St. Joseph's Passionist Anglophone Mission

**33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME / 15th November 2026**

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**MASS TIMES**: Saturday 6.30pm Vigil
Sunday 9.30am, 11.00am, 12.30pm, 6.30pm Weekdays
8.30am Monday to Friday

**CONFESSION**: Saturday 5.00-6.15pm or on request
**ADORATION**: Saturday 5.00-6.15pm
**CATECHISM**: Saturday from 5-6.15pm & Sunday, 9.30 & 11am
**RCIA**: Thursdays, 7.30pm-9.00pm & Saturdays 5.00-6.15pm
**YAM**: Thursdays 7.30pm-9.00pm
**Bible Sharing** : Tuesdays, 10.30am-12.00noon
**Baptism Course**: Every 1st Saturday of the month
**Baptisms**: Every 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month

**FEAST DAYS** :

Mon. 16 Nov : St. Marguerite, Queen of Scotland
Tues. 17 Nov : St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Wed. 18 Nov : Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul
Thurs. 19 Nov : Feria
Fri. 20 Nov : Feria
Sat. 21 Nov : The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Mass Intentions** :

Sat. 14 Nov, 6.30pm : Teodoro Nismal. 6th Anniv
Sun.15 Nov, 11.00am : For the Sri Lankan Community

**Collections** : 4890€65; **Coffee** : 60€75; **Bookstall** : 25€00.

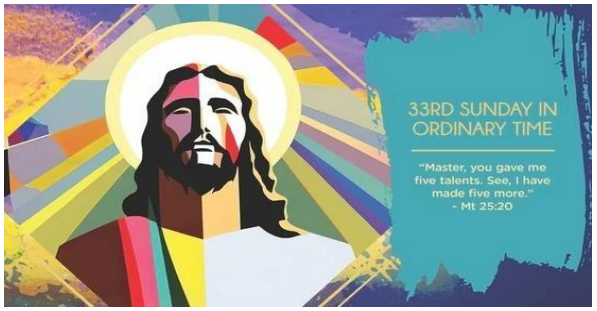
**Funeral MASS of Bruno Schneider**, RIP : Mon. 16 Nov, 10.30am :

**CAKE SALE** by Jenalyn Nismal (cantor), starts this WE on the Parvis on Saturday and Sunday evenings at 6.30pm, to raise funds in building a Chapel in her hometown in the Philippines.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** for Tea and Coffee service after the 9.30 & 11am MASSES.

**BIBLES AND RELIGIOUS items** are now available in our BOOKSTALL. See them in our Display Window in Reception.

**MASS Intention for Jackie Degenhardt, RIP** former ACWO member and parishioner will be on Sunday, 22nd Nov. at 9.30am.




## Sharing the Master's Joy

The thought that actions otherwise worthless in themselves could be somehow redemptive, could serve the growth of God's kingdom upon earth because they were undertaken in obedience to his will…sustained me in joy and drove me on to work ever harder to achieve more perfect communion with God and his will….

In this subtle insight of the soul touched by God's divine power lies the root of true interior joy. And as long as this vision persists, as long as the soul does not lose sight of this great truth, the inner joy and peace that follow upon it persist through even the saddest and gravest moments of human trial and suffering. Pain and suffering do not thereby cease to exist; the ache and anguish of body and soul do not vanish from man's consciousness. But even they become a means of nourishing this joy, of fostering peace and conformity to God's will, for they are seen as a continuation of Christ's Passion…as purposeful, redemptive, healing acts by which the world is reconciled to the will of the Father….

Consoling as conformity to the will of God may be for the soul, as productive of peace and joy as it may prove, it cannot be gained simply for the asking…. For my part, at any rate, I learned it only through the constant practice of prayer, by trying to live always in the presence of God, by trying to see all things as a manifestation of his divine will…. I had continuously to learn to accept God's will—not as I wished it to be, not as it might have been, but as it actually was at the moment. And it was through the struggle to do this that spiritual growth and a greater appreciation of his will took place…. If I wanted to preserve my interior peace and joy I had to have constant recourse to prayer, to the eyes of faith, to a humility that could make me aware of how little my own efforts meant and how dependent I was upon God's grace even for prayer and faith itself.

Father Walter J. Ciszek, s.j.