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14th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

HOLY MASSES THIS WEEK:

Saturday	7 th July	6.00pm	Sunday Vigil Mass. People of the Parish
Sunday	8 th July	8.00am 10.30am	Albert Vernor (Selena Vernor) William Gill
Monday	9 th July	10.00am	Requiem Mass for Patrick Gerard Callanan
Tuesday	10 th July	7.00pm	Bill Moor (Michael & Angela Thelwell)
Wednesday	11 th July	10.00am	Bernard Mitchell (Collette Campbell)
Thursday	12 th July	10.00am	Fr John Hartley (Mario, Maria & Vanessa D'Souza)
Friday	13 th July	10.00am	Private Intention
Saturday	14 th July	10.00am	Private Intention
15th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR			
		6.00pm	Sunday Vigil Mass. June Bell (Chris Bell)
Sunday	15 th July	8.00am 10.30am	Betty Braganza & Joseph de Mello (Stephen & Joyce Nunes) Jyotin Patel (Gorgi Patel)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10:30am
 5:00 - 5:30pm

DEVOTIONS

- Prayer of the Church (Divine Office): Morning or Evening Prayer will be said 20 minutes before holy Mass (except 5.30pm on Saturdays)
- Daily page reference for Morning or Evening prayer. Sat pm p.85; Sun: p.90; Mon p.105; Tue p.116; Wed p.126; Thu p.137; Fri p.148; Sat am p.158, p.163
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Fridays, after holy Mass until 12 midday.
- Public recitation of the Rosary, after each morning holy Mass, except Fridays.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS:

Parish Meetings: 'HOW TO PRAY': 11th, 18th July, at 7.00pm, in hall
Open Air Mass: Sunday 15th July at 10.30am. Followed by light lunch.

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS WHO ARE UNWELL:

We pray for God's healing for all who are unwell: Amy Mayo, Ron Thomas, Siobhan Duffy, Pat Morgan, Maria Petrillo, Audrey Davies, Mark Blackwell, Fred Wye, Kathleen McDonagh, Pat McDonagh, Ann Luck, Lily Evans, Ann Abbott, Bob Stanley, Michael Louis, Freda Jordan, Collette Nevens and Edna Swan.

PRAYERS FOR PARISHIONERS WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OF DEATH OCCUR AT THIS TIME:

Kath Gray, Dorothy Margaret Borthwick, Bernard Kelly, Ernest William Smith, Patricia Hagon, Fred Williams, Patricia Storey,

NOTICES FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

EVANGELISATION

INTERESTED IN KNOWING MORE ABOUT OUR CATHOLIC FAITH?

It is a joy to see that we are joined at holy Mass, each Sunday, by wonderful people who don't happen to be Catholics. Perhaps, you are the husband, wife, friend, colleague, neighbour of someone who is a Catholic and you accompany them to holy Mass. You are most, most welcome, indeed with open arms. It is a great pleasure for us that you join us for holy Mass. We would like, very much, to share the joy and peace and love and life of the Lord, through our Catholic Faith with you, in the fullest and best possible way. In the Autumn, I hope to arrange some very relaxed, informal get-togethers for everyone who isn't Catholic but who would like to get to know our Faith a little better. Also, if you are an adult Catholic but have never received the Sacrament of Confirmation, these meetings would be great for you, too. Please let me know if you would like to join me for these meetings. Please speak to me or drop me an email or give me a call. There will be absolutely no pressure on you to become a Catholic. If you did choose to become Catholic that would be fine. If you choose to just find out more about our Catholic Faith, that is wonderful

SPIRITUALITY

THE DIVINE OFFICE - THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Whenever you come to holy Mass, please come 20 minutes before it is due to begin (5.30pm Saturdays) and please take one of the large prayer books you will find at the back of the church and please join in the prayers of The Divine Office. I will be guiding everybody through the prayers so don't be concerned about not knowing how to follow it. These are the same prayers said by Jesus himself, Our Lady and all the Saints who have gone before us and who found that these prayers, the Psalms, brought them strength, joy and peace. These are the prayers which are prayed by Christians all over the world. They are constantly being used for prayer, day and night - a constant stream of praise and glory to God. They could be a wonderful foundation for your own prayer-life.

SPIRITUALITY AND CATECHESIS

MEETINGS ON THE THEME OF 'HOW TO PRAY'

In preparation for the Eucharistic Congress in Liverpool, we are asked to think about 'Prayer' and about how to pray. Someone recently said to me that the Church encourages us to pray but doesn't actually teach us how to pray! In July, we will have a series of meetings which will be designed to help us to pray better, to understand what Prayer is and what it isn't and to experience different ways of praying. Please put the 11th and 18th July, at 7pm, in the hall, in your diaries.

ADMINISTRATION/FUND-RAISING

HALL MANAGER

I'm very pleased to tell you that Maria D'Souza has very kindly agreed to join Peggy in managing our Parish hall. There is a lot of work still to be done to ensure the safe and proper use of the hall. It will take us a little while to identify and establish all that needs to be in place. If you have any queries about the hall and/or if you might wish to use or rent the premises, please call Maria on 07736 243672 or 0203 6547294

SECRETARIAL SERVICES

I'm delighted to tell you that Lizzie and Bershani will be acting as our joint Parish Secretaries. Thanks to their help, our Parish Office will normally be open on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings, after holy Mass until about 12.30. You can be sure that normally, somebody will be in the Parish Office at these times, on these days, to answer your calls and any requests and queries you may have.

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS:

Please note the changes, as listed overleaf, in the times when our Parish Office will be open.

SOCIAL LIFE

OPEN AIR MASS FOLLOWED BY LIGHT LUNCH SUNDAY 15TH JULY

Following a recent meeting to discuss the social life of the parish several suggestions were made to help us grow as a parish.

Together with Father Malachy we have decided to have an open air Mass in the parish garden (weather permitting) This will be at 10.30am on Sunday 15th July followed by light refreshments. Please see the list at the back of the Church for food donations and let us know if you are able to help with this event.

EXERCISE BIKE

Fr Gus have left behind an almost new Exercise Bike. Free, to a good home! Let me know.

- Last Sunday Offertory Collection 1st July £ of which £ was gift aided. £103 in Standing Orders, all Gift Aided.
- Counters this week: J & D Willis Next week: P Mould & S Milne