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### Half a Newsletter!

Due to an unexpected delay in my return to the parish there hasn't been time to do a full newsletter this week. The Mass Intentions are published and there is Sunday's adapted Gospel passage with a shorter than usual reflection. I will make contact with members of the Parish Pastoral Council and those who have volunteered to act as stewards to see how best to proceed in the weeks ahead.



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### From Sunday's Gospel



Jesus said to his disciples, "If your brother does something against you, point out his fault to him when the two of you are alone together. If he listens to you, then you have won back your brother. But if he does not listen to you, then you should take one or two others along with you, so that every word you say may be confirmed by them. If he still refuses to listen, tell the whole church community; and if he then refuses to listen to the Church, treat him as an outcast. I tell you solemnly, if two of you on earth agree what to ask for, then my Father in heaven will grant it. If two or three come together in my name, there I am with them."

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**Pope Francis writes, "My dear young people, ask yourselves, Do I take the Gospel message of reconciliation and love into the places where I live and**

**work? Let us all become people of reconciliation and peace."** Today's word is **Reconciliation**. In the Gospel Jesus teaches us that we should always try hard to be reconciled—to heal relationships and to try and make friends again. Sometimes we can make mistakes and occasionally upset one another. The important thing is try and overcome such upsets and become friends again. This is the meaning of the word—reconciliation.

**While the Church remains closed until Further Notice**

**Fr Bernard will continue to celebrate Mass**

**IN PRIVATE without any people present at 9.00am each morning**

**The 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 6th 2020 (Matthew's Gospel)**

**The intentions are as follows:**

- Sunday: People of the Parish
- Monday: Joyce Lancashire & Teresa Mulhall
- Tuesday: John Tierney
- Wednesday: November Dead List
- Thursday: Private Intention (V O'M)
- Friday: Richard Rudd (Recovery)
- Saturday: Fr Philip Fitzgerald
- Sunday: Hugh Gildea

**The Church will remain closed until further notice. Please watch this space for information as to when the church will open.**

Confessions by appointment.

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