

Saturday	28 Oct	9.00 am 5.30 pm	No Mass Mass	Dursley Nympsfield
Sunday	29 Oct	8.30 am 10.30 am	Mass <i>Janine Daulby Anniv</i> Mass	Dursley Dursley
Monday	30 Oct	9.00 am.	Mass	Dursley
Tuesday	31 Oct	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Wednes- day	1 Nov	10.00 am 7.00 pm	Mass <i>All Saints Mother Gertude RIP</i> Mass	Nympsfield Dursley
Thursday	2 Nov	10.00 am	Mass <i>All Souls</i>	Convent, Nympsfield
Friday	3 Nov	7.00 pm	Mass	Dursley
Saturday	4 Nov	9.00 am 5.30 pm	Mass Mass	Dursley Nympsfield
Sunday	5 Nov	8.30 am 10.30 am	Mass <i>Luciano Iatale & Bambina Troiano</i> Mass <i>Patricia Rudge RIP</i>	Dursley Dursley

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Reconciliation: FRIDAY 6.00 - 6.30 pm at Dursley; SATURDAY 5.00 pm at Nympsfield; or by arrangement..

Refreshments in the church hall after the 10.30 am Mass every Sunday.

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice;
Turn to the Lord and his strength;
Constantly seek his face.

Responsorial Psalm

I love you, Lord, my strength.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! Open our hearts, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon.

We will ring out our joy at your saving help and exult in the name of our God.

PLEASE PRAY FOR the repose of the souls of those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries are at this time; and for the SICK & HOUSEBOUND of our

Parish: G. Dessi, Attracta Rosser, Maire Dykes, V. Festa, Paula Mackie, Mary Phillpott, Maura Fairhurst, Michael Iatalese, Sally Hayward, Frances Hanley, Boby Milczarczyk, Thomas Simonet, Geraldine Donnelly, Zella Courtney, John Lissenden, Maureen Hebron, Chris Keith, Christopher Browne.

Diocesan Prayer Link; Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Churchdown, St Patrick, Brockworth.

Churches Together Prayer Rota The Quarry, URC..

<u>Finance</u>	Dursley £232.13	Nympsfield £89.10
<u>World Mission Sunday</u>	£210.67	£65.30

Survive - Miva

A speaker from Survive-Miva will make an appeal this week-end. This is a Catholic lay association providing funding for essential transport for health outreach work in isolated rural areas, and for the Church's pastoral care in places of difficult access.

Cathedral Upkeep

There will be a second collection next week-end for the upkeep of Clifton Cathedral

Quiz Night at St Dominic's

Saturday 4 November. 6.45 for 7pm. Tickets £5 to include Ploughman's Supper now available. Donations of Raffle Prizes and volunteers to help with catering would be most welcome. See poster for further details.

Blessing of Graves

This will take place after 10.30 am Mass at St Dominic's on Sunday 12 November.

Remembrance Sunday Service, The Cross, Nympsfield

This will take place at 10.45 am on 12 November, followed by the Blessing of Graves in St Joseph's Churchyard.

Fairtrade

Take a look at the stall at St Dominic's for Christmas ideas and ways to support Fairtrade - decent working conditions and a fairer deal for farmers and workers in developing countries.

Work at St Dominic's

The new altar, font and ambo have drawn very positive comments. There is still some finishing off to do. In order to fund this, and some decoration and other works (not to mention a new boiler) and to maintain an adequate reserve in the parish account, we have been aiming to raise an extra £10,000. We have reached nearly £8000! There have been some generous donations. Many thanks. The Rag Bag collection raised over £120.

First Holy Communion

Application forms are available at the back of the church for those wishing to be considered for preparation for First Holy Communion and Reconciliation next year.

Pocket diaries

Please help yourself to a diary at the back in the porch.

Red boxes

Please return your red Missio/APF boxes to St Joseph's or St Dominic's for emptying **by next week**. Thank you. If you do not have a box, would you consider having one?

Friends at Christmas:

Volunteers are urgently required to coordinate guests and transport for this year's lunch on Christmas Day and Boxing Day, without whom the event cannot proceed.

St Joseph's Catholic School.

Open day on Thursday 2 November, 10 am - 12 noon; 1.30 - 2.30 pm. Come and see our marvellous school in action.

Starting School

Parents of children born between 1 September 2013 and 31 August 2014 must apply **now** for a school place for September 2018. Application forms are available from Gloucestershire County Council or you can apply online. You must apply by 15 January 2018. For **St Joseph's Catholic School** please also provide a copy of the child's Baptism certificate.

Confirmation

Bishop Declan confers the Sacrament of Confirmation on candidates from our Deanery (including seven from Dursley and Nympsfield) at a Mass on Tuesday 7 November at 7.00 pm at the Immaculate Conception, Stroud.

Christmas choir

Choir practices for Christmas begin at St Dominic's on Tuesday 14 November at 7.30 pm. New members welcome!

Hall cleaning

Can you help to clean the tables and chairs in St Domenic's hall, 9.30 am - 12.00 noon on Saturday 11 November? The more volunteers, the quicker we can finish the job!

Reflection Evenings for Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

Two evenings one for Ministers (20 November) and one for Readers (21 November) from the Stroud Deanery, 7.00 - 9.00 pm at the Marist Retreat Centre, Nympsfield GL10 3TZ. If you have not attended one of these evenings before you will find it beneficial. The number of places is limited. Please sign up on the lists at back of church by 6 November.