

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

13th to 21st July 2024

Sat 13th July

9am Confessions
10am Latin Mass: *Sr Megan Mary Thibodeau*
6pm Mass: *David Lewarne (RIP)*

Sun 14th July 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30am Mass: *Martin Gallagher (RIP), anniv.*
5pm Kerala Mass

Latin Mass:

8:30am: *For the FSSP and the Traditional Latin Mass*

Mon 15th July

10am Latin Mass: *Liam O'Donnell (RIP)*

Tue 16th July

8am Latin Mass: *FSSP Priests and Bedford Chaplaincy*
6:30pm Mass: *The faithful of the parish*

Wed 17th July

8am Latin Mass: *Conversion of husband and daughter*
10am Mass: *Patrick Harding (RIP)*

Thu 18th July

8am Latin Mass: *Paul & Pauline Vooght & family*
10am Mass: *Peace for the Ukraine and the Middle East*

Friday 19th July

8am Latin Mass: *Holy Souls*
11am to 11:45am
12 noon Mass: *YB*
12:30pm Mother's prayers

Sat 20th July

9am Confessions
10am Latin Mass: *Krystyna Makuch (RIP)*
6pm Mass: *TBA*

Sun 21st July 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30am Mass: *TBA*
5pm Kerala Mass
Latin Mass:
8:30am: *Leslie & Mary Jones & family*

SUNDAY'S RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*Let us see, O Lord, your mercy
and give us your saving help.*

TODAY IS SEA SUNDAY

Commercial ship crews play a vital role in all our lives. Their work can be difficult and hazardous, and sometimes crews are indeed abandoned by their employers. Stella Maris is the maritime agency of the Catholic Church, which seeks to provide pastoral care to mariners at UK ports. Today, we are invited to pray for them and to support the second collection at Masses today. This money will then go directly to support mariners, from all over the world, whose ships dock at our ports.

SECOND COLLECTION

This weekend 13th/14th July
Stella Maris Sea Sunday

CONDOLENCES

To the recently bereaved
family and friends of

David Lewarne (RIP)

Funeral Mass Wed 24th July at 10:45am
St Joseph's Church, Midland Road

Please pray for the repose of his soul.

SACRISTY WORK

Some of you have already spoken with Fr Richard about doing work in the sacristy in the week beginning 21st July. If you can lend an hour's work sometime that week, please speak with Fr R.

A PARISH PICNIC

Will be held on Sunday 4th August at lunch time. This will be a bring and share event with BYO – a picnic for all the family on our parish precinct. You may like to organise children's games, bring a BBQ on site, or set up a chilled drinks station.

VOLUNTEER'S LIST

On the back of the newsletter is a 'draft' list of current parish volunteer's, compiled by Hilary Wrack. Any additions, amendments etc. should be given to Hilary for updating the list.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

English Mass £516.15
Latin Mass £210.74

LIVING CATHOLICISM TODAY

Summer course, 1st – 4th August
How do we interpret the sources of Christian morality? Why is the Church 'obsessed' about human sexuality? What is the significance of the virtues? Part of the CHC's "Faith & Reason" series, this course will explore morality and the Christian life, with Dr Caroline Farey, Dr Andrew Beard and Stefan Kaminski.
<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/faith-and-reason-series/>

JESUS YOUTH UK

Presents to you the 2024 National Teens Conference, 'IGNITE' to be held from August 23rd, 2024 to August 26th, 2024 at Worth Abbey. The conference is intended to be a joyful celebration centred around 2 Timothy 1:6 – 'I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you' with a specific focus on teenagers that are in Year 9 to Year 13 (as of September 2024); around 175 teenagers from all across the UK are expected to take part in this conference. Use this great opportunity to gather with other like-minded people and rediscover God and yourself. This is a chance to explore your identity and purpose, while also forming amazing new friendships. The four-day programme is planned with awesome music, theatre, sessions, testimonies, fellowship and amazing fun all along. Come, let's celebrate the love of God! Register now at JesusYouth.co.uk. For more information email teensministry@jesusyouth.co.uk or contact Jitsy Judathadevus (IGNITE General Coordinator) +44 (0) 7384 579728.

ADOREMUS IS A NATIONAL "EUCCHARISTIC EVENT"

Taking place at Oscott College, Birmingham, all day on Saturday September 14th. Each diocese has been allocated 44 places, which will be divided up between the deaneries. Our deanery has 6 places available, including one member of the clergy. Deacon Tony Falcon has already expressed an interest in going. Would you like to represent the parish? Please contact Fr Richard.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE WHO ARE ILL IN THE PARISH

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Dear Jesus, divine physician and healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. Oh dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. Amen.



PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

In Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life led by Rt Rev. David Oakley, Bishop of Northampton. Commencing at the 12 Noon Pilgrim Mass in the Chapel of Reconciliation Saturday 3rd August 2024. Coach from: Our Lady's Church, Kempston, 8.35am Holy Child & St Joseph's, Bedford, 8.50am Cost £12 per seat, under 18 free Cost subsidized by Guardians of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Bedford in memory of former Guardian Dick Gardner Contact Mary Frost - 01234 304014/07708 264054
www.prolifepilgrimage.org follow online at www.walsingham.org.uk/live-stream

BEDFORD FOODBANK

Thank you for your continued support of Bedford Foodbank. With your help we fed 1880 people in June. The items we are requiring this month are as follows: Long Life Fruit Juice, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Tuna, 500g Bags of Rice, Cereal, Tinned Rice Pudding, Tinned Meat, Jars of Coffee, 100g Bars of Chocolate & Deodorant.

PARISH VOLUNTEER'S LIST JULY 2024 - DRAFT

| Tasks & Activities | Contact 1 | Contact 2 | Contact 3 | Contact 4 |
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| Alter curtains | Ken Ndifor | Nat Johnson | | |
| Birthdays/anniversaries | Emmanuela Mdifor | Nkeiruka Ohaka | Ivy Amankwah-Baah | |
| CAFOD | Hilary Wrack | Rachel Kirkham | Sonia | |
| Car Share | | | | |
| Care taking | Ken Ndifor | | | |
| Chair (parish meeting) | Hilary Wrack | Rachel Kirkham | | |
| Children | Deborah Fakumle | | | |
| Chisen | Teresa Williams | | | |
| Choir/singers | Hilary Wrack | Trisha Baxter | Marie | Ivy Amankwah-Baah |
| Cleaning | Myriam | | | |
| Collection counters | Myriam | Trisha Baxter | Celia | |
| Collectors | | | | |
| Communion | Dr Francis Fakumle | | | |
| Finance Committee | Teresa Williams | Chris Brookes | Celia | |
| Gardening | Trisha Baxter (roses only) | | | |
| Hall | John M Dunn | | | |
| Secretary | Rachel Kirkham | | | |
| Social | Matilda Harding | Rachel Kirkham | Myriam | |
| Spiritual/ministry | Hilary Wrack | | | |
| Teas & coffees | Lena Johnson | Matilda Harding | Myriam | Deborah Fakumle |
| Vintage tea | Myriam | | | |
| Visiting & check-ins | | | | |
| Welcomers | Emmanuela Mdifor | Rachel Kirkham | | |
| Youth | Dr Francis Fakumle | | | |
| Newsletter/printing etc | Jon Foster | | | |
| Miscellaneous | | | | |

