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Parish of St John Vianney

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME Yr B

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11th July 2021

Alleluia, Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life; you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia! Alleluia!

A RECORDED MASS ~ For The Fifteenth Sunday can be found on our web site: www.stjohnvianney.co .uk / What's On / Recorded Services.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ~ Is available on request.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ~ Jean Hunter & Ray Copp who have died recently.

MORNING PRAYER ~ Will be prayed on weekdays at 9.10am, prior to 9.30am Mass.

BAPTISM ~ Congratulations to Isaac Hardman who received the Sacrament of Baptism recently.

FIRST SACRAMENTS ~ Congratulations to all our children celebrating their Communions. "Yes, it is my Father's will that whoever sees the Son and believes in him shall have eternal life, and that I shall raise him up on the last day." (John 6: 40)



ST THOMAS BECKET PARISH ~ This week, Bishop Mark asked me to undertake the pastoral care of St Thomas Becket Parish, Tarporley, whilst remaining as Parish Priest of St John Vianney. Initially, this shouldn't be too onerous as Fr. Joe, the retired Parish Priest, resides in Tarporley and is able to continue celebrating Sunday Masses. I look forward to joint ventures and closer ties between St John Vianney Parish and St Thomas Becket Parish over the coming years – God willing! Fr Paul

FINANCE ~ Thank you for last Sunday's Offering: £1076.20

200 CLUB ~ July draw. 1st prize £33.83 Mr J. Murphy. 2nd prize £20.30 Joan Halpin.

IN SPITE ~ Of 60,000 in Wembley! please continue to be vigilant in and around church. Observe social distance. *Sanitise* your hands before entering and wear a *face covering* whilst indoors. Please *sign in* (or scan the QR code) during the week, but continue to book in for *weekend Masses*.

TO BOOK FOR MASS ~ Please ring (ideally before Friday):

To attend Mass at **Our Lady's** please ring 01606 781600 To attend Mass at **St Bede's** please ring 01606 270209 To attend Mass at **St Wilfrid's** please ring 01606 42440 Please leave your name, contact number & the Mass you wish to attend on the answer machine. We will only return your call, if there are no places available.

AMENDED MASS TIMES FOR THIS COMING WEEK

| 8.30am 10.00am 10.00am 11.30am 4.00pm 5.30pm <u>MON 12th JULY</u> 9.30am | St Wilfrid's St Bede's St Wilfrid's St Wilfrid's St Wilfrid's St Wilfrid's St Benedict St Wilfrid's | Parishioners David Bowker Louis Whiteside Kathleen Mason <i>Exposition</i> Pat Barry Stephen Danhunzio |
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| <u>TUE 13rd JULY</u> 9.30am 12.00pm | St Wilfrid's St. Bede's | Yearley Int Geraldine Paul |
| <u>WED 14th JULY</u> 12.00pm | Our Lady's | Carmel Barnes |
| <u>THUR 15th JULY</u> 9.30am 12.00pm | St. Bonaventure St Wilfrid's St Bede's | Saro, Emanuele & Nella Goodcore Thanksgiving |
| <u>FRI 16th JULY</u> 9.30am | Our Lady of Mount Car St Wilfrid's | <i>mel</i> David Boylan |
| 12.00pm | St. Bede's | Halina Jaworowski / Alice Gorman |
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MASS TIMES ~ Along with the rest of Society, our churches closed when we went into the first lock-down on 21st March 2020. We spent the next 15 weeks in virtual isolation. Churches were allowed to reopen for public services on the 4th July 2020 and since then we have put on many extra Masses in order to accommodate social distancing. Our churches have been comfortably full throughout this period, which is a great tribute to yourselves. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Anne and all our Stewards & Cleaners for working so hard in keeping our churches open, safe and welcoming. I would also like to publicly thank our retired Clergy, **Fr. Jim, Fr Ambrose & Canon John**, without whose help the extra Masses would not have been possible.

Now that Government restrictions are being relaxed, it is necessary to return to our regular pre-Covid Mass times: 5.30pm (vigil) Our Lady's // 9.15am St Wilfrid's // 11.15am St Bede's // 5.30pm St Wilfrid's.

However, I am conscious that many of you will be concerned about entering a crowded building, so I propose to retain the 6.00pm vigil Mass at St Bede's and also to include an 8.00am Mass at St Wilfrid's. This will be reviewed at the end of August. We also have the Saturday midday Mass, which I know is popular with many of you.

So from the weekend of the $24^{\text{th}}/25^{\text{th}}$ July Mass Times will be:

5.30pm Our Lady's 6.00pm St Bede's 8.00am St Wilfrid's 9.15am St Wilfrid's 11.15am St Bede's 5.30pm St Wilfrid's

I am still awaiting guidance from our Bishops regarding social distancing and the wearing of face covering after the 19th July. I will keep you informed. There is also the possibility of outdoor Masses (St Bede's) if the weather allows. Thank you again for your assistance; for your understanding and for your prayers. God Bless - **Fr Paul**

RIGHT TO LIFE ~ Thanks to all who contacted their MPs last week. Diana Johnson MP withdrew her amendment which would have allowed abortion on demand, for any reason, up to birth in England and Wales. <u>www.righttolife.org.uk</u>

TODAY IS SEA SUNDAY ~ A Message from the Vatican: "We are celebrating the second Sea Sunday (11 July) against the background of the Covid-19 pandemic. The world may have come to a standstill but the ships have never stopped sailing from port to port delivering critical medical equipment and medicines to support the fight against the spread of the virus. This emphasizes that the maritime industry is a vital part of the world's economy. Some 90% of the world trade is carried by ships or, more accurately, by the 1.7 million seafarers who work on the ships.

We thank the People of the Sea for their work, and our gratitude is transformed in our prayer that the Lord grants them strength in moments of weakness, unity in diversity, safe and smooth sailing and, at the end of their contract, happiness to be reunited with their loved ones..."

Full the full text click on: <u>https://www.indcatholicnews.com/news/42587</u>

A £300 donation from the parish will be sent to assist Port Chaplains and all at sea.

RED MISSION BOX HOLDERS ~ You are invited to meet Fr Michael (via Zoom). Fr. Michael is a Mill Hill Missionary who is currently serving communities in east Malaysia. He was previously in Cameroon. He will chat about his experience on the Missions, about his vocation as a Mill Hill Missionary, and is ready to answer any questions you may want to ask him. Join him on Friday 23 July at 10.30am. For further details go to: redbox@missio.org.uk



THE ARLEY GARDEN SOIREE ~ This Thursday 6.00pm – 10.00pm. A unique opportunity to meander around the formal gardens in the tranquility of the evening light. For prices & tickets ring 01565 777353 or visit www.arleyhallandgardens.com