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**St Theresa of Lisieux Catholic Parish Stansted**

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 Part of a Registered Charity No. 234092 (BRCDT)

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**Thirtieth Sunday** (Weekday Readings 30<sup>th</sup> Week)

**Eucharist Prayer II Memorial Acclamation -1**

**October is the month of the Holy Rosary.** Our Lady is believed to have appeared to St Dominic in 1206 and gave him the Rosary. She explained to him its uses and efficacy. She asked him to treat it as a mighty weapon and preach it to others. Pope Francis asks everyone to pray the Rosary

Date -2024	Time	MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED	LITURGY OF THE DAY
October/Nov		Livestreamed	Div. Off. Psalter Week 2
Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup>	6.00 pm	For Peter Zurenkas R.I.P (John & Catriona's sympathy)	30 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Vigil Mass
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup>	8.30 am 10.00 am	For the anniversary of Donna Kingston R.I.P For Violet's intentions and healing	<b>30<sup>th</sup> Sunday year B</b>
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup>			St Simon and Jude
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	For the welfare and intentions of Anne Watson & family	Feria
Wed 30 <sup>th</sup>	12.30 pm	The intentions & prayers for Mark Sullivan who is ill	Feria
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup>	10.00 am 7.00 pm	For Teresa Orango R.I.P For our departed souls especially those in purgatory	Feria <b>ALL SAINTS</b>
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	12.00 pm	Intentions and prayers of the people of the parish	<b>ALL SAINTS</b>
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	10.00 am 6.00 pm	Commemoration of the departed Souls For the holy souls, those of our parish, families & friends	<b>All Souls</b> <b>31<sup>st</sup> Sunday Vigil Mass</b>
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	8.30 am 10.00 am	For Karen Rooney R.I.P ( by Dodd Family) For Carmen's welfare & for Alejandra Martinez R.I.P	<b>31<sup>st</sup> Sunday</b> Year B

**ALL SAINTS MASS, a Holiday of Obligation, will be celebrated on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October at 7.00 pm and Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November at 12.00 pm. Everyone is required to attend to pray for a special grace and blessing, preparing us for our heavenly homeland.**

**All Souls Mass** will be celebrated on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 10.00 am. Everyone is invited to this Mass and to pray for our departed Souls. The Church appeals to all of us to pray for the dead and visit a cemetery. Please book a holy Mass for the dead.

**A Prayer to St Anne for all families**

**Dear St Anne,** mother of Mary and grandmother of Jesus. Pray for our families in every generation. Help our children and grandchildren to grow in faith and to live their lives in loving service to others and in gratitude and praise to God. Be with elderly members of our families who need comfort and courage as they face the problems and pains of old age. Be with parents as they try to do the best for their children in giving an example of faithfulness and true values. We ask your help for members of our family who are sick or in need at this time, and especially for those families who are broken and suffering. St Anne, mother, grandmother, friend, pray for us all. Amen. Hail Mary....

**Christmas Shoeboxes**

The Wednesday Club will be packing them and would be very grateful for any donations of small toys, soap, shampoo or colouring pencils, pens and books, gloves and hats. The age groups are from 5- 14. They are delivered in person through Teams4U. A Poster with more details will be on our noticeboard.

**Donations of £2,380 gratefully received for Mass Books. A BIG THANK-YOU for your generosity. We are nearly there. We now need only one set of Mass Books costing £376.20. You can donate one or two Mass Books retailing at £5.95 each or 10 Mass Books costing £59.50. THANK YOU SO MUCH.**

**Confessions Saturdays at 5.15 pm to 5.45pm**

**Offertory:** Thank you very much for your generous support. Cheques are made payable to: **Catholic Church Stansted St Therasas**. For online donations, our parish Account Number: **41017519**, Sort Code: **401322**, and account name: **Catholic Church Stansted St Therasas**.

Date	Gift Aid	Loose Cash	Standing Order	Total Collection
13/10/24	£70.00	£143.00	£444.00	£657.00

**CALLING ALL CHILDREN!** Would you like to do something really special this Christmas Eve and take part in our Children's Christmas Mass? Have you always wanted to carry up the offertory, read out a prayer or perhaps dress up as a shepherd or an angel? Well, this is your chance! We are looking for child volunteers to help act out the Gospel, readers, greeters, collectors and more! All ages of children welcome to join in. Please contact Leanne on 07754194929 or [leanne.daly@hotmail.com](mailto:leanne.daly@hotmail.com) for more information.

**Wednesday Picnic Group** meets this Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> October, 10-12pm, for all those children not in school. All are welcome. **Please Note** the Hall is not available to all on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November.

**A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:  
 Holy Mass for our deceased  
 Priests on Wednesday  
 20<sup>th</sup> November 2024 at 10.30 am**

Everyone is invited for a Holy Mass for our deceased priests during the Month of Holy Souls. The Deanery Clergy (19 of them) will be in attendance. We all pray for our departed priests who have served us in this deanery. Please let us all make an effort to come to this special Mass.

**The Visit and Retreat of St Mary's** Secondary School, Year 7, last Friday went very well. I am grateful to Tom who organised the visit. I am also grateful to the School for their donation of £300 to our parish.

**Dates for the First Holy Communion Lessons** taking place on Saturdays at 10.30 am as follows: (a) 09/11/2024, (b) 23/11/2024, (c) 14/12/2024 and (d) 21/12/24. The dates for 2025 meetings will be given later. A second lesson takes place on the same dates at 2.00 pm with Fr. Clement for those with unique situations. The lessons are led by Fr Clement and attendance is mandatory. We need your prayers

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