



Prayers

Please pray for the continued healing of Laura Rawlinson. Please pray for her family.

Following the publication of the report about child sexual abuse in the Catholic Church, the bishops ask our prayers for victims and survivors.

Heavenly Father, who loves and cares for all of your children, especially the smallest and most vulnerable, we entrust to you the lives of the many children and vulnerable adults who have been sexually abused and whose trust and innocence have been destroyed. Help us to hear their cries of pain and to take responsibility for so many broken lives.

We pray that within their communities and families they may find understanding and support so that with the help of your grace their wounds may be healed and they may again know peace.

Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who shared our weakness in all things but sin, and lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, forever and ever. Amen.

Please see the statement issued by Cardinal Nichols on the homepage (www.worthabbeyparish).
The Bishops will issue a full response to the IICSA Report next week.

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Anniversaries

**Please pray for the Souls of – Clarice Lloyd, Maud Enscoe, Anne Carter and Mrs Malton.
Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them, may they rest in peace. Amen.**

Next Sunday's Readings: **First Sunday of Advent**

1st Reading – Isaiah 63:16-17, 64:1, 3-8 2nd Reading – 1 Corinthians 1:3-9

Gospel: Mark 13:33-37

If he comes unexpectedly, he must not find you asleep

Daily Readings

Monday – Rev 14:1-3, 4b-5 Luke 21:1-4

Tuesday – Rev 14:14-19 Luke 21:5-11 **(St Andrew Dung-Lac)**

Wednesday – Rev 15:1-4 Luke 21:12-19

Thursday – Rev 18:1-2, 21-23, 19:1-3, 9a Luke 21:29-33

Friday – Rev 20:1-4, 11- 21:2 Luke 21:29-33

Saturday – Rev 22:1-7 Luke 21:34-36