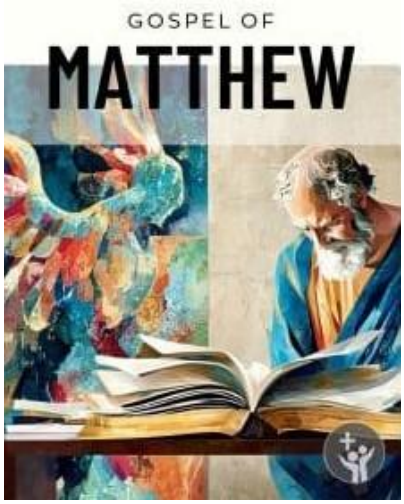
Prayer of the Faithful



Weekend 7th & 8th November 2026
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. We pray for our Pope, Leo, and for all the leaders of the Church that, through their preaching of the Gospel, they may bring the light of hope to the world. Lord, hear us.

2. We pray for ourselves, that in these difficult times we may never lose sight of the really important things in life. Lord, hear us.

3. We pray for all those who are grieving the loss of loved ones. We ask God to comfort them and to fill their hearts with hope. Lord, hear us.

4. We ask God to be present in a special way with those members of our community who are ill or are in hospital. Lord, hear us.

Prayer of the Faithful



Weekend 14th & 15th November 2026
Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. We pray for our Holy Father, Pope Leo, and for all the leaders of our church. May they inspire all people to recognise and respect the wonderful gift of life that God has given us. Lord, hear us.

2. We thank God for the various gifts and talents that he has given to each of us. We pray that we may use them to enrich the lives of those around us. Lord, hear us.

3. We pray for all parents, as they give of their best to provide a loving and caring home for all their children. May God continue to bless them and their children with health and happiness. Lord, hear us.

4. We remember those who work in the caring professions; doctors, nurses, home-care personnel. Through their skill and compassion may God's healing love touch all those in their care. Lord, hear us.

Prayer of the Faithful



Weekend 21st & 22nd November 2026
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

1. We pray for all the leaders of our church. That they may give an example to the world of loving service to the poor and the needy. Lord, hear us.

2. We pray for world leaders. That they may work for a fair distribution of the world's wealth and the world's food so that all starving people need go hungry no more. Lord, hear us.

3. We pray for ourselves. That the words of Jesus, "Whatever you do to the least of my brothers and sisters you do to me", may influence how we treat all those we meet every day. Lord, hear us.

4. We remember those who work for and visit the sick. That they may take courage from the words of Christ. And we pray that those they tend and visit may experience the healing love of God. Lord, hear us.

Prayer of the Faithful



Weekend 28th & 29th November 2026
First Sunday of Advent

1. We pray for the leaders and for all the members of our church, that through the good example of their lives, they may give witness to the presence of Christ in our world. Lord, hear us.

2. We pray for ourselves, that this holy season of Advent may increase our awareness of Christ as we meet him in the poor and the suffering people of our neighbourhood. Lord, hear us.

3. Christmas is a time which is very much centred on children. We pray especially for all our children. We ask the Lord to be with them and to protect them at every step in life's journey. Lord, hear us.

4. In the psalm we read the line; "Peace be to your homes". We pray for those homes where that peace is disturbed by discord, by lack of trust. May God's healing presence touch the hearts and lives of all who live in such homes. Lord, hear us.