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100 Sena mill-mewt tal-Kan. Arcipriet Anton Camilleri

Il-parroċċa qed tfakkar iċ-ċentinarju mill-mewt tal-Kan. Anton Camilleri li ġrat b'hal-lum, it-18 t'Ottubru 1926, wara ħajja ta' żelu u ħidma fl-għalqa tal-Mulej. Twieled fil-11 t'Awwissu 1873. Sar l-ewwel kantur tal-Kollegġjata fl-1895 ġie ordnat saċerdot fil-21 ta' Diċembru tal-istess sena u minn hemm intefa' f'ħidma bla heda biex jgħin lin-nies fil-ħtiġijiet spiritwali u materjali tagħhom. Kien organista, mużiċista u kompożitur li ħalla warajh wirt mużikali prezzjuż, kif ukoll ragħal denju tal-parroċċa tan-Nadur hekk kif ħa l-pussess tal-parroċċa b'hal Arcipriet fil-25 ta' Ġunju 1922. Huwa kien ukoll Vigarju Foranju tal-Isqof għal-Lvant t'Għawdex u Kemmuna. Fil-kommemorazzjoni ta' dan iċ-ċentinarju l-parroċċa tfakkar lil dan is-saċerdot u arcipriet li ħalla tant ġid fil-komunità li fiha għex u ħadem.

Mar-Rivista tal-Luminaria tal-Festa li għaddiet ħriġna Suppliment iddettaljat dwar ħajtu. U issa qed naqsmu magħkom dan ir-ritratt li waslilna riċentament. Fih tidher silta meħuda mill-ittra oriġinali miktuba fl-1927 lill-familja ta' Dun Anton minn ħadd ħlief San Ġorġ Preca.



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Hawn għandna xhieda ċara miktuba mill-Qaddis saċerdot Dun Ġorġ ta' kemm hu veru li l-Quddies offrut b'suffraġju għall-mejtin tagħna jhalli l-ġid mixtieq. Fix-xahar ta' Novembru żgur li se niftakru iktar fl-erwieh għeżież tagħna. Kull nhar ta' Tnejn, Tlieta u s-Sibt se ssir quddies oħra fis-6.30am fil-kappella ta' S.Tereża ta' Kalkutta ħdejn iċ-Ċimiterju fiż-żona ta' Kenuna, u nhar ta' Erbgħa, Ħamis u Ġimgħa, fl-4.00pm se ssir quddies fil-kappella taċ-Ċimiterju tal-Ħniena Divina. Imma tajjeb li nkomplu niftakru fihom fil-quddies ta' matul is-sena kollha, kif diġà m'dorrijin nagħmlu.

Laqgħa ta' talb fuq l-ispiritwalità ta' Dun Mikiel Attard nhar l-Erbgħa, 21 ta' Ottubru, fis-5.45pm, fil-Knisja Bażilika, mill-Kan. Dun Reuben Micallef. Fiha l-Kan. Dun Charles Vella ser ikellimna fuq il-konoxxenza tiegħu ta' Dun Mikiel. Kulħadd huwa mistieden. Tixxandar diretta fuq Mnarjalive.

Laqgħa ta' formazzjoni għal-lezzuri li jaqraw fil-Quddies nhar l-Erbgħa 21 ta' Ottubru 2026 fiċ-Ċentru Ragħaj it-Tajjeb f'Taċ-Ċawla fil-5.30pm.

Nitolbu r-Rużarju fil-playingfield tal-Ħali, nhar il-Ġimgħa 23 ta' Ottubru fil-5.30pm. Nitolbu għall-Papa u għall-paċi fid-dinja.

Sett ta' laqgħat għall-familji bit-tfal: nibdew nhar is-Sibt 31 ta' Ottubru fis-7.30pm. Waqt li ssir attività separata għat-tfal żgħar u anki għall-adolexxenti, il-ġenituri jkollhom talk qasira u wara diskussjoni. Fl-aħħar nagħlqu bl-ikel. Min jixtieq jingħaqad ma' dan il-grupp jikkuntattja lill-Arcipriet fuq 79277239.

Illum hu **Jum il-Missjoni**. Il-ġabra fil-quddies se tmur biex tgħin dawk il-komunitajiet foqra fejn qed jiddedikaw ħajjithom ħafna missjunarji Maltin.

Laqgħat għall-koppji fl-ewwel 5 snin taż-żwieġ

1. Dar Manresa Victoria: is-Sibt 17 ta' Ottubru 2026 fis-7.00pm.
2. Ċentru NTYC Nadur: Is-Sibt 14 ta' Novembru fis-7.00pm.

IL-ĦIN TAL-QUDDIES

BAZILIKA. Fost il-ġimgħa: 5.30am; 6.30am; 7.30am; 9.00am; 5.00pm; 6.30pm.

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KAPPELLA TAS-SORIJET. Fost il-ġimgħa: 7.00am. **Ħdud:** 6.15am; 10.00am (bl-Ingliż).

