

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

*Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice;
turn to the Lord and his strength;
constantly seek his face.*

COLLECT

Almighty ever-living God,
increase our faith, hope and charity,
and make us love what you command,
so that we may merit what you promise.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

FIRST READING Ecclesiasticus 35:12-14. 16-19

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus.

The Lord is a judge
who is no respecter of personages.
He shows no respect of personages to the detriment of a poor man,
he listens to the plea of the injured party.
He does not ignore the orphan's supplication,
nor the widow's as she pours out her story.

The man who with his whole heart serves God will be accepted,
his petitions will carry to the clouds.

The humble man's prayer pierces the clouds,
until it arrives he is inconsolable,
nor will he desist until the Most High takes notice of him,
acquits the virtuous and delivers judgement.

And the Lord will not be slow,
nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM Psalm 32

RESPONSE: *This poor man called; the Lord heard him.*

1. I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its boast.
The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.**
2. The Lord turns his face against the wicked
to destroy their remembrance from the earth.
The just call and the Lord hears
and rescues them in all their distress. **R.**
3. The Lord is close to the broken-hearted;
those whose spirit is crushed he will save.
The Lord ransoms the souls of his servants.
Those who hide in him shall not be condemned. **R.**

SECOND READING 2 Timothy 4:6-8. 16-18

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy.

My life is already being poured away as a libation, and the time has come for me to be gone. I have fought the good fight to the end; I have run the race to the finish; I have kept the faith; all there is to come now is the crown of righteousness reserved for me, which the Lord, the righteous judge, will give to me on that Day; and not only to me but to all those who have longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my defence, there was not a single witness to support me. Every one of them deserted me – may

they not be held accountable for it. But the Lord stood by me and gave me power, so that through me the whole message might be proclaimed for all the pagans to hear; and so I was rescued from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from all evil attempts on me, and bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!

**Blessed are you, Father,
Lord of heaven and earth,
for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom
to mere children.**

Alleluia!

Or

Alleluia, alleluia!

**God in Christ was reconciling the world to himself,
and he has entrusted to us the news that they are reconciled.**
Alleluia!

GOSPEL Luke 18:9-14

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

Jesus spoke the following parable to some people who prided themselves on being virtuous and despised everyone else. "Two men went up to the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee, the other a tax collector. The Pharisee stood there and said this prayer to himself, 'I thank you, God, that I am not grasping, unjust, adulterous like the rest of mankind, and particularly that I am not like this tax collector here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes on all I get.' The tax collector stood some distance away, not daring even to raise his eyes to heaven; but he beat his breast and said, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner.' This man, I tell you, went home again at rights with God; the other did not. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the man who humbles himself will be exalted."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Look, we pray, O Lord,
on the offerings we make to your majesty,
that whatever is done by us in your service
may be directed above all to your glory.
Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

**We will ring out our joy at your saving help
and exult in the name of our God.**

Or

**Christ loved us and gave himself up for us,
as a fragrant offering to God.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

May your Sacraments, O Lord, we pray,
perfect in us what lies within them,
that what we now celebrate in signs
we may one day possess in truth.
Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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Homebound If you or your loved one would like to have a Holy Communion on a scheduled basis in your home, please talk to Fr Paul Chanh or text at this number: 07414 735102

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Sunday hymns: Entrance 456 / Recessional 241

Sat 22 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11am Holy Mass 5:30pm Confession 6pm Holy mass 	Confession Offered for Vieira family
Sun 23 October 30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. World Mission Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8am Holy Mass 10am Holy Mass 	Offered for The People of the Parish Rex Ogden Second collection is for MISSIO
Mon 24 October	No Mass	
Tue 25 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10am Holy Mass 	Priest's intention
Wed 26 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 noon Holy Mass 	Offered for Vieira family
Thur 27 October SS SIMON & JUDE, Feast	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10am Holy Mass 	Priest's intention / <i>Rosary after Mass</i> 6pm Fr Luke's induction at St Mark
Fri 28 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10am Holy Mass 	Offered for Vieira family <i>Exposition and Divine Mercy after Mass</i>
Sat 29 October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11am Holy Mass 5:30pm Confession 6pm Holy Mass 	
Sun 30 October 31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8am Holy Mass 10am Holy Mass 	Offered for Vieira family Offered for The People of the Parish

Psalter Week 1

Cycle of Prayer - St Mary Magdalen, Ipswich

The Sick of the Parish We ask your prayers for all our brothers and sisters who are unwell, afflicted or distressed. Comfort and relieve them according to their needs, and grant them the love and consolation of your Spirit: John Anderson-Hurst, William Barnes, Peggy Barron, Jason Beaumont, Michael Clarke, Sheila Curry, Fabiana Di Mascio, Patrick Doran, Ron Green, Josephine Kalagira, Jo Kelly, Molly Mc Garry, Yvonne Metcalfe, Robert Mullan, Mary O'Reilly, Pippa Williamson, Carol Sims, Brianna, Pauline Newton.

Parish Anniversaries Patrick Clifford (1998), Katherine Brett (2005), Canon William Burrows (1959), Thomas Finegan (1969), Hilda Moss (1961), Jennifer Bishop (1972), Mary Bulbeck (1994), James 'Dan' Cleary (1988), Maria Wojciechowski (1999), Michael Hennessy (2004), Jean Orme (2021), Sarah Quinn (1962), James Wright (1994). *Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

Monthly Collection Figures September 2022: £1200.00 Standing Orders + £1042.87 Cash: **Total = £2242.87** Thank you for your immense generosity.

Mission red box reconciliation. Would those people who have a Missio red box please return them to the church as soon as convenient. Your donations will then be counted and the box will then be returned to you in the normal process. It is recognised that our parish has not called the boxes in for several years and for that we do apologise. We hope now to get back to an annual collection and of course it would be nice to attract more parishioners to engage with the Missio Charity. You can return your box to the narthex at any time between now and mid December as we hope to be able to revamp our Missio support before Christmas. Any queries please contact either Celia or Declan Moore.

Next Friday, 28th October, **the ladies will meet at 2:30 in the Garden Room for the monthly Tea and Chat.** The session is open to all and everybody is warmly welcome – just turn up.

R.I.P - Fr Martin Orme, former assistant priest at St Mary Magdalen, **died peacefully on 18th October.** Please pray for him and his family. May he rest in peace. Amen.

The FofSA (Friends of St Albans) invite you to a fish and quiz night on Friday 11th November at 7pm. Quizmaster is Matt Baker. Tickets cost £10 to include fish and chips/ Sausage and chips/ veggie burger and chips. Please contact FriendsOfStAlbans@outlook.com if you are interested in joining us.