@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mflc.eastanglia@yahoo.co.uk)

**First Holy Communion 2021:** Applications for children in Year 3 and above at school are available. Please email Christine Conrad - [c.conrad1@outlook.com](mailto:c.conrad1@outlook.com) - and I will email a form to you. In view of the current situation, the closing date will be Sunday 25 October.

Please return the completed form with your child's baptism certificate to either Fr David, Deacon Bill or Christine Conrad. God bless and stay safe.

Items for the newsletter may be left at the presbytery (marked clearly "for newsletter" along with the date, and your name), or email [newsletter@stwalstans.com](mailto:newsletter@stwalstans.com). For all forms of communication, please provide a telephone number on which you can be contacted. The deadline for items to be included in the newsletter is Wednesday 6pm

**Collection w/e 27<sup>th</sup> September**

**£510.91**

**Many Thanks**

**Church Opening & Mass:** During the ongoing pandemic, Mass is currently being celebrated at 7pm on Wednesday and at 10am Thursday to Monday inclusive. (There is no Mass on Tuesday.) The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday has been waived so you don't have to come to Mass if you feel unsafe, and you can attend on any day of the week. To make sure there is room, as numbers are strictly limited, please email me - [davidward@stwalstans.com](mailto:davidward@stwalstans.com) - or call on Norwich 742812 to 'book in'. If possible, please attend on the same day each week: once you have booked your space, you will remain on that list, although I would appreciate you letting me know if you can't attend on a particular week. Not everyone can make this commitment, so it is fine to book one week at a time on different days to tie in with shift work and other commitments. Face coverings are obligatory when attending Mass, so please bring something suitable (mask, scarf, bandana, etc.) if you can. We have a small supply of disposable masks if you don't have your own. The church is also open 2-3pm seven days a week for private prayer. Thank you for your continued patience and co-operation at this difficult time. Fr David

**Wednesday Word:** You are able to access this useful leaflet via the website [www.wednesdayword.org](http://www.wednesdayword.org)

**Universalis:** This is a website accessible on mobile devices where you can find daily Mass readings, etc. The web address is [www.universalis.com](http://www.universalis.com)

**Dial-a-Mass:** The Knights of St Columba have set up a Dial-a-Mass for those who are unable to participate in the celebration of the Mass via TV or Livestreaming. The Mass is available from 12 noon each day and will last about 45 minutes, being available until midnight the same day. The Mass will cost as little as a local call and the phone number is: 01642-130120.