



# WEEKDAY PRAYER SHEET

**23rd-28th September 2024**  
**25<sup>th</sup> WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME**  
**YEAR B**

## **MONDAY 23 September 2024**

**Saint Pius of Pietrelcina**

### **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

O Lord, it is you who are my portion and cup;  
you yourself who secure my portion

**FIRST READING:** Proverbs 3:27-34

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 14:2-5*

**R.** Whoever does justice shall live on the Lord's holy mountain.

Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?

He who walks without fault;  
he who acts with justice  
and speaks the truth from his heart;  
he who does not slander with his tongue. **R.**

He who does no wrong to his brother,  
who casts no slur on his neighbour,  
who holds the godless in disdain,  
but honours those who fear the Lord. **R.**

He who keeps his pledge, come what may;  
who takes no interest on a loan  
and accepts no bribes against the innocent.  
Such a man will stand firm for ever. **R.**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Let your light shine before all,  
that they may see your good works and glorify your Father.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** Luke 8:16-18

### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

The Lord is my portion:  
he is good to the soul that seeks him

## **TUESDAY 24 September 2024**

**Tuesday of the 25th Week of Ordinary Time**

### **ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:**

I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.

**FIRST READING:** *Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13*

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 118:1, 27, 30, 34-35, 44*

**R.** Guide me, Lord, in the way of your commands.

They are happy whose life is blameless,  
who follow God's law!  
Make me grasp the way of your precepts  
and I will muse on your wonders. **R.**

I have chosen the way of truth with your decrees before me.  
Train me to observe your law,  
to keep it with my heart. **R.**

Guide me in the path of your commands;  
for there is my delight.  
I shall always keep your law for ever and ever. **R.**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Blessed are they who hear the word of God and keep it.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** Luke 8:19-21

### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

You have laid down your precepts to be carefully kept;  
may my ways be firm in keeping your statutes.

## **WEDNESDAY 25 September 2024**

**Wednesday of the 25th week in Ordinary Time**

### **ENTRANCE ANTHIPHON:**

I am the salvation of the people,  
says the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any  
distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their  
Lord for ever.

### **FIRST READING:**

Proverbs 30:5-9

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 118:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163*

**R.** Your word, O Lord, is a lamp for  
my feet.

Keep me, Lord from the way of error  
and teach me your law.

The law from your mouth means  
more to me  
than silver and gold. **R.**

Your word, O Lord, for ever  
stands firm in the heavens.  
I turn my feet from evil paths  
to obey your word. **R.**

I gain understanding from your  
precepts  
and so I hate false ways.  
Lies I hate and detest  
but your law is my love. **R.**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia!

The kingdom of God is near:  
repent and believe the Good News!  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** Luke 9:1-6

### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

You have laid down your precepts to  
be carefully kept;  
may my ways be firm in keeping  
your statutes.

## **THURSDAY 26 September 2024**

**Thursday of the 25th week in Ordinary Time**

### **ENTRANCE ANTHIPHON:**

I am the salvation of the people, says  
the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord  
for ever.

**FIRST READING:** Ecclesiastes 1:2-11

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 89:3-6, 12-14, 17*

**R.** In every age, O Lord, you have been  
our refuge.

You turn men back into dust  
and say: 'Go back, sons of men.'  
To your eyes a thousand years  
are like yesterday, come and gone,  
no more than a watch in the night. **R.**

You sweep men away like a dream,  
like grass which springs up in the  
morning.

In the morning it springs up and  
flowers:  
by evening it withers and fades. **R.**

Make us know the shortness of our life  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.  
Lord, relent! Is your anger for ever?  
Show pity to your servants. **R.**

In the morning, fill us with your love;  
we shall exult and rejoice all our days.  
Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:  
give success to the work of our  
hands. **R.**

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:**

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the way, the truth, and the life,  
says the Lord;  
no one comes to the Father, except  
through me.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL:** Luke 9:7-9

### **COMMUNION ANTIPHON:**

You have laid down your precepts to be  
carefully kept;  
may my ways be firm in keeping your  
statutes.

**FRIDAY 27 September 2024**  
**St Vincent de Paul**

**ENTRANCE PROCESSION**

The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, for  
he has anointed me  
and sent me to preach the good  
news to the poor,  
to heal the broken-hearted.

**FIRST READING**

Ecclesiastes 3:1-11

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

*Ps 143:1-4*

**R.** Blessed be the Lord, my Rock!

Blessed be the Lord, my rock.  
He is my love, my fortress;  
he is my stronghold, my saviour,  
my shield, my place of refuge. **R.**

Lord, what is man that you care for  
him,  
mortal man, that you keep him in  
mind;  
man, who is merely a breath  
whose life fades like a passing  
shadow? **R.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Son of Man came to serve  
and to give his life as a ransom for  
all.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL** Luke 9:18-22

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

Let them thank the Lord for his  
mercy,  
his wonders for the children of men,  
for he satisfies the thirsty soul,  
and the hungry he fills with good  
things.

**SATURDAY 28 September 2024**

**Saturday of the 25th week in  
Ordinary Time**

**ENTRANCE PROCESSION**

I am the salvation of the people, says  
the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their  
Lord for ever.

**FIRST READING**

Ecclesiastes 11:9-12:8

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM:**

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our refuge.

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and say: 'Go back, sons of men.'  
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Let the favour of the Lord be upon us:  
give success to the work of our  
hands. **R.**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!

Our Saviour Jesus Christ has done  
away with death  
and brought us life through his gospel.  
Alleluia!

**GOSPEL** Luke 9:43-45

**COMMUNION ANTIPHON**

You have laid down your precepts to be  
carefully kept; may my ways be firm in  
keeping your statutes.

# Benediction Hymns and Prayer

## O SAVING VICTIM

O saving victim, op'ning wide  
The gate of heav'n to us below.  
Our foes press on from ev'ry side,  
Thine aid supply, thy strength  
bestow.

All praise and thanks to thee ascend  
For evermore, blest One in Three;  
O grant us life that shall not end,  
In our true native land with thee.  
Amen.

## HYMN OF ADORATION

Down in adoration falling,  
This great sacrament we hail;  
Ancient types have long departed  
Newer rites of grace prevail  
Faith for all defects supplying  
Where the feeble senses fail.

Glory let us give and blessing  
To the Father and the Son,  
honour, might and praise addressing  
while eternal ages run;  
Equal praise to him confessing  
who proceeds from both as one.  
AMEN

V. You have given them bread from  
heaven

R. Having in itself all delight.

## SWEET SACRAMENT DIVINE

Sweet Sacrament Divine,  
hid in thy earthly home,  
Lo! Round thy lowly shrine,  
with suppliant hearts we come.  
Jesus, to thee our voice we raise  
in songs of love and heartfelt  
praise,  
Sweet Sacrament Divine.

Sweet Sacrament of Peace,  
dear home of every heart,  
where restless yearnings cease,  
and sorrows all depart.  
There in thine ear, all trustfully  
We tell our tale of misery  
Sweet Sacrament of Peace.  
While we own the mystery.

### **Support of the Cathedral Parish**

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## PRAYER FOR PRIESTLY & RELIGIOUS VOCATIONS

**Celebrant:** At the sight of the crowds, Jesus' heart was moved.  
**Response:** For they were like sheep without a shepherd.

**Celebrant:** Jesus said, 'The harvest is ready.'  
**Response:** But the labourers are few.

**Celebrant:** Ask the Lord to send our labourers for the harvest.  
**Response:** O Lord, we pray for more young people to answer  
the call to become priests and religious in your harvest.

**Celebrant:** And shepherd for your people.  
**Response:** Amen.