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33rd SUNDAY IN OT — 15th November 2026: Year A

"You have been faithful over a little, enter into the joy of your master."



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Sunday Readings
Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31
PSALM 128(127)
1 Thessalonians 5:1-6
Matthew 25:14-30

The Pope's Prayer Intention for the month of November

For the proper use of wealth.
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of the common good in solidarity with those who have less.

Please pray for the sick and housebound of our parishes:

Kevin Weardan, Victoria Leighton, Ellie Rose, Joe McIntyre, John Riley, Joe Kemp, Amanda, David Cochrane, Jessica, Christine, Patricia Sweeney, Josie Bateman, Barbara Black, Caspia Bragagnini, Valerie Tudor, Adrian Tudor.

To have the name of a seriously sick person on the newsletter, please submit their name and yours with your phone number.

*****MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS*****

***Saturday** – 14th November EP1* *33rd Sunday in OT*	6:00pm	**OLSE**	
Sunday –15th November *33rd Sunday in OT*	**8:45am** 10:30am	**OLSE** SMN	In remembrance of the deceased members of the NORONHA family
Monday – 16th November	**9:05am**	**OLSE**	Year 5 (Being present)
Tuesday – 17th November *St. Leo the Great, Pope& Doctor*	**4:00pm**	**OLSE**	
Wednesday –18th November	7:00pm	SMN	
Friday – 20th November	**9.00am**	**OLSE**	
***Saturday** — 21st November* *34th Sunday in OT– EP1*	**6:00pm**	**OLSE**	
Sunday 22nd November** 2026* ***Our LordJC, King of the Universe	**8:45am** 10:30am	**OLSE** SMN	Mrs. Eileen Hughes R.I.P.

Confession available at Our Lady & St Edward's & St Mary's, Newhouse after Mass.
SMF (FERNYHALGH) Mass Schedule - NO MASSES on Mondays & Fridays.
Tuesdays @9:00am, Wednesdays@9:00am, Thursdays @9:00am,
Saturdays @12noon-Ladyewell Shrine, SUNDAYS@10:00am and 3:00pm

Today's Gospel Reflection

The talent was the single largest unit of money in the ancient Near East, an amount that would take an ordinary labourer sixteen years to earn. The parable wants us to see that the amount the master entrusts to his servants is worth a fortune. It is the master who takes the first risk as he involves his servants in his enterprise. In the light of the master's generosity and trust, the nonaction of the third servant is inexcusable. It is a passive-aggressive way of avoiding responsibility and rejecting his master's trust. Not only is this servant ungrateful, but with his twisted reasoning, he lays the blame for his inaction and laziness on his master's demanding character. He has misread his master's benevolence and allowed an imaginary anxiety to paralyze him and rob him of every opportunity to share his master's joy. The parable invites us to examine the mental image we have of God. For in many ways, it shapes our worldview, determines the kind of person that we become, influences our behaviour and the choices and decisions that direct us to our final destiny.

Lord Jesus, help us to dispel any mental image of God that makes us doubt his goodness and mercy. Amen.

Sr. Bernadita Dianzon fsp

1. **Today World Day of the Poor**
2. Next Sunday is Christ, King of the Universe, Solemnity
3. Next Sunday is Youth Day – Collection for Youth Services.