

SAINT PIUS X PRIORY
SINGAPORE

WEEKLY BULLETIN
& MASS SCHEDULE

30 SEPTEMBER 2018
NINETEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST

SUN 30 September	19 th Sunday after Pentecost <i>2nd Class, green</i>	7.30 – Rosary 8.00 – Low Mass 9.30 – Rosary 10.00 – Sung Mass
MON 1 October	Ferial day <i>4th Class, green</i> <i>St. Remigius, Bishop (comm.)</i>	18.30 – Rosary 19.00 – Low Mass
TUE 2 October	Holy Guardian Angels <i>3rd Class, white</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 11.30 – Low Mass <u>18.00</u> – Rosary <u>18.30</u> – Low Mass
WED 3 October	Saint Therese of the Child Jesus <i>Virgin</i> <i>3rd Class, white</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 11.30 – Low Mass
THU 4 October	St. Francis of Assisi <i>Confessor, 3rd Class, white</i>	7.15 – Low Mass 18.20 – Rosary & Benediction 19.00 – Low Mass
 FRI 5 October	Ferial day <i>4th Class, green</i> <i>Ss. Placidus & Companions, Martyrs (comm.)</i> <u>First Friday</u>	7.15 – Low Mass 19.00 – Sung Mass Benediction & first Rosary 21.30 – Second Rosary 22.30 – Stations of the Cross 23.30 – Third Rosary
SAT 6 October	Saint Bruno <i>Confessor</i> <i>3rd Class, white</i> <u>First Saturday</u>	6.30 – Meditated Rosary and Benediction 7.25 – Low Mass 11.30 – Low Mass
SUN 7 October	Solemnity of the Holy Rosary (20 th Sunday after Pentecost) <i>2nd Class, white</i>	7.30 – Rosary 8.00 – Low Mass 9.30 – Rosary 10.00 – Sung Mass

Confessions: 30 minutes
before Sunday Masses;
on demand every day.

2nd Collections:

1st Sunday of the month *for the
chapel loan reimbursement.*
3rd Sunday of the month *for the
chapel/priory maintenance.*

**Children's Catechism on
Saturday:**

Pre Confirmation: 14:00-14:45
Post Confirmation: 14:00-14:45
1st Communion: 14:45-15:30

Post Confirmation: 14:00-14:45
Older Group (13-18 years): 14:45-15:30

Mass Stipends:

One Mass: \$25
Novena: \$250
Gregorian Masses: \$1,000

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome/Farewell Celebrations. There will be a welcome celebration after the Sung Mass in honor of Fr. Patrick Summers, our new district superior. A farewell party for Fr. Karl Stehlin will take place on October 2, Tuesday, in "Les Patisseries", a small restaurant close to the church. *Mass at 18.30; Dinner at 19.30.* Come with your ticket to the restaurant.

If you wish to show Fr. Stehlin your mark of gratitude, you may want to pick up an Ang Pow from the bookshop to write a little note and/or add a little donation and drop it either in the collection basket or in the bookshop money box. All Ang Pows will be given to Father at the end of the farewell party.

Fair. On October 7, after the 10am Mass. The focus will be on the Rosary.

Absence. Fr. Etienne Demornex will be back to Singapore on October 9.

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On August 26, 2018, an 11-page “testimony” was published in the Italian newspaper La Verità. In this document Archbishop Carlo Maria Viganò, denounces Rome’s protection of the American Cardinal Theodore McCarrick, a homosexual predator who was forced to resign from the College of Cardinals last June.

A Dramatic Testimony

These are the essential contents of the testimony of Archbishop Viganò, former Apostolic Nuncio to the United States from 2011 to 2016:

“Now that the corruption has reached the very top of the Church’s hierarchy, my conscience dictates that I reveal those truths regarding the heart-breaking case of the Archbishop Emeritus of Washington, D.C., Theodore McCarrick, which I came to know in the course of the duties entrusted to me.”

