

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Entrance Antiphon

O Lord, I trust in your merciful love. My heart will rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me.

Psalm Response

The Lord is compassion and love.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia Alleluia!
If anyone loves me he will keep my word,
And my Father will love him, and we shall come to him.
Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon

I will recount all your wonders, I will rejoice in you and be glad, and sing psalms to your name, O Most High.

Please pray for the following who are sick:

Sr. Catherine, Matthew Fearn, Ray Foster,
Marty Tye, Winnie Cullen, Norman Wyatt, Mary Hillman,
Christopher Browne, David Dale, Margaret Brown,
Pauline Feeny and Margaret Gainey

Please join in praying for the Pope's Mission Intention for February that all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees and marginalised, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

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19 February 2017

7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Cycle A

Saturday Mass 5.30 pm

Michael Mee - R.I.P.

Sunday Mass 9.30 am

The Parish

Monday 20 February	12.00 pm - Holy Mass
Tuesday 21 February	12.00 pm - Holy Mass
Wednesday 22 February	12.00 pm - Holy Mass
Thursday 23 February	12.00 pm - Service of the Word with Holy Communion 3.30 pm - First Holy Communion parents' meeting at school 7.30 pm - Parish Pastoral Council Meeting
Friday 24 February	12.00 pm - Holy Mass
Saturday 25 February	10.00 am - Holy Mass
Sunday 26 February	Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

NOTICES

St Patrick's and St Anthony's Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2018: is now being advertised. Full details are displayed on the Lady Chapel noticeboard. Please read all the information carefully and register your interest ASAP. Places are limited. If you have any questions, please contact Lorraine Miller.

Traidcraft: Fairtrade Fortnight is 26 Feb to 11 Mar - on the weekend of 4/5 Mar, we will hold a **Big Brew event after each Mass** in our Hall with a collection for Fairtrade. Everyone is welcome.

First Holy Communion - will take place at St Patrick's on **Sunday 18 June at the 9.30am Mass.**

A Meeting for the Parents of the First Holy Communion group will be held on **Thursday 23 February** at 3.30pm at the School. Parents are asked to write or email Fr John giving their contact details with their request for their child to receive First Holy Communion this year.

Quiz Night Friday 3 March 7-9 pm in St Patrick's School Hall in aid of school funds and 2017 Leavers. Special round for children, half-time raffle, bring your own drinks and snacks. Suggested: £2/person, max £5/family. Everyone welcome as always - please come along, have a laugh with friends and fellow parishioners while supporting this event, maybe even win a fab prize!!!

Help is needed with the washing of the Altar linen. We would like to have a rota for this task, so if you are able to take a turn please contact Christine Harvey on 01249 654164. No experience necessary as full training will be given.

Diocesan News

- **Prinknash Abbey Retreat Days 2017-** A complete list of dates and brief description of the subject matter is on the notice board in the Lady Chapel.
- **Nibblers Group and Vianney Group sessions** - If you feel you may have a **calling to the religious life**, there are opportunities to follow this further. There will be 4 "Nibblers" sessions around the Diocese, and the Vianney Group will re-start in February. See notice board.
- **Childrens Liturgy of the Word - 18 March** at Alexander House, 160 Pennywell Road, 10am - 1 pm.
- Bishop Declan will celebrate several **Liturgies of Reconciliation** during Lent and on Thursday 6 April will do so at St John's Trowbridge at 7.00pm.
- **Youth Ministry:** Lent Reflections of Young People and Young Adults, Youth Ministry Training, and "Born for This" musical - see notice in Lady Chapel
- **Marriage Preparation** - course dates posted in Lady Chapel

Please remember **our homeless and the Foodbank** with donations of coffee, tea, sugar, biscuits etc. **Please put your donations in the plastic bin at the back of the Lady Chapel. Thank you.**

Rotas	19 February 2017	26 February 2017
Eucharistic Ministers - Saturday	Mr R Jones Mrs W Jones Mrs K Chatman	Mr J Forster Mrs L Taylor Mrs T Lynch
Eucharistic Ministers - Sunday	Mrs C Boardman Mrs C Haggarty Mrs A Tarren	Mrs A Graham Mrs C Maloney Mrs P Ruffell
Readers - Saturday	Mrs L Paynter Mrs M Jones	Mrs M Hibbott Mrs A Keat
Readers - Sunday	Mr J Maloney Mrs C Maloney	Mrs J Wragg Mr J Roger
Counters	Mr & Mrs Harvey	Mrs R Crew Mrs J White
Hospitality	Mrs C Haggarty Mrs J Cox	TBC
Church Carers	Miss J Newman Mrs J Normile	TBC
Flowers	Mrs B Traynor	TBC
Children's Liturgy Sat 5.30pm Mass	Half-term Break	Lucy and Ann-Marie
Choir Practice Wed 3.30-4.30pm	22 Feb - No practice	1st March-Ash Wednesday 6 pm (please note 1 off time)
Service of the Word with Holy Communion	Thurs 23 Feb - Anne Keat	Thurs 2 nd March Jane Wragg
Hall Booking Evelyn Power: 01249 713051		

Ecumenical Lent Groups 2017

From 6 March to 10 April, this year's course follows Paula Gooder's *"The Joy of the Gospel"* based on Pope Francis' recent reflection on mission and evangelism- *Evangelii Gaudium*. These meetings will take place on **Monday evenings at 7.30 pm** at St Aldhelms, Pickwick Road and **repeated on**

Thursday mornings at 10.30 am at St Patrick's Parish Hall, starting with Coffee/Tea at 10.15 am for 10.30 am start.

Volunteers are needed from St Pat's to provide the Thursday refreshments. Please sign up on the list in the Lady Chapel.