



*St Aidan of Lindisfarne
pray for us*

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

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SUNDAY XXII OF THE YEAR (*Pentecost XII*)

Monday 29	Behheading of St John the Baptist	Goring	Sat 6pm	Luna Eve Rosa Catherine Buzon Calem
Tuesday 30	Ss Anne Clitherow, A Line, M Ward	Goring	8.00am	Parish & people (newly baptized)
Wednesday 31	St Aidan	Goring	10.00am	Private intention (FrJL)
Thursday 1	Feria	Woodcote	11.30am	Ilse Anna Inman RIP
Friday 2	Feria	Goring	1.30pm	Edna & Ignatius Pereira (60th anniv.)
Saturday 3	ST GREGORY THE GREAT	Goring	7.30am	M E Connolly (JA)
Sunday 4	XXIII OF THE YEAR (<i>Pentecost XIII</i>)	Goring (Latin)	6.00pm	In thanksgiving
		Goring	9.30am	Private intention
		Woodcote	12.00pm	Metropolitan Kallistos of Diokleia RIP
		Goring	9.00am	<i>Holy Hour</i>
		Goring	10.00am	Daisy Bevan & Peter Harris (marriage)
		Goring	5.00pm	<i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm	Day for Life & the unborn
		Goring	8.00am	Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am	Our benefactors (JA)
		Woodcote	11.30am	Private intention (FrJL)

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. In a change to the pattern of the last couple of years, the parish priest tries to take Wednesday after Mass as a quiet day. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

ILSE ANNA INMAN RIP

We send Monika Watters our sympathy and our love on the relatively sudden death of her sister, Ilse Anna, last week in Suffolk. We will offer this morning's Mass in Woodcote for her.

**PARISH GARDEN PARTY
NEXT SUNDAY**

4 September, 3pm to 5pm
3 Summerfield Rise

I am incredibly grateful to Phil and Graham Sadler for offering their beautiful garden for what is one of the first social events for the parish since the pandemic. Praise be! For catering purposes there are lists at the back of the two churches. Please come along if you possibly can. Help with catering and serving is urgently needed—the sort of things which cannot fall on one or two shoulders. Please have a word with me or the Sadlers if you can help. Summerfield Rise is off Elvendon Rd at the Cleeve end. There is some parking but it would be a kind if those of us who can walk, do walk!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

– Woodcote village fête. Saturday 10 September from noon to 5pm. As in other years, Fiona Preston is kindly co-ordinating our parish stall on the green. Donations for the stall are always welcome as are offers of help. In particular, things which can go into the children's lucky dip are always more than welcome. Please have a word after Mass.

– 18 September: recital for Ukraine. Our own Patrick Lillie is giving a recital of piano music at St Thomas's at 3pm. Entry is free; donations for CAFOD's Ukraine appeal.

– Harvest supper. Saturday 15 October, 7.30 for 8pm in the Galilee.

MARRIAGE SEASON

Please pray for Daisy Bevan & Peter Harris being married this week in St Brinius' parish and for Mary Hennessy & Jack O'Beirne (17 Sep); Lilian Robinson & Stephen Dempsey (23 Sep) and Kate Sayers & Thomas Ayling (29 Oct.) And for Edna & Ignatius Pereira (diamond wedding.)

BICYCLE RIDE

There is a circular bicycle ride starting from Woodcote Village Hall and taking in Goring this morning. Please take extra care leaving Mass,

READERS AT MASS

6.00 Simon Enright
10.00 The MacIntosh family
11.30 Rose Metcalf

REFRESHMENTS

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

MASS SERVING / SINGING

We will ramp up these two aspects of our worship in the autumn. They suffered in lockdown. Time for choir practice!

CONFIRMATION GROUP

We will start a confirmation group for any interested friends in September looking towards a Confirmation Mass at the end of the year. If you are interested, or know someone who is, please have a word. We will also start a refresher course for those whose classes were some years ago.

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, Oliver, Crispin, Cordelia, Peter, Monica, John, Eva Maria, Tom. Also for 7 others for whom we pray anonymously.

... for those who have died, among them Ilse Anna Inman and Metropolitan Kallistos.

... for Kerry Harding, for Mia Mary and Eva Elizabeth Proctor and for the Brown and Rapinet families for whom the votive lamps burn. Please ask for September.

... for all those receiving examination results in these weeks.

ST BERNADETTE'S RELICS
... will be in the UK in October. Closest to us will be Bicester on 9th & 10th. There will be a trip.