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*The Lord has prepared a banquet.*

*God the Father invites us all to share in the wedding feast of his Son. He knows our poverty and wants to share his riches with us. In his banquet we will be joyful, and every tear will be wiped from our eyes.*

*Sundays Year A ~ Ordinary Time ~ Psalms Week 4*

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

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

<b>Entrance Antiphon</b>	<i>If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.</i>	
<b>First Reading</b>	<i>The Lord will prepare a banquet for every nation.</i>	<i>Isaiah 25:6-10</i>
<b>Responsorial Psalm</b>	<i>In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever.</i>	<i>Psalms 22</i>
<b>Second Reading</b>	<i>With the help of the One who gives me strength, there is nothing I cannot master.</i>	<i>Philippians 4:12-14,19-20</i>
<b>Gospel Acclamation</b>	<i>Alleluia, alleluia! The Word was made flesh and lived among us: to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God. Alleluia!</i>	
<b>Gospel</b>	<i>Invite everyone you can to the wedding.</i>	<i>Matthew 22:1-14</i>

## Mass Times and Intentions

<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>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Teo Farmer R.I.P.</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>In Thanksgiving</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>St. Teresa of Jesus</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Special Intention</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Feria</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>George &amp; Delia Green R.I.P.</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>St. Ignatius of Antioch</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Cecil &amp; Daphne Sparkes R.I.P.</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>18<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>No Mass</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 Hilda Midgley, William Delaney, Philip Tilbrook, Herbert Roberts, Timothy Rafftree, Sylvia Hurry, Christine Adair, Florence Loades, Anthony McGrath, Hilary Gordon, Bernard Budds, Kathleen Mostyn, James O'Neill, Edith Jones, Frederick Cannell, Fintane Wade, Phyllis Skedge, Elfrida Stapleford, and all whose anniversaries occur around this time.

*“If you believe what you like in the Gospel, and reject what you don't like, it is not the Gospel you believe, but yourself.”*

*St. Augustine of Hippo*

Resources for Children's Liturgy  
11th October (28th Sunday of the year)

<http://www.sdc.me.uk/sundayliturgy/worksheets/ordinary-time-28.PDF>

<https://www.salfordliturgy.org.uk/Wordsearch%2028A.jpg>  
[https://sermons4kids.com/parable\\_wedding\\_banquet\\_deco\\_der.htm](https://sermons4kids.com/parable_wedding_banquet_deco_der.htm)

<https://thekidsbulletin.files.wordpress.com/2017/10/the-kids-bulletin-28th-sunday.pdf>

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

**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.

**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.

**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)

Collection 3<sup>rd</sup> /4<sup>th</sup> October

£842.50  
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)

*“When man is with God in awe and love, then he is praying.”*

*Karl Rahner, Jesuit & Theologian*

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