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## Message by Parish Priest



Dear Friends

The feast and its objectives: All baptized Christians who have died and are now with God in glory are considered saints. All Saints Day is intended to honor the memory of countless unknown and uncanonized saints who have no feast days. Today we thank God for giving ordinary men and women a share in His holiness and Heavenly glory as a reward for their Faith. This feast is observed to teach us to honor the saints, both by imitating their lives and by seeking their intercession for us before Christ, the only mediator between God and man (1 Tm 2:5). The Church reminds us today that God's call for holiness is universal, that all of us are called to live in His love and to make His love real in the lives of those around us. Holiness is related to the word wholesomeness. We grow in holiness when we live wholesome lives of integrity, truth, justice, charity, mercy, and compassion, sharing our blessings with others.

Reasons why we honor the saints: 1- The saints put their trust in Christ and lived heroic lives of Faith. St. Paul asks us to serve and honor such noble souls. In his Epistles to the Corinthians, to Philip and to Timothy, he advises Christians to welcome, serve and honor those who have put their trust in Jesus. The saints enjoy Heavenly bliss as a reward for their Faith in Jesus. Hence, they deserve our veneration of them. 2- The saints are our role models. They teach us by their lives that Christ's holy life of love, mercy and unconditional forgiveness can, with the grace of God.

Walking on the path of compassion we can be the messenger of God to anyone. Today we are going through things that our generation has never experienced. Everything has halted. The speed in which we were moving has been suddenly stopped. Old things are replaced with new trends. A total change everywhere.

In this trying times to be a messenger of God, we have to have a lot of compassion. This is what we read in the life of saints. They were ordinary men and women. But, whoever came into contact with them had the experience of God in their presence, their words and their actions. Today we need many more saints to pass on the compassion of God to a suffering world. And that mission is on us. To be messengers of God we should go ahead and do whatever little bit we can and let everybody experience God through us.

Happy Feast to all. May we become the messengers of God in our own situations.

## Parish Priest

Fr. Lawrence PR

## Asst. Parish Priests

Fr. John Britto

Fr. Shinil Jacob

Fr. Arokia Raj

## Mass Timings

## Saturdays

6.00 pm (Eng)

Anticipated Mass

## Sundays

9.00 am - English

10.30 am - Hindi

11.45 am - English

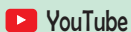
6.00 pm - English

Live streaming  
of Holy Mass

Sunday:

9:00 am - English

10:30 am - Hindi



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CelebrantEnglish 9:00 am  
Msgr. Susai SebastianHindi 10:30 am  
Fr. John BrittoEnglish 11:45 am  
Fr. Sushil ModiEnglish 6:00 pm  
Msgr. Eugene H Pereira

# ((( SUNDAY READINGS & REFLECTION )))

## 1st Reading: Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14

St John in his vision sees a great multitude from every nation clothed in white robes obtained on account of their faith in Christ crucified.

## Response Ps: 23

Such are the men who seek your face, O Lord.

## 2nd Reading: 1 John 2:7-9, 13

St John teaches us that when the Lord Jesus appears again we shall be like him for we are God's children.

## Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a

The beatitudes from the summit of Jesus Sermon on the Mount. They project qualities and experiences that are essential to build a good Christian conduct.

## Prayers of the Faithful:

Lord, may the saints intercede for us.

## पहला पाठ: प्रकाशना का ग्रन्थ 7:2 - 4, 9 - 14

मैंने सभी प्रजातियों, वंशों, राष्ट्रों और भाषाओं का एक ऐसा विशाल जनसमूह देखा, जिसकी गिनती कोई भी नहीं कर सकता।

## अनुवाक्य: भजन स्तोत्र 23

हे प्रभु! ये हैं वे लोग जो तेरे दर्शनों के लिए तरसते हैं।

## दूसरा पाठ: योहन का पहला पत्र 3:1-3

हम ईश्वर को वैसा ही देखेंगे जैसा कि वह वास्तव में है।

## सुसमाचार: सन्त मन्ती 5:1-12

खुश हो और आनन्द मनाओ—स्वर्ब में तुम्हें महान् पुरस्कार प्राप्त होगा।

## विश्वासियों के निवेदन

हे पिता, हमारी प्रार्थना सुन।

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3- The saints are our heavenly mediators who intercede for us before Jesus, the only mediator between God and us. (James: 5/16-18, Exodus: 32/13, Jer. 15:1, Revel. 8:3-4,)

4- The saints are the instruments that God uses to work miracles at present, just as He used the rod of Moses (Exodus), the bones of the dead (II Kings 13/21), the towel of Paul (Acts 19:12) and the shadow of Peter (Acts 5:15) to work miracles.

So to become a Saint we can practice the guidelines given by three Teresas: 1- St. Teresa of Avila: Recharge your spiritual batteries every day by prayer, namely, listening to God and talking to Him. 2- St. Teresa of Lisieux: Convert every action into prayer by offering it to the glory of God and salvation of souls and by doing God's will to the best of one's ability. 3- Saint Mother Teresa: Do ordinary things with great love.

# CHURCH NOTICES

**ALL SAINTS DAY- 01-11-2020**

**1. CHANGE IN MASS TIMINGS:** From today, we are switching over to Winter Mass Timings. Please take note of the change: On Weekdays: -Morning Mass at 6:30am and Evening Mass at 06:00pm. On Sundays: - Morning Masses: No change. Evening Mass at 06:00pm.

**2. ALL SOULS DAY:** Tomorrow 2nd of November, we commemorate ALL SOULS DAY. This year due to protocol on public gatherings because of Covid Pandemic, we will not have the Holy Mass both at Paharganj and Prithviraj Cemeteries. However, graves will be blessed at both the places. Timing of all Souls Day Masses in Cathedral:

Mass in English at 6.30am, 9.00am and 6.00pm. Mass in Hindi at 01.00pm

**3. MEMORIAL GARDEN:** Tomorrow we are making a memorial garden for all the departed members of our families. You are requested to join the service immediately after the 6.00 pm mass in front of Church Garden.

**4. MISSION SUNDAY CALENDARS:** Mission Sunday calendars costing Rs. 10/ are available at the book stall and Help Desk.

**5. MISSION SUNDAY ENVELOPES:** Those who have taken the Mission Sunday Envelopes are requested to bring back the same with your contributions by next Sunday.

**6. Coming Friday, 6th November** being the First Friday of the month, there will be a Divine Mercy Mass at 3.00 pm.

**7. SEMINARY FUND:** Next Sunday being Second Sunday of the month, there will be a second collection towards Seminary Fund.

**8. HYMN BOOKS:** Due to Covid Pandemic, hymn books are not provided in the Church. However, you can buy your personal hymn books from the Parish Book Stall or from the Volunteers outside the Church. The price of a hymn book is Rs. 130.

**Fr. Lawrence PR**  
**Parish Priest**

## READINGS OF THE WEEK

**02 Mon:** Wis 3:1-9 / Rom 5:5-11 or  
Rom 6:3-9/Jn 6:37-40

**03 Tue:** Phil 2:5-11 / Ps 22 / Lk 14: 15-24

**04 Wed:** Phil 2:12-18 / Ps 27/ Lk 14:25-33

**05 Thu:** Phil 3:3-8 / Ps 105 / Lk 15:1-10

**06 Fri:** Phil 3:17-4:1 / Ps 122/ Lk 16:1-8

**07 Sat:** Phil 4:10-19 / Ps 112/ Lk 16:9-15



**We pray that the  
progress of robotics  
and artificial intelligence  
may always serve  
humankind.**

-Pope Francis-

## ALL SOULS DAY

Jesus, dear Savior, on this day we prayerfully remember all our loved ones who have died. Please give them comfort and hope and may they be at peace, knowing that they will rest in God's arms eternally. Thank You for our memories of them and for the good times we shared. We ask you, please, through their intercession, to deepen our faith, strengthen our hope and increase our love that wem too, may someday stand before You, ready to enter Your Holy Kingdom. Amen.



## FEASTS OF THE WEEK

**02 Mon: All Souls Day.**

**03 Tue: St Martin de Porres**

**04 Wed: St Charles Borromeo**

**05 Thu: St Bertilla**

**06 Fri: St Leonard**

**07 Sat: St Willibrord**



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**3) Amount transferred, 4) Details of payment**

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“प्रभु! हम किसके पास जायें!  
आपके ही शब्दों में अनंत जीवन का सन्देश है।”  
योहान 6:68

हे प्रभु, तू हमारे लिए क्रूस पर  
मर गया ताकि हमें जीवन  
प्राप्त हो और परिपूर्ण जीवन  
प्राप्त हो। हम अपने पापों को  
स्वीकारते और स्वयं को तेरे  
चरणों में सौंपते हुए तेरी दया  
की भीख मांगते हैं। प्रभु हमारी  
रक्षा कर कि हम कोविड-19  
महामारी से नष्ट न हो जाएं।  
तेरी असीम दया और प्रेम पर  
ही हमारा भरोसा है।  
आमेन

“Lord, to whom shall we go? you  
have the words of eternal life.”  
John 6:68

**Lord Jesus, you died for  
us that we may have life  
and have it in all its  
fullness. We surrender  
our lives to you  
confessing our sins and  
begging for your mercy.  
Save us Lord from this  
terrible COVID-19  
pandemic lest we perish.  
We trust in your infinite  
kindness and love.  
Amen.**