



# Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

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## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B, 13 OCTOBER 2024

### MASS SCHEDULES

#### Monday - Thursday

No public Mass

#### Friday – Saturday

9am (Adoration)

9.30am

#### Sunday

6pm (Saturday Vigil  
in Polish)

10.30am (English)

#### Confessions

Saturday

10.00am (After Mass)

or call to make an  
appointment.

The story of the man who asked Jesus as a serious question and received an unwelcome answer is another famous passage which is likely to prove uncomfortable for some hearers today. It is also a problem for followers of the 'prosperity gospel', which holds that wealth is a sign of divine approval. Note that Mark does not call him a young man and only at the end of the encounter are his riches mentioned. Also the story about the eye of a needle being a narrow gate to Jerusalem dates only from the 15th century. The hardness of Jesus's saying is not to be played down in this way, especially as the book of Wisdom says *I held riches as nothing*. In spite of this, the disciples were astounded because this view of wealth was not common at the time. Yet in the cases both of Wisdom and of the disciples who protested that they had given up everything to follow Jesus the common thread is the contact with something or someone of great value which was the impulse to see riches as unimportant - that there was a greater prize to be won. There is another condition that Jesus attaches: to give the money to the poor, and this is a partial escape route for the rich, who might at least take note that the poor exist (remember Dives and Lazarus) and engage in redistribution. And see Pope Francis *Evangelii Gaudium* §§ 186 ff. [Liturgy planner](#).

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### For Today Mass

#### Responsorial psalm

Fill us with your love that we  
may rejoice.

#### Gospel acclamation

Blessed are you, Father,  
Lord of heaven and earth,  
for revealing the mysteries  
of the kingdom to mere  
children.

Nie wystarczy przestrzegać idealnie Boże przykazania, aby wejść do Nieba. Trzeba nadto być wolnym od wszelkiego przywiązania. Nie można nic posiadać w pełnym tego słowa znaczeniu. Wszystko co mamy, powinniśmy mieć dla innych. Jeśli nawet coś z tego co mamy służy nam samym, to powinno nam służyć dla życia dla innych. Jakikolwiek przejaw życia, który nie jest w jakiś sposób byciem dla innych, nie jest przejawem życia, ale śmierci. Innymi słowy: jeśli komuś to co ma nie służy do tego, aby kochać jest bardzo biednym człowiekiem – ma mniej niż nic. MATEUSZ.PL

**SAINTS DAYS  
and SPECIAL  
OBSERVANCES THIS  
WEEK**

Monday 14th October  
**28th Week of Year B**

Tuesday 15th October  
**St Teresa of Jesus**

Wednesday 16th October  
**28th Week of Year B**

Thursday 17th October  
**St Ignatius of Antioch**

Friday 18th October  
**St Luke**

Saturday 19th October  
**28th Week of Year B**

**PRAYERS**

Please pray for the  
repose of the soul of  
those whose  
anniversaries occur  
about this time

**Eternal rest grant  
unto their souls,  
O Lord. May they  
rest in peace. Amen.**

**MISSIO SCOTLAND**

This Sunday is the World  
Day of Prayer for the  
Missions.

**SECOND COLLECTION**  
for the work of the  
propagation of the faith

**Communication  
Consent & Parish  
Registration Form**

The RC Diocese of Aberdeen is  
committed to ensuring that any  
information we hold about  
individuals is properly and  
securely managed in  
accordance with legal  
requirements on data protection  
and direct marketing.

Please complete new form if  
you would like to register as a  
parishioner within the Diocese  
of Aberdeen or update your  
previous parish registration, and  
to give your consent to the  
Diocese for holding and  
processing your personal data  
for the below mentioned  
specific purposes. Return the  
completed form to your Parish  
Office or Parish Priest.

**NEW PARISH  
PRIEST**

From 1st November Fr Piotr  
will be parish priest at Our  
Lady of Aberdeen Kincorth  
and Polish Chaplain for  
Aberdeen. His last Mass at  
OLMC Banff will be on  
26/27 October.

Pastoral care of this parish  
will pass to Fr Bruno Murphy  
and Fr Christopher Doig from  
Fraserburgh and Peterhead.

**OCTOBER ROSARY**

October is the Month  
of the Rosary. Every  
day Decade of the  
Rosary will be said:

- Weekdays  
during adoration
- Sundays after  
every Mass

From Friday Fr Piotr  
will be away for two  
Sundays

In emergency please  
contact

Fr Bruno Murphy  
from Fraserburgh  
01346 518215

No weekday Masses  
Sunday Mass as usually

**COLLECTIONS**

Sunday's Collection

6 October 2024

Cash - £233.70

Gift Aid - £60.00

*Thank you for your donations*

**SEPTEMBER 2024  
FINANCES**

Income: £18881.86

Expenses: £1365.77

**Balance: £17516.09**

Bank account: £30796.71

**TEA AND COFFEE  
AFTER MASS**