TWENTY-EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 15th October God is generous to his people, his is the gift of life and love, of reconciliation and of justice. He expects us to be generous in return so that others may know his generosity.

MASSES

Vigil Saturdays 6p.m. Sundays: 9am & 11am

Weekdays: Monday to Saturday 10am

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 10.30am and 5.30pm

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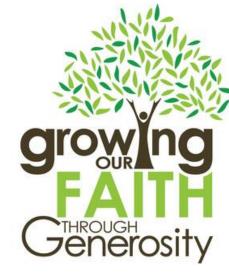
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Feast Days of the Week

Monday 16th St. Margaret Mary, visionary and ascetic, revived devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and was exemplary in her patience and trust.

St. Gall was a monk of Bangor and set out with Columbanus for the Continent. When Columbanus was exiled from France, Gall accompanied him to Bregenz on Lake Constance. When Columbanus crossed into Italy, Gall remained in Switzerland. He lived in a hermitage, which later became the monastery of St. Gallen.

<u>Tuesday 17th St. Ignatius</u>, Bishop of Antioch. He urged Christians to unity in and through the Eucharist and around their local bishop.

<u>Wednesday 18th St. Luke</u> was a physician. He was with St. Paul on his second missionary journey and during his imprisonment in Rome. After Paul's death he is reputed to have worked in Greece. In art, he is represented by an ox. Patron of butchers, bookbinders, doctors, surgeons, artists, and glassworkers.

<u>Thursday 19th St. Paul of the Cross</u>, founded the Passionists in Rome, preaching on the passion of Christ and tending the sick, the dying and the lapsed.

October is Safeguarding month in the Diocese.

The parish and Diocesan Safeguarding Teams work hard all year to assure our Churches are a safe space for children.

We welcome all children and young people to participate fully in the life of the parish, whether it be attendance at Mass and the Sacraments, as Altar Servers, Choir, Children's Liturgy, Pray and Play, Youth Ministry etc.

Feel free to contact the parish office for details. We look forward to seeing you.



Safeguarding Prayer

Lord Jesus,

Hear our voices as we pray for your care and protection.

Strengthen and guide us as we strive to make our Catholic communities a safe place for all.

We especially ask that the children and vulnerable adults you entrust to our care are protected.

Give us the wisdom and courage to listen with open hearts, see with open eyes, and speak out to ensure children and vulnerable adults are safe, loved, respected, and cared for.

May we also pray for those who have been harmed. Give them the courage to seek the truth and to heal.

Lord, you call us to walk with integrity in the service of others. May we all strive to understand our collective responsibility to work together to safeguard our Catholic communities.

Guide us as we build a community that fosters everyone to flourish and be safe.

We ask this through Christ, Our Lord, Amen.

The next meeting of Cork Regional Pioneer Council will take place in the Parish Centre Wilton at 8p.m. on Wednesday 18th October.