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Dear Lord,
Fill our lives with JOY
Fill our lives with LOVE
Fill our lives with PEACE
We give thanks to you
for the gift of life.
Give us the courage
to live life to the full.
Amen



**Common
Good**



**Option for the
Poor and
Vulnerable**



**Dignity of
the
Human Person**



**The Dignity of
Work and
Education**



Solidarity



**Care for God's
Creation**



**Family and
Community**

ELLESMERE PORT CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

'I have come so that they may have life and have it to the full' John 10:10





MONDAY MISSION 11th November- Mark 12:38-44



Watch this video first!

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In our Gospel today, Jesus commends the poor widow. We are called to giving, even when we have nothing, and even when we have our own problems.

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God of all creation, the source of life and giver of all good things; through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer our lives; that we may be used to serve others, and give you glory. Amen.
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Give generously



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TRADITIONAL TUESDAY 12th November



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



In November we pray particularly for those people who have died.

Let us remember today, those who have died in conflict.



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WONDERFUL WEDNESDAY 13th November



In the name of the
Father, and of the
Son, and of the Holy
Spirit
Amen



Care for God's
Creation

Autumn Blessing

O God of Creation, you have blessed us with
the changing of the seasons.

As we welcome the autumn months,
may the earlier setting of the sun
remind us to take time to rest.

May the brilliant colors of the leaves
remind us of the wonder of your creation.

May the steam of our breath in the cool air
remind us that it is you who give us the
breath of life.

May the harvest from the fields remind us
of the abundance we have been given and
bounty we are to share with others.

May the dying of summer's spirit remind
us of your great promise that death is
temporary and life is eternal.

We praise you for your goodness forever
and ever. Amen.



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THANKFUL THURSDAY 14th November



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Generous God,

We give you thanks for all your gifts.

We thank you for the bounty of creation
and the food we can share.

We thank you for all the people whose work
brings food to our tables.

You have blessed us with enough for all, yet
many people go without.

Nourish our commitment to justice,
until all people taste the abundance of your
gifts.

Amen.

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Francis Friday 15th November



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Lord God, your son, Jesus,
embraced poverty and taught
that the poor are blessed, for
“theirs is the kingdom of God.”
Help us to step out of our
certainties and comforts and
keep our eyes fixed on him, so
we can both see and serve him
in the faces of the poor.

Amen

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Additional Resources



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Gospel Mark 12:38-44



38 As he taught them, he said, “Watch out for the teachers of the Law, who like to walk around in their long robes and be greeted with respect in the marketplace, 39 who choose the reserved seats in the synagogues and the best places at feasts. 40 They take advantage of widows and rob them of their homes, and then make a show of saying long prayers. Their punishment will be all the worse!”

The Widow's Offering

41 As Jesus sat near the Temple treasury, he watched the people as they dropped in their money. Many rich men dropped in a lot of money; 42 then a poor widow came along and dropped in two little copper coins, worth about a penny. 43 He called his disciples together and said to them, “I tell you that this poor widow put more in the offering box than all the others. 44 For the others put in what they had to spare of their riches; but she, poor as she is, put in all she had—she gave all she had to live on.”

