



Sacred Heart Parish and Diocesan Shrine & Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour



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OL = Our Lady's
SH = Sacred Heart

8th/9th August 2026

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday	OL	9.30am	St. Dominic	Felix & Monique Durocher-Yvon & William Rymer (Found.)
	SH	5.30pm	Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year A	Alex Rossetti R.I.P.
Sunday	OL	9.15am		Leslie & Joanna Cooper (Foundation Mass)
9th August	SH	10.30am		Annie & Tom Connors R.I.P.
Monday	SH	9.30am	Feast of St. Lawrence	Jill McPhee R.I.P.
Tuesday	OL	9.30am	St. Clare	For the people of Donesk
Wednesday	SH	9.30am		Maureen McQueenan (Special Int.)
Thursday	OL	9.30am		Graema Gardner R.I.P.
Friday	SH	9.30am	St. Maximillian Kolbe	Leann Marie Hannelly R.I.P. (Anniversary)
Saturday	OL	9.30am	Our Lady	James McNicholas (Foundation Mass)
	SH	5.30pm	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Year A	Maureen Moriarty R.I.P.
Sunday	OL	9.15am		Dennis Stratton (Foundation Mass)
16th August	SH	10.30am		John Dorothy (Foundation Mass)

Confessions. Confessions will be on Saturdays, at Our Lady's from 10am-10.30am and at Sacred Heart from 4.45pm-5.15pm.

Events at our churches. Our Lady's: Tuesdays 1-2pm: Parish Prayer Time.

Wednesdays from 2pm - 3pm: Rosary & Exposition.

Thursdays 1-2pm: Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour. 7.30pm: Divine Will Prayer Group

Saturdays after 9.30am Mass – 12noon: Exposition.

Daily 9am before Mass (except Sunday): Rosary.

Sacred Heart: Exposition: Saturdays from 4.45pm - 5.15pm. Mondays 10-11am – except Bank Holidays.

Anniversaries: John McCarthy, James Kinley, Edna Holton, Jean Daines, Rose Rush, Teresa Urban, Johnny Connor, Anthony Lawrence, Olivia Doyle-Jones, Michael Mannion, Helen Monk, John Coveney, Alan Wood, Clarence Wilson, Albert Chappell, John Connaughton, Terry Tierney, Leann Hannelly, Eric Newton, Liam Dunphy, Juliana Opokua, Patricia Opeabea, David Lang, Sarah Barber, Eileen Postians. **R.I.P.**

Please pray for all our recently deceased. Maureen Moriarty.

Please pray for all our sick.

The Holy Father's Special Intention. For evangelization in the city. Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

Tea & Coffee at Sacred Heart. Refreshments after 10.30am Mass continues every Sunday in the church hall. Everyone is very welcome to come along and join in with coffee, cake and chat.

St. Gregory's Church. On Saturday 15th August, there will be Mass at 10.30am followed by Eucharistic Exposition and Sacrament of Reconciliation. At 12noon there will be the Rosary in the garden. All are welcome.

CAFOD – DEC Venezuela Earthquake appeal. You can help our neighbours affected by the 24th June earthquakes in Venezuela with emergency shelter, water and food. CAFOD is already working with local Church partners to support people who have lost their homes, but we need your support to help more survivors. Your donation will provide essential supplies and help families rebuild their lives. Donate to the CAFOD-DEC Venezuela Earthquake Appeal today: <https://cafod.org.uk/give/donate-to-emergencies/venezuela-earthquake-appeal>. Please keep our neighbours in Venezuela in your prayers.

Governors for our Catholic Schools. Being a Governor is a rewarding way of volunteering to support your local Catholic schools. We need foundation Governors at St. Thomas Becket school from September to replace two long standing foundation Governors who have stepped down after many years' service. If you are interested in volunteering to support Catholic education in this way, then for more information contact catkin@olicatschools.org

Alpha course. Alpha is a place to share a meal, watch a short video and talk honestly about life, faith and meaning. Starts with lunch on Thursday 17th September, 12noon-2pm, then every Thursday until 3rd December. There is an overnight retreat on 6th-7th November. The Alpha course is free. For more information, have a chat to Alex on 07963 032175.

Strategic Lead for Caritas Social Action. We're seeking a passionate individual to lead Caritas initiatives across the Diocese of Northampton. This part-time role (3 days per week) is based at the St Thomas Centre, Northampton. If you are committed to Catholic Social Teaching and have experience in project leadership and community outreach, we'd love to hear from you! Full information for the position and an application form can be found by visiting <https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs> All candidates should complete a Diocesan application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org This vacancy remains open until the position is filled.

Role Vacancy – Chair of the Safeguarding Advisory Board. The SAB continues in its search for a new Chair to lead the work of the board. The SAB meets on a quarterly basis (3 meetings online) to oversee the work of the safeguarding office including new and ongoing reports of allegations and concerns. A new Chair is required to lead the board with an initial term period of 3 years. A brief description and role specification is available. We are keen to hear from anyone who might be interested in this rewarding role, an opportunity to support the diocese to build further upon its recent audit and improve safeguarding standards for all. Please get in contact on 01604 723514 to discuss the role further.

NHS research – Improving Black Health Outcomes (IBHO) Bio Resource. In Black communities, more research is needed to improve understanding of health conditions and to develop better treatments. The IBHO would like to recruit people from Black communities who would be willing to take part in the research. It is as simple as completing a questionnaire and providing a blood and/or saliva sample. and if you are interested, you can contact them on 0800 090 2233 or at ibho@bioresource.nihr.ac.uk

Parish Registration: We no longer hold any data in our parishes unless it is held within CASPAR. Therefore, we are asking all parishioners to follow the link or QR code (scan with your phone's camera) and sign up. Please note, if you would like to receive the newsletter by email on Fridays, you must register for CASPAR.

Our Lady's: www.caspar.church/me?ID=56012. Sacred Heart: www.caspar.church/me?ID=56062

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