



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

See that your conversation is always open and cordial, full of kindness, pleasant, considerate and innocently cheerful: nothing harsh, serve, insincere or sad. (Antonio Rosmini)



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Next Week's Gospel Reading Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (2nd July 2017)

Gospel – Matthew 10:37-42

Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; and whoever does not take up the cross and follow me is not worthy of me. Those who find their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward."

Prayer for the Parish -

Almighty God, Who governs all things in heaven and earth, mercifully hear the supplications of your people. Grant to our parish all things needful for its spiritual welfare and, through the guidance of Your Holy Spirit, may we be of one heart and mind in the fold of Your Holy Church. To the honour and glory of Your Name. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for Vocation -

O God, you are the Lord of the harvest. We pray to you that men and women may hear the call of Christ your Son, to work in your vineyard. May they answer the call generously. May we, with them, serve you faithfully all our days so that your faithful people may grow in numbers and favour in your sight. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Week starting 24th June 2017

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

IN THE PARISH

Sunday Collection – Thank you for last Sunday's offertory collection which amounted to £926.47

This Weekend- Second Collection will be for Peter's Pence, please give generously.

Day for Life – Many thanks for your generous response a total of £216.47 was collected

UCM - Mass this Monday (26th) at 7p.m. Followed by a meeting in the Coach house.

Confirmation Practice – in the Church this Wednesday (28th) in Church from till 6 p.m.

Silent Prayer Group – meeting this Thursday (29th) at 2 p.m. in the Convent

Confirmation Mass– this Thursday (29th) at 7p.m. with **Bishop Robert Byrne**. All are welcome. It is the Solemnity of SS. Peter & Paul and it is a day of Obligation and there will be Mass in the morning at 10a.m. I would like many parishioners to come & support our confirmation children.

Summer's Evening Concert - given by the Amici Choir from Coventry Cathedral, this Friday (30th) at 7.30pm, at St John the Baptist Church, Hillmorton.

Spire Restoration Fund - Monies raised to date £38,600

Spire Restoration 1st July Festival – We need **your** help, can you help with one or many items of the following to raise as much as we can for our Spire Restoration Work.

S.O.S.SAVE OUR SPIRE by donating jewellery or any other valuables to the aMAYzing value stall for sale at the summer festival on July 1st. We will accept any good or new items be it The Koh-1-Noor or even the Crown Jewels. Furthermore we can collect. Please contact May on 813879 or Louise on 07876656398. **DON'T DELAY ACT TODAY.** Thank you.

Come Dine with The Catenians- We have a private room , 3 course set menu with coffee for £16, pre dinner talk and get-together. Our next occasion will be on Tuesday 4 July at 7.15 at the Draycote Manor Hotel on the A45 near Dunchurch. The pre dinner talk is titled 'They Have Jesus' by Pam Hopkins. Please phone Mick McNulty. 01788 522181 for more details and to book the evening or email mmcnulty@sis.tv

Gift-Aid and Standing Orders- If any of our parishioners would like to join the Gift Aid Scheme, please contact Mike Borg on 01788 811732 or e-mail:

michaelwba18@gmail.com. Payments can be made by either Standing Order, direct to the Church, or using Gift Aid Envelopes.

Missing Gazebo cover- Kathleen Flangan is looking for her gazebo cover missing from last Christmas market, if anyone knows about it, please contact Kathleen on 334787.

Dates for your Diary:

Parish BBQ Sunday 13th August after 10am Mass
Parish Feast is on Friday 8th September Masses at 10a.m. & 7p.m. Social in the hall after 7p.m. Mass.

Prayer corps- are available by the parish library by the steps to choir loft. Please take them and pray for the intentions of our parish for the months of July-August.

Please come along during the day to support our Spire Fundraising Market 1st July 10a.m. to 6p.m.

Parish Priest: Father Tom Thomas
Assistant Priest: Fr. Justus Okibo
In Community: Fr. John Buckner, Fr. David Tobin and Br. Joseph Gardner
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Welcome!

Have you joined us for the first time?

Please complete a card from the main porch and hand it to the clergy.

Come and meet other parishioners for coffee or tea in the Parish Hall after Sunday morning Mass

NB Please remember to inform the Parish Office if you move house or change your contact details.

