

## Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Entrance Antiphon

Turn your eyes, O God, our shield;  
And look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your  
courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

### Psalm Response

Lord, come to my aid.

### Gospel Acclamation

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

### Communion Antiphon

With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption.

Please pray for: Pauline Feeney, John Hunt,  
Mark Leather, Margaret Brown, Lindsay Price, Sam Butler,  
Richard Keat 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 August that families, through  
their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly 'schools of true human growth'.

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18 August 2019

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings: Cycle C

Saturday Vigil Mass - 5.30pm

Sunday Mass - 9.30am

The Parish

Monday 19 August	12.00pm - Holy Mass
Tuesday 20 August	12.00pm - Holy Mass
Wednesday 21 August	2.00pm - Seniors Mass
Thursday 22 August	12.00 pm - Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
Friday 23 August	12.00pm - Holy Mass 2.00 pm - Care Group Meeting
Saturday 24 August	10.00am - Holy Mass
Sunday 25 August	Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Dates for your Diary

**Thursday 22 August - Deanery Pilgrimage to Littlemore- in the Steps of Cardinal Newman:** Coach from Chippenham at 10.00am. Price £10/seat. Mass on arrival. Bring a packed lunch. Tour of the 'College' in the afternoon. John Henry Newman was received into the Catholic Church here on 9 October 1845. He will be canonised in Rome on Sunday 13 October. Further details from Fr Martin Queenan, email: martin.queenan@cliftondiocese.com or on 01985 212329.

**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

**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. See the notice on board.

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

**26 October : Day on Prayer & Meditation** in the Clifton Cathedral Apostle Room 10.30am - 3.15 pm. Fee £10. See notice on board.

**25 September at 7.00pm: Deanery Day Follow-up Meeting:** 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.

Marriage Care" provides Marriage Preparation Courses as well as counselling for couples experiencing difficulties. Further information on their website: [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk)

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

**Very Many thanks! Fro your birthday / retirement well wishes and gifts.**  
**J O'Brien**

## NOTICES

**Traidcraft** takings the other weekend £105 Thank you everyone, especially those contributing to the food bank.

Warmest birthday wishes to Kath Fry on her 99<sup>th</sup> Birthday on 16<sup>th</sup> August.

**Sponsored walk:-** Will King hopes to raise money by taking part in walking the twenty bridges of London on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. This starts at Richmond Bridge for approximately 22 miles following the Thames footpath and finishes at Tower Bridge. He is hoping to do this in under 7 hours. This is to help him take part in an expedition to Tanzania to undertake a community project and needs to raise £3,000 for his fees. Please help if you can? This can be done via <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/will-2020tanzania>

**News From Borderlands:** Some numbers from July 2018-June 2019:  
In 12 months we have seen approximately **715 individuals** who have eaten more than **5000 meals** and received **3,497 English lessons** and taken **1,868 food bags** home. We also estimate that we have provided access to **interpreters 146 times**. These amazing numbers would not be possible without the help throughout the year of around **140 volunteers, 50% of whom are Borderlands members!** and of your generous support. Thank you from Steve.

A three day Vocations Retreat by Clifton Diocese and Downside Abbey for Catholics aged 18-35 years old, at Downside from **Fri 18 to Sun 20 October**. 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

**Medjugorje-** please see notice board for details of pilgrimages throughout 2020

**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

Congratulations to Alexis and Matteo Macor on making their First Holy Communion on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2019

*Please continue to remember Corsham Foodbank and Borderlands Borderlands.*