

**5/6 NOVEMBER
2022**

**PARISH OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
FAVERSHAM AND SURROUNDING VILLAGES**

WHITEFRIARS, 35 TANNERS STREET, FAVERSHAM ME13 7JW

OUR CHURCH IS OPEN EVERY DAY FROM 8AM – 7PM VIA THE SHRINE OF ST JUDE, ACCESSED FROM THE CAR PARK BEHIND THE CHURCH

THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY YEAR C



PRAYER AND MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer 9.40am Monday – Saturday

Evening Prayer 6.00pm Monday - Friday



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| SATURDAY 5TH | 10.00AM | Catherine & Lewin George French, RIP |
| | 6.00PM | Ray Smith RIP |
| SUNDAY 6TH | 9.00AM | People of the Parish |
| | 10.00AM | Perera Family intentions (Sandy, Sam, Nathalia & Sebastian) |
| MONDAY 7TH | 10.00AM | Mehlin & Collier families – living and dead |
| TUESDAY 8TH | 10.00AM | John Mehlin, RIP – birthday |
| <i>ST ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY</i> | | |
| WEDNESDAY 9TH | 10.00AM | McCarthy & Frawley – deceased |
| THURSDAY 10TH | 10.00AM | Dec'd members of the Lane, Shinn & McCabe family |
| FRIDAY 11TH | 10.00AM | Welfare of Francis & Ann Fleming |
| SATURDAY 12TH | 10.00AM | Mary Frith – operation |
| | 6.00PM | Special intentions |
| SUNDAY 13TH | 9.00AM | People of the Parish |
| REMEMBRANCE DAY | 10.30AM | Deceased Perera family (Rogus, Reginald, Agnes, Sebastian & Elizabeth) |

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Sarah Dean, Annette Wiggins, Molly Barret, Olivia Durkin, Richard Murray, Janet Daly, Louise Marshallsay, Peter Greene, Patrick Mongan, Maureen Watters, Jerry McDonagh, Brigid Rowe, Martin Hayes, Betty Bushell, Ralph George, Nell Goodwin, Ann Rake, Sammy, Shelagh Bradley, Margaret Bridgen, Bill and Millie Castelino, Wendy Coley, Bob Costa, Ted Davis, Ian Davison, Michael Earls, Lucas Harmsworth, Gladys Hatch, Barnaby Marchant, Terry Newbery, Gail O'Connor, Joan O'Sullivan, Julian Philips, Lola Rinvoluceri, Mario Rinvoluceri, Ginny & Richard Woodrooffe and Paul Williams. **AND OTHERS FOR WHOM WE HAVE BEEN ASKED TO PRAY** including Callum, Martin (mental health), Zac Dempsey; Ruby & Chris; McCarthy & Donovan family; Dean Draper & family

PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY, including Mary O'Brien, Sheila Rowe, Bishop Howard Tripp, Marie Griffin, Chinh Tran, Pat Bursey, **as well as those whose anniversaries are around this time, including** Linda & Rachel Bishop, Patrick Kelly, James Kilcoyne, Edward Ardizzone, Doris Walker, Nick Brian, Dave Richards, Eileen Whiffin, Agnes Sbarra and Ivy Kilcoyne.

**May they and all the faithful departed through the mercy of God
rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen.**

This week's scripture readings can be found at

<https://universalis.com/europe.english.southwark/20221106/mass.htm>

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SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY A huge thank-you is extended to the parish community for your very generous response to the appeal last weekend. A total of just over £925 was received and as you will have heard from the various speakers, every penny will be used to help the poorest and most vulnerable in the local area. It is a genuine form of evangelisation and our parish is rightly proud of work carried out in our name. If you would like to join this wonderful group, please speak to any of them or let the parish know and we will pass on your details.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE OF THE DEAD The month of November has traditionally been a time when we remember those who have died. The Altar List of the Dead will also be prayed for each day at Mass and any names you might wish to add can be placed by the Altar any day from November 1st. If you cannot get to church, please email the names or drop them off in an envelope and we will add them for you.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR The date of December 10th has been booked for the Christmas Bazaar in the Alexander Centre; more information will come next week but if you would like to get involved, please let us know and we will put you in touch with the organising team. Grand Draw tickets will be for sale now at £1 each.

THE ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP) would like to thank both the members of our parish and visitors so much for, once again, demonstrating your amazing generosity in responding to last Sunday's second collection for the Society. It took our breath away as we rely completely on donations to carry out our work and we do assure you that every penny you gave will be spent as wisely as possible for the benefit of our beneficiaries in these very difficult times. God bless you.

CARMEL HALL should be available for teas and coffees after Mass this Sunday, all going well. On Monday we are looking for a few helpers to clean and prepare it for regular use. If you have a couple of hours to spare, please do join us from 11.00am. Thank you.

FIRST COMMUNION The new programme begins on Sunday next at 9.30am in Carmel Hall. Please keep in your prayers the children, their families and their catechists. Thank you.

CONFIRMATION MASS Please remember in your prayers the young people of our parish who are preparing to celebrate the sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday, 19th November.

ST ELIZABETH OF THE TRINITY – CARMELITE Elizabeth Catez was born July 18th 1880 in Campo d'Avor near Bourges, France, and was baptized four days later. In 1887, her family moved to Dijon where her father died the same year. On April 19th 1890, she made her First Communion and the following year, was confirmed. In 1894, she took a vow of virginity. Feeling called to enter the religious life, she asked permission of her mother to enter Carmel but she received a firm refusal, and her mother only finally gave way on condition that Elizabeth waited until she was older. On August 2nd 1901, she entered the Carmel at Dijon where she was clothed in the habit on December 8th, 1901. She made her religious profession on January 11th 1903 and January 21st the same year she was given the monastic veil. The five years that she spent in religious life brought her ever closer to God although the Lord tested her with many spiritual trials and severe physical suffering due to Addison's disease which finally brought about her death on Nov. 9th 1906. She was canonised in 2016 and her feast day is November 8th.

FR PETER GELDARD will be here on Sunday next to celebrate our Sunday morning Masses as I will be in Ireland for a family celebration. I am sure you will make him very welcome as always. Kevin.

OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY A COMMUNITY OF CARMELITE FRIARS

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