



TWENTY-SEVENTH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME

4th October 2026 · Year A · Weekday II · Psalter III

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Cathedral Collection

£4,476.27

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*remains the same each week

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Confessions

Tuesday 6pm

Saturday: 10.30am

Saturday: 5.15pm

Sunday: 4.45pm

The Rosary is prayed in the Lady Chapel, Monday to Friday after the 10am Mass.

Divine Office

Morning Prayer of the Church in the Precious Blood Chapel Monday to Friday at 9:40am

Sat 3rd 6pm Mass (Anticipatory) *Leo De Silva +*

Sun 4th **TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

9am Mass (music group) *Oswald Barrett (F) +*

11am Solemn Mass (choir) *Patrick Michael Dalton +*

3pm Mass [1962 Rite Latin] *Private Intention*

4.30pm Vespers (choir)

5.30pm Mass (cantor) *For the People*

Mon 5th *Feria*

10am Mass *Maria & Stephen, Thanksgiving*

Tues 6th *Feria*

10am Mass *Janet Thomas +*

5pm Vespers (choir)

5.30pm Mass (choir) *Thomas Plane +*

Wed 7th **Our Lady of the Rosary**

7.30am Mass *Madeleine McCann*

10am Mass *Betty Harris & Family (F)*

Thurs 8th *Feria*

10am Mass *Mrs Latty Marshall D'Souza +*

Fri 9th **ST JOHN HENRY NEWMAN**

7.30am Mass *Jowan Mankel*

10am Mass *Tony Walters (F) +*

Sat 10th *Blessed Virgin Mary on a Saturday*

10am Mass *The Fitzmaurice Family (F)*

6pm Mass (Anticipatory) *Tony Smart +*

Sun 11th **TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**

9am Mass (music group) *Tony Millard +*

11am Solemn Mass (choir) *Michael Kiely +*

4.30pm Solemn Vespers (choir)

5.30pm Mass (cantor) *For the People*

The Cathedral is open daily this week from 7.30am - 6pm

Prayers for the sick: Cathy Adams, Dr Michael Anibueze, Philippa Barnes, Ian Beyts, Jennifer Boland, Eleanor Bray, Amanda Caistor, Brenda Devany, Jonathon Fitzimmons, Mary Gledhill, Sophia Gough-Solar, Mary Hatcher, Joe Heaney, Gill Horan, Frank Keating, Joel McDonough, Patricia McKenna, Anne O'Leary, Mary Newby, Gary Newton, Isobel O'Connor, Christopher Parish, Canon David Paul, Anthony Preston, Nicholle Sales, Reece Sales, Linda Sheppard, Christine Taylor, Peter Thorn, Lord Adrian Tremayne, Mary Ward, Fr John Warrington, Peter Willets, Adrian Woods, the Wood Family, Patricia Woolley, Isobel Woolner, Charmanee Wissner, Shane Wissner & Karen Yallop. [GDPR compliant] **Going into hospital?** Please inform the hospital ward itself that the Catholic Chaplain is needed.

HYMN NUMBERS FOR 9AM MASS

865, 898, 625, 832, 721

There will be a second collection taken for CAFOD at all Masses this weekend.

On 4-5 October - we will host the Conference of Catholic Directors of Music. All are welcome to Sung Vespers at 4:30pm on Sunday 4th, Sung Morning Prayer at 9:30am on Monday 5th and Sung Vespers at 5pm on Monday 5th.

Please note – there will be no Benediction this Sunday 4th October.

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. Why not join others in praying this beautiful devotion. The Rosary is prayed every weekday after the 10am Mass in the Lady Chapel. Please do come and join asking for the intercession of Our Lady for all our needs and the needs of the world. All are welcome.

The Teresian Prayer Group meets again on Tuesday 13 October at 4.30pm in the Narthex Bar. This year we shall be reflecting on the prayer of Our Lady of Mt Carmel and the Carmelite saints. Everyone is welcome.

Visitation of Our Lady of Fatima's statue with the Relics of Saints Jacinta & Francisco – will begin at the Cathedral from 9.30am on Saturday 17th October to 12.30pm on Sunday 18th October. There will be a chance to venerate the saints' relics and enjoy other devotions to Our Lady.

'Where there are two or three gathered together in my name, there I am in the midst of them' *Matt 18:20.* **Would you like to pray with others on a regular basis?** The (Monday) Prayer Group meets each Monday in term-time, 10.45am (after 10am Mass) praying together for all our needs and the needs of the world using readings, psalms, reflections, the rosary and intercessory prayers. Why not come and join us? For more details, please contact helen@savelli.co.uk

Please consider giving your prayerful support for victims and perpetrators of crime; as well as prison staff at the annual Prisons Week service which will be held at St John the Baptist, Timberhill on Sunday 11th October with Choral Evensong at 6.00pm. Refreshments will follow the service.

The Friends of St John's Cathedral are looking for a volunteer to provide secretarial support to the Chair. If you are interested, please contact friends@sjbcathedral.org.uk

HOLY APOSTLES CHURCH

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<i>Saturday</i>	5pm Holy Qurbana (Anticipatory)
<i>Sunday</i>	8am Holy Qurbana 10am Mass & Confessions

Hospital Mass - Mass is celebrated at 12 noon on the 1st and 3rd Monday of every month in the Norfolk and Norwich University Hospital Chapel (Centre Block, Level 1). Our next Mass will be on **Monday 5th October** and then **Monday 19th October**.

Help Required – we need volunteers to help with cleaning our collection of brass. If you can help, contact Peter or Douglas sacrsitan@sjbcathedral.org.uk or Tony Chapman.

St John's Youth Group meets every Tuesday 4-7pm during term time - all 11–18-year-olds are welcome. For more information, email Jo - stjohnfhc@gmail.com

SJB Cathedral Men's Group – meetings take place in Cathedral House at 7pm every other Thursday. Next dates are 8th Oct & 22nd October.

Lectio Divina - all are welcome to attend on **Monday 12 Oct at 7pm in the Robert Southwell Chapel** at St George's. An opportunity to meditate, pray and contemplate on the following Sunday's Gospel to enrich your experience of the Mass. Contact monicabarnham@hotmail.com for more information.

Stella Maris - As we come to the autumn season, the seas are starting to chill rapidly and for those who work at sea, they find the cold conditions harsh. If you can knit or know somebody who does, we need scarves and woolly hats; alternatively, you can donate by purchasing these items. Either way the seafarers would be immensely grateful. Please contact Colin and Linda Harper 01603 652433 or stellamaris.at.SJB@gmail.com if you can help. Many Thanks and God Bless, Deacon Rick, Port Chaplain.

Stewards – are needed to cover Masses at the cathedral, particularly in holiday season. If you are interested, please contact Teresa 07919 455836 or tjmcinally@outlook.com. Thank you.

Huge thanks to everyone who attended and supported the ANCOP concert last Saturday. We raised over £2100 for the ANCOP scholars and in support of FLAME 27 and World Youth Day South Korea.