



Pupil Chaplaincy Newsletter School/Home/Parish



October 2020

Hello everyone and welcome to the October issue of the Pupil Chaplaincy Newsletter.

**October is the month dedicated to
The Holy Rosary**



The Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary is celebrated on 7th October.

The entire month of October falls within the liturgical season of Ordinary Time, which is represented by the colour green, the symbol of hope.

Monthly Quote

“The future starts today, not tomorrow.”

...Pope Saint John Paul II



The Pope's Monthly Prayer Intention for October

The Laity's Mission in the Church

We pray that through baptism, the laity especially women, may participate more in areas of responsibility in the Church.

Focus of the Liturgy – Sunday Mass and Friday Assembly

The Gospel readings for the Sundays in October are taken from St Matthew and are from Year A, Cycle 2 of the readings.

October 4th - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

This Gospel recounts the parable of the landowner and the vineyard.

October 11th - 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We hear in this Gospel the parable of the wedding banquet.

October 18th - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

In this Gospel we learn how Jesus tells the people “Give to Caesar what is Caesar’s.”

October 25th - 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jesus gives us the greatest commandment in this week’s Gospel.

Activity of the Month – Pray the Rosary

The rosary is a prayer that can be said alone or with others. It is hoped that during this special month the children will come to understand the beauty of this devotion.

Our girl chaplains will be presenting a special recording explaining the rosary to the school community. An email will be sent to classes nearer the time.

Important Dates for this Month

1 st October	St Therese of the Child Jesus
2 nd October	The Guardian Angels
4 th October	St Francis of Assisi
5 th October	Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos
	St Faustina Kowalska
7 th October	Our Lady of the Rosary
11 th October	St John XXIII
14 th October	St Callistus I
15 th October	St Teresa of Jesus
16 th October	St Margaret Mary Alacoque
17 th October	St Ignatius of Antioch
18 th October	St Luke
22 nd October	St John Paul II
28 th October	Saint Simon and Saint Jude

Noah's Ark Presentation

Last month our boy Chaplains presented the story of Noah's Ark to the Nazareth Room children. They were, as always, accompanied by the Noah's Ark puppets and a good time was had by all.

Best wishes and God bless,

Mrs Barnes and The Pupil Chaplaincy Team