

SERVICES THIS WEEK: 29th Week in Ordinary Time (Year 1)

Mon 17th Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
Res. Care
The Departed:

St. Ignatius of Antioch, BM

Persecuted Christians
Leonie Butler
Win and Ivy Martin
William Metcalfe

Tues. 18th Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
The Departed:

St. LUKE, Evan.

Our Benefactors
Joan Carter
Charles Collis

Wed. 19th Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
The Departed:

Feria

St. Francis Hospice
Lee Clark
Walter Chandler

Thurs. 20th Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
We pray for the sick:

Feria

9.30am Morning Prayer at St. Andrew's
Crossroads
Denise Clarke
Christine Minnis, Ronnie Meah, Lee Frost, Dennis Clark,
Mary Fretwell, Maud Hardwick, John Wright, Joan Wright,
Fr. Michael Hore, Bill Murray, Brenda Bebbington, Fr. Bill
Kirkpatrick, Fr. Ken Leech, Fr. Jim Cotter, Stuart Hayward
and Dorothy Meah

Fri. 21st Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
The Departed:

Feria

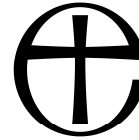
Shop workers
Michael Creasey
Annie Copsey, Herbert Graham, Edith Davison,
Kathleen Benee

Sat. 22nd Oct.

Intention:
Electoral Roll:
The Departed:

Feria

Prisons
Win Coe
Lilian Keens, Annie Bateman



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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Welcome to Mass

Sunday, 16th October

9am Mass at St. Agnes'

10.30am Parish Mass and Baptism at St. Andrew's

We welcome into the people of God, Kye Whitmore
who will be Baptised today

Preacher: John Course

Hymns: NEH – 333, 466, 278, 342 & 297, 346

***If you are a Newcomer**.....please ask*
a member of the Welcome Team for a Welcome Booklet.

- *The Church of England invites all who receive the Sacrament in their own church to do so at our altar. If you wish a blessing, please come to the altar step and place your hand on your heart.*
- *Please join us after the service for refreshments*

We pray for the recently departed and for those whose Anniversary falls today,
(Memorial flowers may be arranged through Pat Harris or Margaret Pettit)

READING FOR: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

SECOND READING 1 Thessalonians 1.1–10

From Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy, To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labour of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers and sisters beloved by God, that he has chosen you, because our message of the gospel came to you not in word only, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction; just as you know what kind of persons we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for in spite of persecution you received the word with joy inspired by the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For the word of the Lord has sounded forth from you not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has become known, so that we have no need to speak about it. For the people of those regions report about us what kind of welcome we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols, to serve a living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead. Jesus, who rescues us from the wrath that is coming.

Alleluia alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth, **Alleluia!!**

GOSPEL Matthew 22.15–22.

When the chief priests and Pharisees had heard the parables, they realized that Jesus was speaking about them. Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, 'Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not?' But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, 'Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.' And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, 'Whose head is this, and whose title?' They answered, 'The

emperor.' Then he said to them, 'Give therefore to the emperor the things that are the emperor's, and to God the things that are God's.' When they heard this, they were amazed; and they left him and went away.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B: Christ has died, Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.

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St. Agnes £6 St Andrews £45 BO (Averaged) £284.50

TOTAL: £335.50 (We need to raise £650 per week)

NEXT WEEK: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday, 23rd October

9am Mass at St. Agnes'

10.30am Parish Mass and Baptism at St. Andrew's

Preacher: Fr. Gerry Arber – All Saint, Cranham

Readings :OT Lev 19:1-2 & 15-18 NT 1 Thess 2: 1-8 Gospel: Mt 22: 34-46

Dates for your Diary

November 19th	CHRISTMAS MARKET at St. Andrew's Parish Centre.
November 23rd	PCC Meeting 8pm in John Jones Room
December 4th	CHRISTINGLE at St. Agnes