

**Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Second collection next weekend for Bishop's Charitable Fund**

**Entrance Antiphon**

See, I have God for my help.  
 The Lord sustains my soul.  
 I will sacrifice to you with willing heart,  
 and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

**Psalm Response**

The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
 Open our heart, O Lord!  
 to accept, the words of your Son.  
 Alleluia!

**Communion Antiphon**

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,  
 has made a memorial of his wonders;  
 he gives food to those who fear him.

Please pray for: Pauline Feeney, John Hunt,  
 Mark Leather, Margaret Brown, Lindsay Price, Sam Butler,  
 Richard Keat, Stephen Marsh and Christopher.

If you wish to be added to the Prayer List, please write to, or email, Father John

Please join in praying for the Pope's Prayer Intention for July that priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

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21 July 2019

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Readings: Cycle C

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5.30pm

Holy Mass

Sunday Mass - 9.30am

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Monday 22 July	12.00pm - Holy Mass
Tuesday 23 July	12.00pm - Holy Mass
Wednesday 24 July	12.00pm - Holy Mass
Thursday 25 July	2.00pm - Holy Mass at School
Friday 26 July	12.00pm - Holy Mass 2.00pm - Care Group Meeting
Saturday 27 July	10.00am - Holy Mass 5.30pm - Vigil Mass
Sunday 28 July	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 9.30am - Holy Mass

## Dates for your Diary

**Sunday 21 July: LGBT+ Mass** at St Nick's Bristol at 3pm followed by refreshments and social.

**Saturday 27 July: Strings Incognito Concert** for our Parish projects here in the church.

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July:** Krysia is jointly leading a one-day retreat "Wellness in Nature" from 10am-5pm in Bromham. For more details please contact her on 07891 712586.

**Sunday 4 August 12pm-4pm: Parish BBQ:** to celebrate the 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the opening of our Church Hall, we shall be holding a BBQ in the church grounds. Please bring your own drinks plus a salad or dessert to share. Burgers, sausages and rolls will be provided.

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> August:** Training Sessions for new Leaders of Service of the Word (see next page)

**12-16 August: Clifton Diocese Summer Camp** (Ages 7-11)

**19-23 August: Clifton Diocese Summer Camp** (Ages 12-16)

Each week includes outdoor activities, catechesis, faith development, friendship and much more. Now taking bookings (£200 per child). See Diocesan website or <http://livingyourfaith.co.uk>.

**23-30 August 2019: Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage** - please see poster on notice board and note next page

**13-19 September: Retrouvaille Programme** - this programme has helped 6,000 couples who were experiencing difficulties in their marriage in the past year. There is no group therapy or group work. For more details see the poster on the notice board.

**18-20 October: Vocations Discernment Retreat** - see next page

**24-28 May, 2020: Parish Pilgrimage to Fatima**- see next page

Those who attended the Deanery Day with David Wells on the 2<sup>nd</sup> June are invited to a follow up evening on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September in St. John's parish Centre Trowbridge at 7 pm. We will be looking further into the possibility of establishing a 'Wisdom Group' for our Deanery to support the changes necessary in light of fewer clergy in the future.

## NOTICES

**Strings Incognito:** the locally based orchestra **Strings Incognito** are returning to St .Patrick's Church to give a concert on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 2.30pm. The programme will include well known classics, rock, pop and film music. This will raise money for our two parish projects, **Mary's Meals**, who work with schools in poorer parts of the world to ensure that children get one meal a day while they are at school, and **Project 61**, a Bristol based charity who work to re-integrate ex-offenders into the community. Tickets are available NOW from the Church and they are free as we have to limit numbers, so please make sure you take them in advance. On the day there will be a raffle and tea/coffee in the hall during the interval. please add your name to the list in the Lady Chapel if you can help in any way.

**Training Sessions for new Leaders of Service of the Word:** Saturday 3 August and Saturday 10 August at 11am to 12 noon. Please attend if you can - if not, alternative dates will be arranged.

**Have you ever wondered what God is calling you to do with your life? If so, please read on!**

A three day Vocations Discernment Retreat organised by Clifton Diocese and Downside Abbey for Catholics aged 18-35 years old, will be held at Downside from Friday 18<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October. The talks during the Retreat will consider all vocations; the consecrated life; priesthood; and lay life. Speakers include Sr Elizabeth Mann, Fr Nicholas Crowe OP and Prof. Gavin D'Costa. The residential cost with all meals included is £50 in shared accommodation in a Retreat House or £70 in an en-suite twin room in the Monastery Guest Wing. The non-residential cost is £40. No one should feel unwelcome if they cannot meet these costs. For more information and to book please contact the organiser [rinabird@outlook.com](mailto:rinabird@outlook.com) or see the poster on the notice board.

**24 to 28 May 2020: Parish Pilgrimage to Fatima.** The cost covers all flights, transfers, and full board accommodation in a 4\* hotel, close to the Sanctuary. For further information and to register an interest, please read the poster next to the Lady Chapel notice board.

*Please continue to remember Corsham Foodbank and Borderlands*