

# St Augustine's Catholic Church High Wycombe

## Fifteenth Sunday of the Year (B)

11 July 2021

**Please take the newsletter home with you for reference.**

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Morning Prayer 9.15am Mon-Sat. Evening Prayer 6.15pm

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Sunday 11 July - 15th Sunday of the Year (B)**

**Sea Sunday**

**Vigil Mass 6pm (Sat)** People of the Parish

9am Dicks Family Int.

11am Jonathan Hanbury & Ann Scott RIP

6pm Giorgio Borghini RIP

**Monday 12 July -**

9.30am Holy Souls

**Tuesday 13 July - *St Henry, Confessor***

9.30am Holy Souls

6.30pm Mass

**Wednesday 14 July -**

9.30am Mass

**Thursday 15 July - *St Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor***

9.30am Fr Tom Feighan RIP-Anniv

6.30pm Cynthia Soneja RIP

**Friday 16 July - *Our Lady of Mount Carmel***

9.30am Mass

**Saturday 17 July -**

09.30am Hugh Gilgunn RIP

**Sunday 18 July - 16th Sunday of the Year (B)**

**Vigil Mass 6pm (Sat)** Stella Fernandes RIP-Anniv

9am Mass

11am Flissy Bishop

6pm Mass

### **Psalm response**

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

### **Gospel acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!

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

Acc: 1. We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

### **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED**

**SACRAMENT: Saturdays from 3 - 4pm**  
With **BENEDICTION** about 3.50pm.

**CONFESSIONS IN THE CHURCH** on  
Saturdays between 3.00 and 3.30pm  
Or

**CONFESSIONS** - Please ring to make an appointment.

**RETIRING COLLECTION TODAY**  
FOR: 'SEA SUNDAY'

### **MASS BOOKINGS & CANCELLATIONS:**

Please, if you make a Mass Booking and then are unable to be present, let us know of this. The Sunday morning Masses especially are getting quite full and we have on occasion had to redirect people to another Mass because of being fully booked. However, there were still empty seats in the church due to people not coming as arranged. Of course, sometimes things happen at the last minute with no time to cancel, but if you are able to cancel then we can offer your places to others, Thank you very much for your help.

**PASTORAL AREA COUNCIL:** Our new enlarged Pastoral Area, of similar size to our old Deanery, is preparing once more for meetings, and is looking for one or two representatives from each Parish. The PAC will normally meet three or four times a year so the work is not too burdensome. The PAC exists to facilitate communication within our group of parishes, so we can know what is going on and perhaps participate in events taking place in other parishes. It may also discuss new initiatives in the parishes, coming from its members or elsewhere. Also it may deal with matters of general concern, seeking to formulate a coherent approach. If you would like to represent our Parish on this body please do have a word with me and I can pass your contact details on to Fr Sean.

**CONFIRMATION:** Our Confirmation Programme has now begun, and I would ask the parents of those candidates who were absent from our meeting on Thursday evening please to get in touch with Fr Daniel as soon as is convenient.

**COVID RESTRICTIONS:** As 19th July draws closer, we hope to have more information next weekend on what will change and what will remain the same and on how we plan to continue to keep safe all who join us for worship - and allay any anxieties they may have.

**SOCIAL DISTANCING:** Because some people may be more cautious or more concerned than others, it is planned to keep the **South Aisle of the Church (the side nearest the exits)** as a Socially-distanced zone for a period of time - depending on how long it is needed or required. Those wanting to use this space will be asked to continue to book in the usual way.

**COMMUNION:** Initially we shall still be **administering Holy Communion to people in their places**. A full summary of how the changes will work will be reissued once we have the go-ahead to ease restrictions further. As previously stated any further ideas that people have will be welcomed, as will any comments on how well things are working (or not!) once we do begin to ease restrictions.

**ALTAR SERVERS:** Some of our Altar Servers have managed to remain active throughout the pandemic and, as we appear to be coming to an end of it, it is time to encourage Servers to return to their Ministry. Once the need for social distancing is lifted we shall be arranging a meeting for Altar Servers and also for any who would like to begin Serving at the Altar, particularly among the numbers of those who have made their First Holy Communion during the pandemic

**SATURDAY VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY will continue through to the end of August - so long as sufficient numbers are regularly attending.** Hand sanitiser will continue to be provided, and cleansing maintained. Social distancing measures will, as previously stated be gradually eased over the weeks following the government giving permission to ease or abolish them.

**WE WELCOME:** Ethan & Morgan KEOWN & Lucas KEOWN-MORRIS who were Baptised on Saturday, and Elodie BOWYER who will be Baptised later today.

**CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM:** Baptisms are able to go ahead, by arrangement, with 30 people attending.



**COMPANIONS IN CHRIST:** Zoom Meetings on Tuesday's All welcome. 7.30pm doors open, 7.45pm start, 9pm finish. Although there is no obligation to attend every week and you can just drop in on a Tuesday evening if you feel like it. Please email Sarah Priestley [mrs\\_s\\_priestley@hotmail.com](mailto:mrs_s_priestley@hotmail.com) or Catri Plummer [c.plummer@ntlworld.com](mailto:c.plummer@ntlworld.com) for the Zoom details if you would like to attend.

