

Justice



W/C Sunday 8th October

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Sign of the Cross.

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sacrifice for all of us.

A reminder that he suffered and
died to free us from sin.



Pray together.

In the name of the Father
And of the Son
And of the Holy Spirit,

Amen

Our theme this week is Justice This is one of our core values of prayer, service, justice, forgiveness and peace. Our Mission asks us to live out this value. This means that we should always seek to treat each other with fairness. We should value those around us and behave in a way that shows respect and compassion to all members of our community.

At Saint Monica's we are a Catholic family, diverse and different, supporting each other in all we do through prayer and service.

We seek to live out the gospel values of **justice**, forgiveness and Peace recognising the potential of each person in our community.

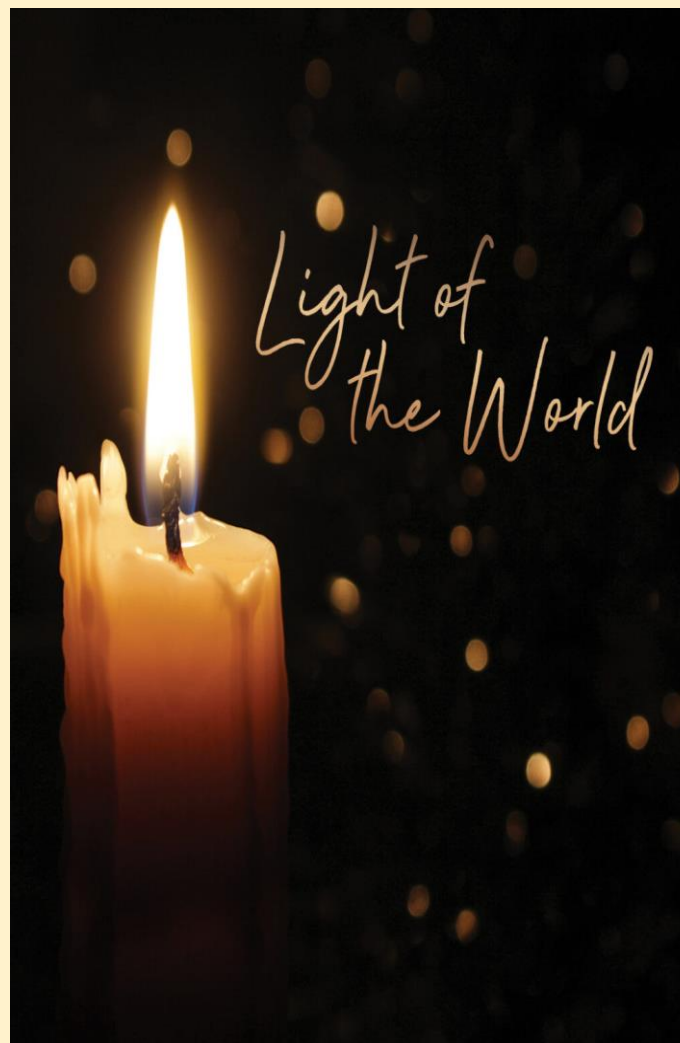
As members of Saint Monica's, we are challenged to develop our God given talents to the full, so we are prepared to make a difference in our world.



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in yesterday's gospel reading, we heard the parable of the wedding banquet. It is about the invitation of God for all people to be part of His Kingship. Jesus opened the gate of the Kingdom to all people from all nations.

He lights the way, our role is to follow.



God, with you there is no darkness. Your character has no shadows, and you are pure and good.

Yet in our broken world, we see so much darkness around us. Pain, sickness, conflict and disease are in our community and in many of our homes.

Bring your light and restoring presence to the dark places in our lives. Bring your hope to hearts that feel defeated. Bring your love and compassion to those in pain.

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- Today is the international day for the eradication of poverty
- As we pray today, take time to consider those around the world who face the hardship of poverty



Dear Lord,
We pray for You to give the hungry daily bread today and end their persistent hunger. Provide the food they need to grow and thrive. Pour out Your grace on hungry families, especially parents straining to feed their children despite dwindling resources.

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Today we celebrate the feast of Saint Luke, one of the writers of the 'good news' – the Gospels.

As you pray this morning consider how you can follow Saint Luke's gospel - the teachings and example of Jesus Christ.



Prayer to St. Luke

Most wonderful St. Luke you were animated by the Heavenly Spirit of Love. In faithfully detailing the humanity of Jesus, you also showed His Divinity and His genuine compassion for all human beings.

May the Holy Spirit, instructor of the faithful, help me to understand Christ's words and faithfully apply them in my life. Amen.

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Today remember October is a month devoted to Our Lady and the prayers of the Rosary.

Today ask Mary to carry your prayers to God as you say the Hail Mary.

ENJOY YOUR HALF TERM BREAK

**STAY SAFE – LOOK AFTER YOURSELF
AND EACH OTHER!**

Hail Mary,

Full of Grace,
The Lord is with thee.
Blessed art thou among women,
and blessed is the fruit
of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary,
Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now,
and at the hour of our death.

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