Archbishop Viganò explains that two Nuncios to the United States before him, both of whom died prematurely, Archbishop Gabriel Montalvo (from 1998 to 2005) and Archbishop Pietro Sambi (from 2005 to 2011), “did not fail to inform the Holy See immediately, as soon as they learned of Archbishop McCarrick’s gravely immoral behavior with seminarians and priests.” But no one in Rome reacted.

It was through Cardinal Giovanni Battista Re, then prefect of the Congregation for Bishops, that Archbishop Viganò learned that Pope Benedict XVI, having learned of Cardinal McCarrick’s scandalous misbehavior, had ordered him to leave the seminary where he was living and forbade him to celebrate public Masses, participate in meetings, give conferences or travel, ordering him to consecrate himself to a life of prayer and penance.

The question is: how did McCarrick become what he became: archbishop of Washington and cardinal, after serving as bishop of Metuchen (NJ) and archbishop of Newark (NJ), even though his behavior was so gravely sinful?

High-Ranking Support

Archbishop Viganò says Cardinal Angelo Sodano, secretary of State from 1991 to 2006, and Cardinal Tarcisio Bertone, his successor, are responsible for McCarrick’s career. But he also accuses the current secretary of State, Cardinal Pietro Parolin. When it was obvious that McCarrick was not obeying Benedict XVI’s orders and was traveling throughout the world, Archbishop Viganò wrote Cardinal Parolin to ask if the sanctions still applied but received no answer. Others who certainly knew remained silent, writes Archbishop Viganò, mentioning Cardinal William Levada, Cardinal Leonardo Sandri, Archbishop Giovanni Angelo Becciu (now a cardinal), and Cardinals Giovanni Lajolo and Dominique Mamberti.

Archbishop Viganò adds: “As far as the Roman Curia is concerned, for the moment I will stop here, even if the names of other prelates in the Vatican are well known, even some very close to Pope Francis, such as Cardinal Francesco Coccopalmerio and Archbishop Vincenzo Paglia, who belong to the homosexual current in favor of subverting Catholic doctrine on homosexuality, a current already denounced in 1986 by Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger, then-Prefect of the Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith, in the Letter to the Bishops of the Catholic Church on the Pastoral Care of Homosexual Persons. Cardinals Edwin Frederick O’Brien and Renato Raffaele Martino also belong to the same current, albeit with a different ideology.”

In the United States, too, everyone knew, beginning with Cardinal Donald Wuerl, McCarrick’s successor in Washington, but no one spoke up. And today, the cardinal’s declarations that he knew nothing are “absolutely laughable”, according to Archbishop Viganò. As for Cardinal Kevin Farrell, the current prefect of the Dicastery for Laity, Family and Life, who has in turn claimed never to have heard about Cardinal McCarrick’s abuse, Archbishop Viganò writes: “Given his tenure in Washington, Dallas and now Rome, I think no one can honestly believe him.” Lastly, concerning Cardinal Sean O’Malley, archbishop of Boston and head of the Vatican Commission for the Protection of Minors, Archbishop Viganò declares: “I would simply say that his latest statements on the McCarrick case are disconcerting (...).”

The Pope Was Informed

Archbishop Viganò’s account becomes even more terrible when he directly implicates Pope Francis. In Rome, in June 2013, there was a meeting for all the Nuncios throughout the world, and Archbishop Viganò was present. For his first meeting with the new sovereign pontiff, the Italian archbishop went to the Domus Sanctae Marthae, where he encountered Cardinal McCarrick, smiling and serene, who declared to him with no little satisfaction: “The pope received me yesterday, tomorrow I am going to China!” – He who was forbidden to travel by Benedict XVI and was supposed to devote himself to prayer and penance.

With regards to this support for the predator cardinal coming from the highest level of the Church, Archbishop Viganò writes: “Pope Francis has repeatedly asked for total transparency in the Church and for bishops and faithful to act with parrhesia. The faithful throughout the world also demand this of him in an exemplary manner. He must honestly state when he first learned about the crimes committed by McCarrick, who abused his authority with seminarians and priests. In any case, the Pope learned about it from me on June 23, 2013 and continued to cover for him. He did not take into account the sanctions that Pope Benedict had imposed on him and made him his trusted counselor along with Maradiaga.”

(To be followed.)