Parish Office open from 09.00 – 12.30 on Tuesday Wednesday Thursday and Friday

**SPIRE RESTORATION APPEAL for
VOLUNTEERS 1st July**

1. We are **APPEALING** for Volunteers to put up the Marquee on **Friday Evening (30th June) at 5 p.m.** and then to take down the Marquee on **Saturday (1st July) after 6p.m.**

2. We are in urgent need of Beer, Cider, Wine and Spirit's for our **Drink Stall**

3. Appeal to our '**Bakers**' of the Parish, we need as many cakes as possible and delivered to our Cake Stall on Saturday Morning (1st July)

4. Our **BBQ Stall needs Sausages, Burgers and Bread Rolls**, you can either donate by cash or purchase one or more of the above and give or see Fr. Tom.

5. We need **Volunteers to Patrol** the road and premises,

if you can spare 1 or 2 hours, please see Fr. Tom

YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOUR HELP

Job Opportunities:-

HOPE by are recruiting for the position of 'HOPE/ EHC Project Co-ordinator' based at HOPE's office in Rugby. 35 hours a week fixed term contract. For further information please contact Roy Crowne roy.crowne@hopetogether.org.uk Please also see notice board.

Bilton Evangelical Church – Part-time Operations Manager, closing date Thursday 29th June please see notice board for further information or email office@becchurch.org.uk

Daventry Methodist Church – Part-time Children and Family Worker, closing date 8th July. Please see notice board or visit the website www.daventrymethodist.org

Princethorpe College – Part-time Database Assistant, closing date Friday 23rd June. Part-time Archivist closing date Monday 26th June. For further details please see notice board or visit the website for application forms and details www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities

APF – APF Promoters and Collectors please note that your envelopes of booklets are available for collection.

Parish Office – If you find the office closed next week, during normal opening hours, just ring the bell at the double gates outside Gentili House.

Parish Priest's Diary:-

Monday:-meeting

Tuesday:- confession/ meetings

Wednesday:- meeting at Ratcliffe college/ practice

Thursday:- confirmation

Friday:- burial of ashes/ spire market.

**DIARY FOR THE WEEK
24th June - 1st July 2017**

SATURDAY 24th June – Vigil for Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Confessions 5.30 to 5.55 p.m.

Mass at 6.00 p.m. for Mary Melia R.I.P.

SUNDAY 25th June – Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10 a.m. for Audrey Foulds R.I.P. and at 6.00 p.m. for Michael Taylor R.I.P.

Baptisms at 11.15 a.m. of Primrose Belle Burnett & 3p.m. Ciara- Mai Clarke

Confessions from 9.30 a.m. - 9.55 a.m.

Polish Mass at 12.30 p.m.

Coffee/Tea after 10 a.m. Mass in the Parish Hall

Parish Shop open in Coach House after 10 a.m Mass

MONDAY 26th June - Feria in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10 a.m. for Well Being of Brian Staff and at 7.00 p.m. for Private Intentions for UCM

Adoration 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. in the church. (Morning Prayer at 8:50 a.m.)

TUESDAY 27th June - Feria in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10 a.m. for Tony Mizzi R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY 28th June - Memorial of St Irenaeus

Mass at 10.00 a.m. for John Geehan R.I.P.

THURSDAY 29th June – Solemnity of SS Peter & Paul

Mass at 10 a.m. for Patrick & Terry Elliott R.I.P.

Mass at 7 p.m. Confirmation of Children

Choir Practice - 7:45 p.m. in Church.

FRIDAY 30th June - Feria in Ordinary Time

Mass at 10 a.m. for Well Being of Paddy McGloin

SATURDAY 1st July- Feria in Ordinary Time

Confessions 10 to 11a.m. and from 5.30 to 5.55p.m.

Mass at 9:30 a.m. for All Parishioners

Mass at 6 p.m. for Deceased Members of Mascarenhas Family R.I.P.

† PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK: †

Tom Donnelly, Elsie Johnson, Jade Lambert, DeeDee Flint, Edward Buckley, Piotr Fior, John Ritter, Kerry Livesey, Mary Adcock.

† FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AROUND THIS TIME: †

Robin Nigam, Julia Treacy, John Geehan, Margaret McGawley, Veronica Allen, Philomena Cordina.

We welcome into our Christian community Primrose Belle Burnett & Ciara-Mai Clarke who is being baptised this Sunday.