

Mission Month bulletin inserts

October 8, 2023 (This is Mission Month)

The month of October is when the Church throughout the world reflects on and prays about its mission to bring the Good News to the whole of humanity. Mission is one of the central themes of the historic Synod taking place in Rome at the moment. The climax of Mission Month will be World Mission Sunday on October 22. Please take home one of the copies of the Mission Month magazine.

October 15, 2023 (Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday)

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday, when Pope Francis invites Catholics all over the world to contribute to a special collection for Missio (The Pontifical Mission Societies), his official charity for overseas mission. This year, the theme is "Hearts on fire, feet on the move." Please support Missio Scotland in helping missionaries whose hearts have been filled with and guided by the Holy Spirit and who have travelled far from their homes to work within and alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, such as Sri Lanka. Join in on this special day, that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer and celebration of our Church's mission, to share God's love with all people. Please give generously.

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October 22, 2023 (World Mission Sunday)

Take home a copy of the Mission Month magazine and read about the projects Missio Scotland is supporting in Sri Lanka, such as: nourishing children physically and educationally, providing women who have suffered greatly in their lives with the chance to earn a livelihood as well as literally and spiritually building the Church there. Mission Month and World Mission Sunday offer us the chance to support missionaries and the Church in proclaiming the Gospel throughout the world, particularly where the Church is young or poor, and remind us of the revitalising mission that is at the heart of our Faith. The World Mission Sunday collection, taken up worldwide, ensures that this life-saving and life-giving work can continue. Your donations and prayers make a vital difference to the Church's work in mission countries and are an effective way by which you can support the universal Church. Thank you for your generosity.

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October 29, 2023 (Thank you for supportin World Mission Sunday)

Thank you for responding to Missio Scotland's World Mission Sunday Appeal last weekend. Together as a parish we raised £..... Your donations and prayers will go towards supporting the work of our missionaries worldwide. Furthermore, your example, like that of our missionaries all over the world, will serve as an inspiration to others to live out their Baptismal mission and play their part in the universal Church. Thanks to your generosity, Missio Scotland has been able to send much-needed funds totalling millions down throughout the years to support a great number of projects across the five continents. Thank you once again.

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