



**OUR LADY IMMACULATE AND ST. ETHELBERT'S PARISH,  
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**26<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (B)**

We welcome all to today's Mass, especially visitors and friends who are celebrating with us.

**SUN 29/09/2024 MASS: 9:00am** Giuseppe Pagnoni RIP, Frank Fernandes RIP, Tataliana Healing  
Oforka Family Thanksgiving for Blessings and Protection **MASS: 11am:** Olive Fernandes Thanksgiving for everyone's prayers,  
Noah Fernandes Birthday  
**Mass: 6.30pm**

**MON: MASS: 9.30am:** Morning Prayer **Mass: 10.00am** A. Macdonald RIP, Tataliana Thanksgiving

**TUES: MASS: 9.30am:** Morning Prayer

**Mass: 10.00am**

**WED MASS: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 4pm – 6.30pm**

**Mass 6.30pm:** Evald Almeida RIP

**THURSDAY: 9.30am:** Morning Prayer **Mass: 10.00am**

**Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10.30am - 1 pm**

**FRIDAY: Exposition of the Holy Sacrament: 10 am – 12.15 pm**

**MASS: 12:30pm** A. Macdonald RIP, Carlos Pereira RIP, Pereira Family RIP, Ernestina, Eugenio & Fr. Alex Pereira RIP

**SATURDAY: 9.30am:** Morning Prayer **Mass: 10.00am**

**SUN 06/10/2024 MASS: 9:00am MASS: 11am: Mass: 6.30pm**

**CONFESSIONS: Available this week on, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday during the Exposition of the Holy Sacrament. Please contact Father at the Presbytery if you would like him to hear your confession during this period if he is not already in the confessional.**

**OFFICE HOURS: THURSDAY 1pm until 7pm – Please come to the Presbytery with your enquiries.**

**MINISTRIES:**

**Readers for this Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> September**

**9am Mass:** Jim B, Perase T, Sr. Caroline

**11am Mass:** Patrick I, Lawrence A, Rosemary M.

**6.30pm Mass:**

**Readers for Next Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> October**

**9am Mass:** Angel D, Aleluia A, Perase T.

**11am Mass:** Fozia K, Tara I, Koyenum A.

**6.30pm Mass:**

**Eucharistic Ministers for this Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> September**

**9am Mass:** Alice S, John McN, Chris L

**11am Mass:** Rosemary M, Jessicah M, Jan M.

**6.30pm Mass:**

**Next Sunday Eucharistic Ministers, 6<sup>th</sup> October**

**9am Mass:** Chris L, Natalina S, John McN.

**11am Mass:** Mathew T, Clara C, Jessicah M.

**6.30pm Mass:**

**OFFERTORY PROCESSION**

**This Sunday: 9am:** Paschalia

**Next Sunday:**

**Our Readings for the Day**

**First Reading: Numbers 11:25-29**

If only the whole people of the Lord were prophets!

**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 18(19):8,10,12-14**

The precepts of the Lord gladden the heart.

**Second Reading: James 5:1-6**

The Lord hears the cries of those you have cheated

**Gospel: Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48**

Do not stop anyone from working a miracle in my name

Thank you for your generous giving, May God bless you.

**St Ethelbert's Bank Details for Bank Transfers:**

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## Notices:

**Second Collection:** On Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> October there will be a second collection for CAFOD at all masses. There are Fast Day Envelopes available to use should require it on the table at the back of the church.

**2025 First Holy Communion and Confirmation:** If you would like to put your child forward to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2025, application forms are now available in the spiral unit at the back of the church. Once completed please return the First Holy Communion forms to Sr. Nicholas or Fr. Pius and the Confirmation Forms to Fr. Pius by 30<sup>th</sup> September.

**Youth Meeting & Mass:** The next youth meeting will take place on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October at 12pm and the Youth Mass will take place on Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> October at 11am. Parents, please encourage your children to attend.

**Annual Mass Count:** We will have a parish count at all masses this Sunday. Those doing the count should put their figures on the form in the sacristy.

**Becoming a Catholic:** If you would like to become a Catholic, we will begin the RCIA programme in October 2024. Please put your name and contact details down at the back of the church and we will be in touch.

**Daily Rosary in October:** October is the month dedicated to Our Lady and to honour her we will say the Rosary half an hour before each mass. If you would like to lead the Rosary on any particular day, please put your name down on the list at the back of the church. During the week and on Saturday, the morning prayer will take place 15 mins earlier than scheduled. Please refer to the newsletter for the adjusted times on various days.

**Invitation to Missio Mass:** Fr. Anthony Chantry MHM, Missio National Director, invites their Red Box holders and all Missio supporters to a Mass celebrated by Bishop Paul McAleenan. See notice board for further details.

### Season Of Creation

The beginning of September saw the start of the ecumenical initiative focussed on our environment, the Season of Creation. The theme for this year's Season of Creation is 'Hope and Act With Creation'. Pope Francis' message for the season [can be viewed here](#)

**Car Park & Permit Renewals:** If you are parking your car in the church car park for more than an hour please park at the back of the church in a considerate way. Please ensure that your car is registered if not you will get a parking ticket.

There is a list of cars on the notice board and the back of the church whose permits are due to end shortly. Please fill in a short-term car permit application if you wish to renew.

**Mass Offering (Intentions):** If you would like to offer a mass for your intentions, please use the offering envelope which is available in the spiral unit at the back of the church. This can be put into the letterbox at the Presbytery or given to Fr. Pius after the mass. Please allow us 7 working days before your intention is due so that we can get the detail into our newsletter and ensure that your intention is offered on the correct day.

**External door to the Toilet:** If you happen to use the church toilet, please ensure that you close the external door as we have issues with mice gaining access if it is left open.

**Parish Registration:** We continue to encourage those by typing the link into your browser. [www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086](http://www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086) and completing the registration form. During the registration you will also have the opportunity to sign up for the parish newsletter as well as our parish. This can now be done online do sign up for this. If you don't have an email address, please speak to the parish who can complete the form on your behalf.