



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



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16th/17th July

Sixteenth Sunday of the Year

Saturday	OL	9.30am	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	David Stevens (Foundation Mass)
	SH	5.30pm	Sixteenth Sunday of the Year Year C	Eddie Farmer R.I.P. (Anniversary)
Sunday 17th July	OL	9.15am		De Bless family (Foundation Mass)
	SH	10.30am		Mary Dorothy (Foundation Mass)
Monday	SH	9.30am		Desmond Keohane R.I.P.
Tuesday	OL	9.30am		Kathleen Winifred Turner (Foundation Mass)
Wednesday	SH	9.30am		Paul Bartram (for his intentions)
Thursday	OL	9.30am		Monica O'Connor (Foundation Mass)
Friday	SH	9.30am	Feast of St. Mary Magdalene	Christopher Callaghan R.I.P.
Saturday	OL	9.30am	Feast of St. Bridget of Sweden	Frank Corr R.I.P.; Garry Carabine R.I.P.
	SH	5.30pm	Seventeenth Sunday of the Year Year C	Lois Hallam R.I.P.
Sunday 24th July	OL	9.15am		Kay York (Foundation Mass)
	SH	10.30am		Varkey John R.I.P.

Response to Sunday's Psalm: "The just will live in the presence of the Lord."

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.

Saturdays after 9.30am Mass – 12noon: Exposition.

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

Sacred Heart: Exposition: Saturdays from 4.45pm - 5.15pm and Wednesdays 1.30pm – 3.30pm.

The Net Charismatic Prayer Group: first and third Wednesday of the month 7.30pm - 9pm.

Adoration on Wednesdays at the Sacred Heart. This will NOT take place during August due to summer holidays. We are sorry to disappoint those who come regularly.

Anniversaries: Kathleen Howey, Ronald Jeffrey, Norah Matthews, Francis Rooney, Andrew Travill, John Rigel, Margaret Bunting, Darren Tierney, Ann Mulhern, Kimberley Middleton, Patrick Carroll, Marie Harrison, Gregory Mullen, Josef Igielski, Ron Doran, Michael Myckaboy Connors, Allie Connors. **R.I.P.**

Please pray for all our recently deceased. John Eyre, Jim Griffin, Hannah Bowen, Christopher Callaghan & Peter Them.

Please pray for all our sick.

Pope Francis' Special Intention. July: We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

This Week's Liturgy of the Word: Gen 18:1-10, Ps 14: 2-5 r.1, Col 1:24-28, Luke 10:38-42.

Next Week's Liturgy of the Word: Gen 18:20-32, Ps 137: 1-3. 6-8 r.3, Col 2:12-14, Luke 11:1-13.

Induction Mass. Bishop David will be inducting Fr. Brendan as Parish Priest of Our Lady's and Sacred Heart parishes on Tuesday 20th September. The Mass will be at the Sacred Heart at 7pm. Everybody is most welcome.

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.

Sacred Heart SVP Community Pop-in. Every Thursday, 10am – 2pm. Pop in for a chat, a cup of tea or something to eat. Why not come and join us?

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SVP request. If any of our lovely parishioners has bunk beds (with fire standard labels if upholstered) that can be passed on to those in need, we would be very grateful.

Helping the Ukrainian crisis. The SVP are collecting essential items to send to the Polish/Ukraine border. Any items from the following list will be very gratefully accepted: **Pot noodles or similar, tinned food (ring pull tops), food for children and infants, water, tea, long life milk, nappies/diapers, blankets, sleeping bags, torches, batteries, hot water bottles**, but in particular we need **toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, etc.)** The items will be collected at the Sacred Heart Church on Sundays. Thank you all so much for your generosity so far.

Vacancy - Personal Assistant to the Bishop of Northampton. An exciting opportunity has arisen to support the work of the Bishop of Northampton, Bishop David Oakley, in one of the most important, challenging and varied roles, at the heart of the Diocese. Fast paced and challenging, with a huge amount of variety, duties range from taking responsibility for Bishop David's administrative and secretarial needs to the management of projects on his behalf. This would suit someone with experience as a Senior Personal Assistant or Executive Assistant, who is willing and able, given the knowledge of its organisation and functions, to support the mission of the Catholic Church. Salary: £27,000 - £32,000 (FTE) dependent on qualifications and experience. Working hours: 25 hours per week (Monday – Friday). Full information for the position and an application form can be found by visiting <https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs/> or via email hadmin@northamptondiocese.com. Closing date for applications is Friday 29th July 2022. Interview dates to be confirmed.

Lourdes Candle and Petitions. As in previous years, during this year's Sacred Heart Pilgrimage to Lourdes, we will light a large candle on behalf of the parishes to burn in the grotto at Lourdes. There is a card candle in the Sacred Heart porch; if parishioners would like us to pray for their family, friends or themselves at the candle service, please print the names of those for whom you would like us to pray clearly on the candle and we ask that you contribute £2 to go towards purchasing the candle in Lourdes. Money can be given to Colette, Gareth or Carmel Davies at the Sacred Heart Church, or alternatively put in an envelope in the box in the porch. We hope to be able to livestream the candle service on the Sacred Heart Facebook page, where the names of those on the candle will be read out and we will pray for them. Billing parishioners can put their money in an envelope with the names clearly printed and give this to Fr Brendan. We are also happy to take petitions to Lourdes to be placed in the grotto. Please put these in a sealed envelope and put them in the box in the porch or give them to Fr Brendan. Please do not put money in these envelopes!

Young Catholic Adults (YCA) Weekend 2022. Theme: "The Communion of Saints' prayer and the veneration of Holy Relics". During the weekend of the 7th-9th October 2022, Young Catholic Adults will be running a retreat at Douai Abbey with the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge who will be holding Gregorian Chant workshops. There will also be a Marian Procession, Rosaries, Sung Masses, Confession, talks (and socials). Prices start from £12 (come for the day) and £55 per person per night (residential). Book soon as places are limited! Please note to guarantee your place Douai Abbey have requested that everyone books in 3 weeks before the start of the weekend (16th September 2022). For More information: <http://youngcatholicadults-latestnews.blogspot.co.uk/> or <http://www.youngcatholicadults.co.uk> To book go to: <https://bookwhen.com/youngcatholicadults-douai2022>

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GK Chesterton Pilgrimage. The 12th Annual GK Chesterton Pilgrimage will take place this year on the hundredth anniversary of GKC being received into the Catholic Church, Saturday 30th July. Please send any prayer requests to; CatholicGKCSociety@yahoo.co.uk or text them to 07795 205114. Details of the many different ways in which you can be involved on the day, as well as printable GKC prayercards can be found on our website, www.CatholicGKChestertonSociety.co.uk Over the years we have raised over £15,000 for Good Counsel with sponsorship from the Pilgrimage. Donations can be made here, <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/gkcwalk22>