

Parish of Christ the King



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LITURGICAL CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS

22nd to 30th July 2017

- Sat 22nd *St Mary Magdalene, Penitent - Feast*
5pm Confessions
6pm Mass: May Fitzgerald (RIP)
- Sun 23rd *SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*
8.15am Confessions (also after Latin Mass)
8.30am Latin Mass - Extraordinary Form
(7th Sunday after Pentecost)
Pro Populo: Celebrant Fr Verrier
10am Sung Mass: May Fitzgerald (RIP)
- Mon 24th 6.35pm Holy Rosary
7pm Mass: Nicholas & Margaret
Sathianathan (Thanksgiving Int.)
- Tue 25th *St James, Apostle - Feast*
10am Mass: Ted Bowers (RIP)
- Wed 26th *SS Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Memorial*
10am Mass: Catholic Grandparents (Int.)
10am Mass: Blacksmiths & Farriers (Int.)
- Fri 28th 12 noon Mass: Sr. Arne (Int.)
- Sat 29th *St Martha - Memorial*
5pm Confessions
6pm Vigil Mass: Volunteer Missionary Movement (Int.)
- Sun 30th *SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*
8.15am Confessions (also after Latin Mass)
8.30am Latin Mass - Extraordinary Form
(8th Sunday after Pentecost)
Pro Populo: Celebrant Fr Matthew Goddard
10am Sung Mass: Princess Maria (Int.)

Welcome Fr Wilfred Epie - joining us from Cameroon this Sunday 23rd July Our Cameroon community will be taking an active part.

FUTURE LATIN MASSES
An advanced notice that there will be Low Masses at 7.30 pm on Tuesday 15 August (Assumption) and Friday 8 September (Nativity of Our Lady).

ALTAR LINEN ROTA
23rd Teresa Williams / 30th Carmel McErlean

TODAY'S SUNG MASS

Responsorial Psalm, Gospel Acclamation
on back of this newsletter

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Glory to God in the highest, glory to
God in the highest, and on earth peace,
peace to people of good will.

SANCTUS – 467 or 966

MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION
966 (F)

AGNUS DEI – 467 or 966

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy is now on holiday until 10 Sept

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018

We start the new classes in October and also look forward to using the new building. Forms are available at the back if your child is going into Year 3 or above in September and you would like to be contacted nearer the time to enrol them.

SPEAKER & RETIRING COLLECTION

29/30 July: Volunteer Missionary Movement. If you are interested in learning about opportunities in mission volunteer work, please contact them - 0151 291 3438. Accommodation, monthly allowance and flights included. Anyone over 21 with one year experience in trade/profession

PARISH GATHERING

Sunday 6th August after 10am Mass in the Hall. Come for refreshments & hear latest parish news

ELSTOW ABBEY TAIZE PRAISE

Will be at 6.30 pm on Sunday July 30th.
All welcome.

GRANDPARENTS MEETING

In the Parish Room Tuesday 1st August 2pm. This is for all grandparents who are concerned to pass on our faith to our grandchildren. We share our experiences, have a cup of tea together, and give each other prayerful support. Do come along.

VINTAGE AFTERNOON TEA

Join us in the Hall 2pm - 4pm Friday 26th July for an Old English Tea Shop style afternoon.

Make new friendships and strengthen existing friendships while enjoying tea or coffee and delicious cakes from bone china tea services. Dance if you wish.



ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY
Our next meeting will be on Tues 1st August at 8pm in the parish room. All Welcome

TABLE CLOTHS AND TEA SERVICES

Due to the popularity of our Tea Afternoons on the fourth Friday of every month we need more table cloths, cups, saucers, plates, cake stands, knives, cake forks, tea spoons and tea pots. If you have any of these items surplus to your requirements please tell Christine Hughes or Fr Patrick.

YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS WEEKEND

During the weekend of the 20-22 October 2017, Young Catholic Adults will be running a retreat at Douai Abbey, it will feature Fr. Lawrence Lew O.P., and Canon Poucin ICKSP. The weekend will be full-board. YCA will be running the weekend with the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge of Cambridge who will be holding Gregorian Chant workshops. Further details at <https://v1.bookwhen.com/youngcatholicadults-douai2017>

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER CAMP

Inheritance, 24th-29th Aug,
Annual prayer Festival, Walsingham

BEDFORD FOODBANK

We are running low on the following items:
Tinned Vegetables, Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Pasta Hoops, UHT Milk, UHT Fruit Juice, Tinned Soup, Tinned Rice pudding, Granulated Sugar (500g + 1 kg bags), Tinned Custard, Jam, Cup-a-soup, Rice (500g or less), Toilet Rolls. Thank you for your continued support,

For the latest information about the Catholic community in Bedford and Kempston see: www.catholicbedford.wordpress.com
Interested in becoming a Catholic or would like to re-connect? Please feel free to speak to the priest and / or call Margaret on 0752 - 247 2946.

JUMBLE SALE

At Holy Cross Church, Goldington Road
Every Saturday morning from 8.30 a.m
Plenty of bargains!

CONFIRMATION 2018

Form on table at back of church that candidates details can be put, so numbers are known for October.

HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER

We are delighted to welcome Chris Baldwin to this important post. We are so grateful to him for volunteering.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Collections - Sat / Sun £542.50
Latin Mass £120.02

PRAYERS FOR OUR SICK

Please pray for the following who are ill:
Sister Ann, Claude Akpokavie, Stephen Billington, Lindsay Cooper, Marie Crofts, Rose Donaghy, Theresa Dunne, Joanne Elliott, Freya Ellis, Yvonne Irvine, Philip Iwaniv, Veronica Lewis, Emily Lomas, Robert Lopez, Patricia McManus, Canon Desmond Millett, Cliff Nicholls, Pauline Pulley, Christine Robinson, Ken Sharp, Shindy, Mary Stretton Carl Thomas, Jane Thomas, Tony Tierney, Michael Tighe, George Tomkinson, Lisa Underwood, Philip Ward, Karen Whelan, Adam Woolmore and Kathy Woolmore.



CATHOLIC PRAYER FESTIVAL

What: Biggest 5-day CPF for young adults in country.
When: Thu 24th - Mon 28th Aug 2017,
Where: Walsingham. Book via Youth2000 – see notice at back of church.

7th ANNUAL GK CHESTERTON PILGRIMAGE

Saturday 29th July, for details see: www.CatholicGKChesertonSociety.co.uk Send us any prayer requests; text to 07795205114 or CatholicGKCSociety@yahoo.co.uk

TABLE TOP SALE

No Table Top sale in August
Our next one is Saturday 16th September
Christ the King Church Hall
9am to Noon, Entry 50p
Refreshments available
For information call Sue on 01234 965497

CAFOD

We are pleased that Rachel Kirkham and also Victor have kindly volunteered to be our local representatives for this important Catholic charity. We look forward to sharing their plans.

LEGIO MARIAE – The Legion of Mary

brings its members together to persevere with one mind in prayer with Our Lady, our Queen. Then it sends them into the sinful and sorrowful places to do a good work. Thus, filled with fire, it looks out over the highways and byways of everyday life as the opportunity for a still more glorious mission



The secret of happiness is to live moment by moment and to thank God for all that He, in His goodness, sends to us day after day.
St Gianna Molla