

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

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THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

		Goring	Sat 6.00pm	Martha Harrison's intentions
		Goring (Latin)	8.00am	Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am	Fr Bruce Dutson's intentions
		Woodcote	11.30am	Emily & Rowan Howard (wedding ann.)
Monday 7	Ss. Sixtus II & companions	Goring	7.30am	Mr M E Connelly (JA)
Tuesday 8	St Dominic	Goring	6.00pm	Joyce Mary Lander (JA)
Wednesday 9	ST TERESA BENEDICTA	Goring	9.30am	Private intention
Thursday 10	ST LAURENCE	Woodcote	12.00pm	Margaret McAteer (JA)
Friday 11	St Clare	Goring	10.00am	Private intention
		Goring	3.00pm	<i>Holy Hour for peace</i>
Saturday 12	St Jane Frances de Chantal	Goring	5.00pm	<i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm	Private intention
Sunday 13	SUNDAY XIX OF THE YEAR <i>PENTECOST XI</i>	Goring (Latin)	8.00am	Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am	Christopher Gray (anniv.)
		Woodcote	11.30am	Private intention

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 the daily Mass. Mass is streamed on the parish page on Facebook. The parish priest tries to take Tuesday before Mass as a quiet day. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

WOODCOTE HELP

Saturday 9 September will be with us sooner than we think. We have two events happening at the same time: the Oxfordshire Historic Churches Ride and Stride and the Woodcote village fete. As for many years past, we will need volunteers to run our usual stall on the village green and to donate things to sell. Please have a word with Fiona Preston if you know you can help. There will be more information closer to the day. As for the cyclists and walkers, it is possible to leave the churches open but it is more friendly to have people around.

GORING HELP

We are due to host at least two events at next June's Goring Festival. Ginny, the director, needs a link person to co-ordinate things. Could that be you?

HOLY MATRIMONY

Please pray for Eva and Graeme Nash who were married on Friday in Goring and for Emily and Rowan whose first anniversary fell last week.

VOTIVE LAMPS

... burn during August for Kerry Harding, for Eva and Mia Proctor, for the Brown family and for the intentions of a member of a parish family.

PARISH GARDEN PARTY

Phil and Graham Sadler have very kindly offered their beautiful garden for a parish party on Sunday 10 September from 3pm to 5pm. Please sign up to help.

HARVEST SUPPER

Saturday 14 October, 7.00 for 7.30pm in the Galilee, price £15. Last year's supper proved that we can seat 24 in comfort. Book early to avoid disappointment!

RESTORED TO USE

Ormsby's of Scarisbrick have recently returned two things which had become very dilapidated and in need of repair. You will see the Communion plate back in use when we have servers at Goring and the incense boat which was in a sorry state has been made good-as-new. If anyone would care to contribute to the cost of this, that would be very gratefully received. I know that Fr Antony was slowly working through things as and when he could. One bigger item which would benefit from a trip to the repairer (if you look closely) is the silver altar crucifix at Goring. Perhaps it can be done by Christmas.

ANNIVERSARIES

Please pray for Alma Collins, Robert Kettler, Mary Brewis and Duncan McVean.

PLEASE PRAY ...

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Kevin, John, Patsy, Annabelle, John, Emily, Rose, Ilene, Catherine, Patrick, Anne, Charlotte, Denis, Teresa, Peter, Paul, Jemima, Barry, Oliver, Cordelia, Peter, Monica, Eva Maria, Tom, Charlie, Sophie, Paul, Jacob, Justin, Victoria, Maureen, Eva, Bob, Gail, Tony, Francis, Claire, Fr Bruce, Ann, Joan, Rosemary, Tim, Susannah, Anzelika, Bill, Lucy, Linda, David and Lindsey, Heather, Gail, Sister Maria Goretti & 12 others.

... for those preparing for marriage including Shihani and Jordan, Jessica and Christopher, Leah and Philip.

PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY

Mind the young hedgehogs!

Readers at Mass: 6pm Monique Wilkinson; 10am David Browne & Richard Harding; 11.30am the Heath family

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