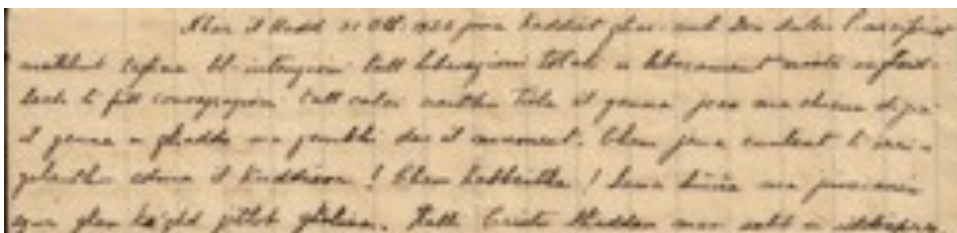
KNISJA QALB TA' ĠESÙ. Fost il-ġimgħa: 11.00am. **Ħdud:** 7.00am.

KAPPELLA S.TEREZA TA' KALKUTTA (TA' KENUNA). Ħdud: 7.30am.



100th Anniversary of the Death of Canon Archpriest Anton Camilleri

The parish is commemorating the centenary of the death of Canon Anton Camilleri, which occurred on this day, 18 October 1926, following a life of zeal and service in the Lord's vineyard. He was born on 11 August 1873. In 1895, he became the first cantor of the Collegiate Church and was ordained a priest on 21 December of the same year. From then on, he devoted himself tirelessly to helping people with their spiritual and material needs. He was an organist, musician and composer who left behind a precious musical legacy. He was also a worthy shepherd of the Nadur parish, taking possession of the parish as Archpriest on 25 June 1922. He also served as the Bishop's Vicar Forane for eastern Gozo and Comino. As we commemorate this centenary, the parish remembers this priest and archpriest, who did so much good for the community in which he lived and worked. In the magazine published for the last Luminaria feast, we included a detailed supplement about his life. We are now sharing with you this photograph that we received recently. It contains an excerpt from the original letter written in 1927 to Fr Anton's family by none other than Saint George Preca.



Excerpt from the Letter of Saint George Preca

"On Sunday, 31 October 1926, I celebrated Mass for the soul of our beloved Archpriest, Fr Anton, with the intention of his complete deliverance. I can freely tell you that, at the consecration of the chalice, I saw him ascending to Heaven, if he was not already in Heaven, and he passed beside me at that moment. How happy I am that I offered him this Mass! How much I loved it! Listen, he certainly does not forget us, because he is praying for us..."

Here we have clear testimony, written by the saintly priest Fr George, showing how true it is that Masses offered for the repose of our deceased loved ones bring the desired spiritual benefits. During November, we will surely remember our dear departed even more. Every Monday, Tuesday and Saturday, an additional Mass will be celebrated at 6:30 a.m. in the Chapel of Saint Teresa of Calcutta, near the cemetery in the Kenuna area. On Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, Mass will be celebrated at 4:00 p.m. in the Divine Mercy Cemetery Chapel. However, we should continue to remember our departed in the Masses celebrated throughout the entire year, as we are already accustomed to doing.

A prayer meeting on the spirituality of Fr Mikiel Attard will be held on Wednesday, 21 October, at 5:45 p.m. in the Basilica Church, led by Canon Fr Reuben Micallef. During the meeting, Canon Fr Charles Vella will speak about his personal knowledge of Fr Mikiel. Everyone is welcome. The meeting will be broadcast live on Mnarja Live.

A formation meeting for readers who proclaim the readings during Mass will be held on Wednesday, 21 October 2026, at 5:30 p.m. at the Good Shepherd Centre in Tač-Ċawla.

Let us pray the Rosary at the Hali playing field on Friday, 23 October, at 5:30 p.m. Let us pray for the Pope and for peace in the world.

A series of meetings for families with children will begin on Saturday, 31 October, at 7:30 p.m. While separate activities are organised for young children and teenagers, parents will have a short talk followed by a discussion. The gathering will conclude with a meal. Anyone wishing to join this group should contact the Archpriest on 79277239.

Today is World Mission Sunday. The collection taken during Mass will go towards helping poor communities where many Maltese missionaries are dedicating their lives to serving others

Meetings for couples in the first five years of Marriage on Dar Manresa, Victoria: Saturday, 17 October 2026, at 7:00 p.m. and NTYC Centre, Nadur: Saturday, 14 November, at 7:00 p.m.

HOLY MASS TIMES

BASILICA. Weekdays: 5.30am; 6.30am; 7.30am; 9.00am; 5.00pm; 6.30 pm.

Sundays & Feastdays: 5.30am; 6.30am; 8.30am; 9.45am; 11.00am; 5.00pm; 7.00pm.

FRANCISCANS' CHAPEL. Weekdays: 7.00am. **Sundays:** 6.15am; 10.00am (in English).

SACRED HEART CHURCH. Weekdays: 11.00am. **Sundays:** 7.00am.

ST. THERESA OF CALCUTTA (TA' KENUNA) CHAPEL. Sundays: 7.30am.