



# The Parish of Our Lady & St John & Christ the King



Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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Sunday Mass times	6pm (Sat)	10am	11.30am
READERS 7-8 May	J O'Donohue	J & M Shinkwin	Heath family
" 14-15 May	K & J Walker	Children	R. Metcalf
Cleaning/Flowers 13 May	Group D (G)	Heath Family (W)	////////////////////
Counters (next 3 weeks)	9 May W - O'Connell	16 May - C Quinton	23 May - S. Jones

**OFFERORY COLLECTION- 1.05.16 = £465.60p**(envs & loose cash only) Many thanks to all who have contributed.

**CONGRATULATIONS - TO Lorraine Goddard & Mark Johnson** who were married last Sunday in OL&SJ - Our best wishes and prayers for them both for a long and happy life together.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS** will be at 10.00am on Sunday, 5 June, 2016. Lessons continue on Tuesdays at 4.15pm.

**VESPERS & BENEDICTION** continues most Fridays during term time at the Oratory School Chapel (Woodcote) at 6.00pm. Parishioners are always welcome to attend.

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK** - Please remember in your prayers, Bishop William Kenney, Dom Antony Tumelty OSB, Ray Lynch, Marianne Stuit and Jennifer Bruce as well as others known to us who are ill and undergoing various treatments as well as elderly residents in our care homes.

**COLLECTION AFTER MASS THIS WEEKEND** for CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS.

**THE CONFIRMATION CEREMONY** on Wednesday evening marked a very special and encouraging occasion in our parish. The following young people of the parish received the Sacrament from Archbishop Bernard: **Matthew Allen, Jemima, Frederick & Archie Bermingham, Katie & Scott Elkington, Thomas Hart, Patrick Heath, Aoife & Orla Jones, Charlotte Leaver, Mairead Mackney, Laoise O'Donohue and Aoife Warren.** I would like to thank their parents for encouraging them along the way and wish the young people every blessing for their future education and progress in love and understanding of their faith and their unique place in the Church and our parish.

**50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF CHRIST THE KING CHURCH** is this year. It would be good to mark this event in several ways. On **Sun 21 August**, there will a Mass of Thanksgiving at 11.30, followed by a barbecue. The day will end with Vespers & Benediction in the afternoon. Please put this in your diaries if you expect to be at home in the parish on that day.

**THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** will be conferred this Sunday on pupils at **The Oratory School**, some coming from families within our parish. We wish every blessing to all those being confirmed and their parents and sponsors.

### SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sun 8 May - ASCENSION OF THE LORD  
Sat 6.00pm - Parish  
Sun 10.00am - Pauline Colbert RIP  
11.30am -  
Mon 9 - feria  
10.00am -  
Tue 10- feria  
9.30am -  
Wed 11 -feria  
9.30am -  
Thu 12 - SS Nereus & Achilleus  
9.30am -  
12.00-

Hymns
465
485
275
55

Fri 13 -Our Lady of Fatima  
9.00am *Holy Hour followed by Mass*  
10.00am -  
6.00pm - *Vespers & Benediction* (Oratory School)  
Sat 14 - Vigil of Pentecost  
9.30am -  
6.00pm - Parish  
Sun 15 May - Pentecost (Whitsunday)  
10.00 - (*Children's Mass*)  
11.30am -  
4.0pm - *Vespers & Benediction* (Woodcote)

**Confessions** - Saturdays, 10.30-11.00am and after 6pm Mass (OLSJ). Confession at Woodcote: 12.00-12.30, 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month. Confession also on request.