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ALVASTON & CHELLASTON

# 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year B

13 October 2024

*Psalm Response: Fill us with your love that we may rejoice*

Sun:	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass	Chrissie Ryan RIP Joe & Phyl Hanrahan Int
Mon:	12 noon Mass	Fr Martin Nott RIP
Wed:	12 noon Mass	Mgr. Paul Watson RIP
Fri:	<u>St Luke, Evangelist</u> (Feast) 12 noon Mass	Fr Brian McGilloway RIP

#### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year B

Sun:	9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass	Sean & Joan Burke Selasi & Edem Adzaho Int.
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#### Money Matters:

Collection:	
Offertory:	£528.59
CAFOD:	£497.57

For those who regularly contribute to the church via the Envelope Scheme, another option would be to set up a Direct Debit or Standing Order –  
Lloyds Bank: sort code 30-92-59;  
Account number 01620555 – English Martyrs, Derby RCP.

Payments to the parish by cheque should be made payable to:  
English Martyrs Derby RCP

Sanctuary Lamp: Mgr Paul Watson RIP

**Prayers for the Sick:** Please always keep in your prayers the sick Dreuitt, Terry Bullock, Norman Annable, Giovanni Busato, Ian Robinson, Bart Makowski, Joe Migallo, Liam Blaney, Christopher Turner, Tracey Reeve, Loretta Hewitt, Liz Simmons, Terry & Liz Spencer, Anu Chilka, Mick Connolly, Chris Connolly, Maria Latwiel, Anne Smith, Margaret Meagher, James Wilson and Libby Dodes.

**Please Pray** for the repose of the soul of Jackie Yates, late of the care home in Aston, and Freda Copeland. May they rest in peace. Please remember their families in your prayers.

Freda Copeland's funeral arrangements are: Reception – 21 Oct at 4.00pm

Requiem Mass 22 Oct at 11.00am followed by committal at Trent Valley at 12.30pm.

#### **MISSIO: Second Collection next Sunday, 20 October for World Mission Sunday**

Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio, his charity for world mission, through a special collection. This day of prayer, solidarity, and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, use the Missio envelopes (available at the back of Church), call **020 7821 9755** (office hours) or visit [mission.org.uk](http://mission.org.uk) to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit, and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

#### **SVP – Sudan:**

South Sudan gained independence in 2011 and has since struggled with economic, political, and social instability. UNICEF estimated in August 2023 that 1.4 million children under the age of 5 were suffering from acute malnutrition and 7.1 million people currently face severe food insecurity. The conflict and migration of displaced people from Sudan since April 2023 has only exacerbated the already dire situation.

The SVDP South Sudan have been working tirelessly to continue to provide hope and assistance to those most in need. Projects include, but are not limited to, Infant Feeding, St Vincent's Healthcare Centre, St Vincent's School, Be in Hope home for homeless young boys, support for Internally Displaced Persons, Vocational Training opportunities, and more. Thanks to your previous generous donations, SVDP South Sudan have been able to continue operating.

#### **But more support is needed.**

As inflation soars, costs grow, and demand increases, SVDP South Sudan need your help to ensure their projects can continue.

Please visit here to donate:

<https://fundraising.svp.org.uk/page/134642/donate/1> Thank you.

**Our New Lectionary/Missal Explained** – On **Tuesday 5 November** at 7.00pm Pierpaolo Finaldi the CEO of the Catholic Truth Society (CTS) will present a webinar for our diocese to help us explore the new lectionary translation. Pierpaolo has overseen the publication of the new lectionaries and will explore the reason for the new translation, the translation chosen, how we can prepare to hear and proclaim the scriptures in Mass. For more information and to register: [www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/our-new-lectionary-explained](http://www.dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/our-new-lectionary-explained)

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### **St Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church (Memorial) – 15 Oct:**

St Teresa (1515-1582) was born in Avila (Spain). She joined the Carmelite convent at Avila and, after a quarter of a century as a nun, began to reform the Order, with the help of St Peter of Alcántara and St John of the Cross. She founded seventeen reformed houses in Spain and, despite her busy life of administration, reached the highest 'mansions' of union with God. Her outstanding works of ascetical and mystical theology led her to be declared a Doctor of the Church in 1970.

### **St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr (Memorial) – 17 Oct:**

St Ignatius (+ c.107) followed St Peter as bishop of Antioch and was thrown to wild beasts in Rome (possibly at the Colosseum) during the persecution of Trajan. On his way to Rome he wrote seven epistles, which give a clear picture of Christian belief and practice a century or so after Christ's birth. His name is mentioned in the Roman Canon.

### **St Luke, Evangelist (Feast) – 18 Oct:**

St Luke (first century) was a Greek, possibly from Antioch, who trained as a doctor. He converted to Christianity, became a disciple of St Paul and wrote both a Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles. His vivid descriptions of the childhood of Jesus has led some to believe that he was close to the Blessed Virgin Mary. He is believed to have died in his old age, and may have been martyred; he is patron of doctors and artists.

### **Prayer to St Michael:**

***'St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.'***

**School admissions to Catholic Secondary Academies (Year 7) -** Children born between 01/09/2013 and 31/08/2014. The deadline for submitting your application for a school place is 31 October 2024. Application forms are available on your 'home' Local Authority website. For every Catholic school you apply for if you wish your child to be considered and ranked under a faith criterion you should also complete a supplementary information form, and return this form to the school by the deadline, (forms are available from the LA and the school). You **MUST** also include the supporting evidence as required with this form, eg baptism certificate (photocopies acceptable; if you do not have the evidence contact the parish where your child was baptised for a copy certificate in good time). Failure to supply the required supporting evidence will mean your child is ranked in a lower criterion which may affect your chance of a place.

**Nottingham Cathedral Choir** sings **Requiescat in Pace**, the sublime Requiem Masses of both Faure and Durufle of **Friday 15 November** 7:30pm accompanied by David Grealy and Soloist Will Burn. More information can be found at: <https://nottinghamcathedral.co.uk/what-s-on/upcoming-events/requiescat-in-pace-faure-and-durufle-requiems-in-concert/?d=63867295800000000>

**Catechist Formation Pathways** – Are you a catechist? Have you thought about being one? The Diocese offers three courses that can be done together or stand alone. Encounter Catechesis provides the foundations of catechesis; Discipleship Catechesis explores a good knowledge of key points of Catholic Theology; and Missionary Catechesis is focused on going beyond sacramental preparation to help form disciples of all ages. To enquire please follow this link [bit.ly/formation2425](http://bit.ly/formation2425) or email: