

Galway Cathedral Newsletter

12 October 2025 Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CATHEDRAL NEWS

November Lists of the Dead are available at all the doors – please return your list before 2 November.

Youth 2000 Gathering on Wednesday at 7:00pm.

The Offertory Collection last Sunday amounted to €3,311.91 – sincere thanks to all who continue to support the Cathedral in this way.

Mission Sunday Collection — There is a second collection at all Sunday masses next weekend; proceeds go to the Congregation for the Evangelisation of Peoples in Rome, for use in missionary countries.

Celebrations This Week — Feast of St Luke, evangelist (18 October); memorials of St Teresa of Ávila, virgin & doctor of the Church (15 October), and St Ignatius of Antioch, bishop & martyr (17 October); optional memorials of St Callistus I, pope & martyr (14 October), St Hedwig, religious (16 October), St Margaret Mary Alacoque, virgin (16 October), and St Gall, abbot & missionary (16 October).



Candlelight Rosary Procession

takes place every Sunday in October at 8.00 pm.

Charitable Donation Scheme — If you are an Irish taxpayer and have contributed more than €250 to the Cathedral within a calendar year, you can enhance the value of your donation — at no additional cost to yourself — by filling a CHY4 form (available from the Cathedral office or from the Revenue website) and returning it to the office. This allows us to avail of Revenue's Charitable Donation Scheme and reclaim a portion of the tax paid on the donation. Please contact the office for more details.



VOCATIONS

If you think you may have a vocation to the priesthood, or if you are interested in the religious life and would like to discuss it with someone, please contact Fr Ian O'Neill at galwaypriesthood@gmail.com or 087–2048497.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

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Sat	6:00	Frankie Daly; Daly family		6:00	John Herrick
Sun	9:00	Eileen Fahy	Fri	11:00	Margaret Tivenan
	10:30	Lena & Tom Varley		6:00	Golden Book of Remembrance
	12:30	Jim Roddy	Sat	11:00	Martin Ward
	6:00	Pádraic & Finn O'Malley		6:00	Fr Martin O'Connell; John &
Mon	11:00	Brian Tuohy			Mary O'Connell
	6:00	Bridie Roddy	Sun	9:00	Christy & Peter McGuinn
Tue	11:00	Martin & Bridget Larkin		10:30	Margaret Mary & Seamus
	6:00	Judy Potter			Moran; Moran family
Wed	11:00	Teresa Walsh		12:30	Mary Collins (Month's Mind)
Thur	11:00	Tommy Walsh		6:00	Stiofán De Búrca

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Clergy

Mgr Peter Rabbitte Fr John Gerard Acton Fr Jijo Johney

Mass on Sunday

Sat. 6:00pm; Sun. 9:00am (Gaeilge), 10:30am (choir), 12:30pm, 6:00pm

Mass on Holy Days

Vigil mass at 6:00pm; mass on the day at 11:00am, 6:00pm

Mass on Weekdays

11:00am, 6:00pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday-Saturday, 5:30pm-5:50pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday–Friday, 11:30am–6:00pm Sunday, 1:30pm–6:00pm

Marriage & Baptism

For details & requirements see www. galwaycathedral.ie/liturgy

Cathedral Bookshop

091-531433

Monday–Saturday, 9:30am – 5:15pm; Sunday after each morning mass

Bethany Bereavement Support

Contact the group at 085-2258827

Legion of Mary

Contact: 087-2423068

Safeguarding

Ms Aileen Cawley: 085-2288047

Music at today's 10:30am Mass

Mass Orbis Factor (plainchant)

Jesu rex admirabilis (Palestrina)

Jesus, wonderful king, triumphant and noble, marvellous sweetness, wholly desirable. Stay with us, Lord, and let your light shine on us. Dispel the darkness of our mind; fill the world with your sweetness.

Jesu, joy of man's desiring (Bach)

Jesu, joy of man's desiring, holy wisdom, love most bright, drawn by thee, our souls aspiring soar to uncreated light. Word of God, our flesh that fashioned with the fire of life impassioned, striving still to truth unknown, soaring, dying round thy throne.

Organ postlude: Prelude in D minor (Stanford)