**ROSARY GROUP - ALL WELCOME**  
Every Wednesday evening  
7.45pm - 9pm via Zoom.

Please feel free to join in on a flexible basis. For joining details, contact Deacon Brin on 07931 607249 or email: [brin.dunsire@gmail.com](mailto:brin.dunsire@gmail.com)



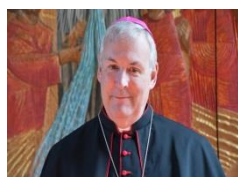
### MASS INTENTIONS

Just a reminder that with Mass still being said every day, if anyone wishes to book a Mass for a particular intention they may continue to do so, putting an envelope with the request and the Mass offering in the post or through the door if you pass by when doing your shopping.



**NEWSLETTER:** The Parish Newsletter may be picked up by those attending Sunday Mass in paper form, or it can be found on the Parish website.

**BISHOP DAVID** has produced a series of short talks focussed on **'The Church'**. These videos can be viewed on the Northampton Diocese



YouTube channel. Simply type 'Northampton Diocese' into the search bar on YouTube and click on 'The Church' playlist. All the videos in this series so far will be displayed.

OR

The videos premiere weekly at 6.30pm on Wednesdays, however they can be viewed at any time. The link for the series is:

[https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLigXOaGqhQzNpf\\_eRN22OCpVpaEk-0Bn3](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLigXOaGqhQzNpf_eRN22OCpVpaEk-0Bn3)

### WYCOMBE HOMELESS CONNECTION

For news and updates please visit:

[www.wyhoc.org.uk](http://www.wyhoc.org.uk)

### RIGHT TO LIFE: Prayers for July

**11th** - "We pray for all considering abortion. We pray that the love and support of those around them would encourage the mother to continue with her pregnancy and find peace in what the future holds. Lord hear us"

### IN THE STUDIO WILL BE LIVE AT 8PM ON 15TH JULY:

on our Youtube channel 'Luxnymo' This online event is open to everyone of **secondary school age** and has great talks, prayer, Grill the Priest, a quiz and much more, all from coming live from our studio!

### ROCK OUT AT RETRO FESTIVAL FOR FREE:

LOVE LIVE music? Love the 80s? Then why not volunteer at Let's Rock retro festival this summer and enjoy the event for free? Signing up to do a four-hour shift with our charity partner **Child Bereavement UK**, selling wristbands and raffle tickets on the day, you will be able to not only help a great cause, but also enjoy the festival free of charge. Pennfest (Buckinghamshire) - **Friday 23 July & Saturday 24 July** Cookham - **Saturday 02 October**. For full details please Contact: [lorna.muchie@childbereavementuk.org](mailto:lorna.muchie@childbereavementuk.org) of events or you can sign up **HERE!**

### THE 11TH ANNUAL GK CHESTERTON WALKING

**PILGRIMAGE:** will take place on **Saturday 24 July 2021**. You can sponsor Stuart as he raises funds for Good Counsel on this 27 mile walk here;



[www.justgiving.com/fundraising/gkcwalk21](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/gkcwalk21)

You can email prayer intentions to be prayed for along the way, to: [catholicgkcsociety@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:catholicgkcsociety@yahoo.co.uk) You can join us for Mass or part of the walk on the day or even just join us by saying the GK Chesterton Prayer on the day wherever you are. Find details and the prayer in a number of languages here; [www.catholicgkchestertonsociety.co.uk](http://www.catholicgkchestertonsociety.co.uk)

**In your mercy...** Please pray for Kay Carroll who has died. Please keep her and her family in your prayers.

**Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord...**

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Edith Lewis, Irene Duckers, Margaret Hunter, Kathleen Nilan, Bridie Kennerson, Brian Bryant, Celia Avery, John McClave, Joan Harrison, Sharon O'Brien, Billy Brycland, Theresa Ramsbottom, Christina Guarino, Fr. Tom Feighan, Teresa Sealy, Sydney De Cruz.

**LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £  
+ Standing Orders of £696**

**DIARY OF EVENTS**

2021

06 Aug - The Transfiguration of the Lord

15 Aug - The Assumption of BVM

08 Sep - Nativity of the B.V.M

31 Oct - All Saints

02 Nov - All Souls

21 Nov - Christ the King

28 Nov - Advent 1

05 Dec - Advent 2

12 Dec - Advent 3

19 Dec - Advent 4

**+Useful Websites:**

<https://northamptondiocese.org>

<http://www.catholicreadings.org>

<http://www.heavensroadfm.com>

<http://www.walsingham.org.uk>

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk>

<https://northamptondiocese.org/donate/>

<http://cafod.org.uk/coronavirus>

**CAFOD NEWS:** It has been a difficult time for many people over the last year and we are so thankful for the support the Catholic community has given to us and the work you've made possible. Here are a few examples of [communities transformed by water](#), including a nice video of [Binga from Zimbabwe](#) delighted at a new water source. See also: [cafodnorthampton.wordpress.com](http://cafodnorthampton.wordpress.com)

**PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL**

Holy Michael, the Archangel defend us in the day of battle. Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the wicked spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

