



St Benedict pray for us

The Catholic Parish of Our Lady & St John, Goring-on-Thames & Christ the King, Woodcote

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SUNDAY 10 JULY 2022

SUNDAY XV OF THE YEAR (*Pentecost V*)

Monday 11 ST BENEDICT
Tuesday 12 Feria
Wednesday 13 St Henry
Thursday 14 St Camillus of Lellis
Friday 15 St Bonaventure
Saturday 16 Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Sunday 17 XV OF THE YEAR
(*Pentecost V*)

Goring	Sat 6pm	Michael Lewis (anniv.)
Goring (Latin)	8.00am	Parish & people
Goring	10.00am	Peter Nockles (hospital)
Woodcote	11.30am	Private intention
Goring	2.00pm	<i>Baptism—Fanny Dennison</i>
Goring	7.30am	Farnborough Abbey
Goring	6.00pm	Mary Rita RIP
Goring	9.30am	Private intention
Woodcote	12.00pm	Private intention
Goring	9.00am	<i>Holy Hour</i>
Goring	10.00am	Private intention
Woodcote	12.00pm	<i>Confessions</i>
Goring	5.00pm	<i>Confessions</i>
Goring	6.00pm	Private intention
Goring (Latin)	8.00am	Parish & people
Goring	10.00am	Private intention
Woodcote	11.30am	Private intention
Woodcote	4.00pm	Vespers & Benediction

The priests are always delighted to receive requests for Mass intentions. Please let us know about the ill, the housebound and those who need the Sacraments at home. The Rosary is prayed 15 minutes before Mass. Mass is streamed on the Goring and Woodcote Catholic Parish page on Facebook. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

REFRESHMENTS

Please stay if you can after the 10am Mass. There is coffee in the Galilee and an opportunity to meet each other.

SECOND COLLECTION

Today is Sea Sunday and there is a collection for Stella Maris—the new name for the Apostleship of the Sea—which does wonderful work with the world's sea-farers.

BACK ON DECK

Thank you to everyone for your patience and best wishes during the 11 days when I was under the weather. I tested negative last Friday and will be back on duty this weekend. With a bit of luck things will be back to normal very soon although it may need a few days to get the usual energy levels back. Public thanks to Fr Andrew Foster from Watlington who kindly offered to help out this weekend as Fr Jacob and Fr David Rocks did last weekend. *Please remind me (ideally by email) of any Mass intentions. Better safe than sorry.*

CHARLES HOLLIDAY RIP

During the week our dear friend Charlie Holliday passed to his rest. The end came swiftly and peacefully on Tuesday, the day before his 99th birthday, at Cleve Lodge. Charlie and Kitty were involved in the life of the parish for over 50 years in so many ways. If you look at the photograph of Fr Orchard and Fr Wrighton in the Galilee, Charlie and Kitty are in the original photograph just behind Fr Wrighton's left shoulder, sadly cropped for that large-size print. How many of us have a painting or a drawing from Charlie's hand in our houses? May he rest in peace. His Requiem Mass and funeral are likely to be in the week beginning the 24th. Full details will be posted here next Sunday.

PARISH PICNICS

I am hoping to find two Sundays to have a garden parties at Goring and at Woodcote. August is probably a bad month. How about early September?

VOTIVE LIGHTS

... burn during the month of July for the Goddard and Moffett families, for departed members of the Lewis family and for the soul of Christopher Quinton. Please ask if you would like to sponsor a votive light in someone's memory or for a specific intention in August.

SCHOOL LEAVERS

Please pray for all those who have now finished their public examinations and particularly for those who will be moving on to new schools, to higher education or to the world of work in these next few weeks. These are great moments in their lives and their families' lives. Please pray for members of the teaching profession. I will never forget the long weeks of waiting for pupils' results. These last couple of weeks of the school year can be tricky ones.

READERS AT MASS

6.00pm Shinkwin family
10.00am MacIntosh family
11.30am E. Hupe; F. Preston

PLEASE PRAY ...

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Rosemary, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Patricia, Kevin, Dora, Grazyna, John, Linda, Patsy, baby Annabelle, John, Emily, Rose, Ilene, Richard, Catherine, Patrick, Anne, Malcolm, Ida, Charlotte, Denis, Henry, Teresa, Peter, Paul, Jemima, Eddie, Barry, George, Fr Patrick, baby Robbie, Oliver, Crispin, Cordelia, baby Luna, Peter. Also for 7 other ill parishioners.

... for those who have died, among them Charles Holliday and Mary Rita; also for Mike Lewis and Theresa Harris (anniversaries this week.)

... for those soon to be married here and elsewhere. Please pray particularly for Emily and Rowan (30 July), Emily and Tiandre (20 August), Lily and Stephen (23 September) and Kate and Thomas (29 October.)

... for all those involved in the public life of our country. What a week it has been in Westminster!