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25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Today's Scripture readings PMB pp 140-142. EPVN 4 p.52

Amos 8:4-7 Sly and wealthy merchants can rig scales and press down the content of a bushel in order to hoodwink and cheat innocent growers whose produce they buy.

Timothy 2:1-8 The prayers to be offered for leaders and rulers seem to be for their conversion.

Luke 16:1-13 The steward, sacked for squandering his master's property, makes friends with his debtors—an astute operation which his master cynically commends. The service of wealth and the service of God are mutually exclusive.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR FR HUDSON'S CARE—the organisation bringing care to those with various needs in Birmingham Diocese— for the elderly, for refugees and migrants, for homeless men and women, day care for the disabled etc. Envelopes at back of church for gift aided donations.

Traditional Latin Mass at 3.15pm.

WEEKDAY MASSES Mass on Monday (Latin) and Friday at 9.30am.

LEDBURY REFUGEE SUPPORT During September the Parish is collecting clothes and money contributions for Ledbury Refugee Support, the organisation set up by Caroline Handley (of Handley Organics) in Ledbury, herself an Armenian refugee. More details at back of church.

OCTOBER MONTH OF PRAYER FOR MISSIONS : So it has been designated this year by Pope Francis. Please keep it as an intention in your prayers. A Columban Missionary priest will preside and preach at the 5pm and 10.30am Masses on 5/6 October (I am away that weekend). Also, if you would like, take a red Mission box and place it on your mantelpiece to collect coins. Mary Wilson (the red box organiser) is currently in Lourdes, but ask her for a box when she is back.

NEWMAN CANONISATION NOVENA The canonisation in Rome will be on Sunday 13 October. Fr George Bowen, of the London Oratory, has arranged a novena starting on Friday 4 October. I have linked our Parish to this novena and suggest we all join in wherever we are. For details see www.NewmanCanonisation.com/Novena There is one photocopy at back of church. Please do not remove. There will also be a supplement in next weekend's Catholic Herald.

Confessions every Saturday 4.15-4.45pm. (please come to Sacristy).

Lectio Divina: first Thursday of month 6pm (parish room).

Centering prayer: third Saturday of month 11am (parish room).

Eucharistic Adoration: last Saturday of month: 11am in church.

Pray for Harry Bradbear who died recently, for John Bilsborough, Hilary Elgar, Pat Higgins, Paul Hothersall, Rosemarie Kay, Christopher Kouwen, Andy McGowan, Les Miller, Pauline Mills, Peter Onions, Nicholas Ratcliff, Pauline Tocher, Raymond Turner and Ellen Verdult who are unwell/housebound.