

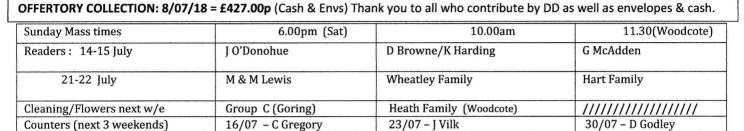
# The Parish of Our Lady & St John & Christ the King

Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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PARISH NEWSLETTER: 15/07/2018. FIFTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY. Psalter Wk 3



PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR —Patricia Bursey, Anne-Marie Hupé, Rosemary Allen, Ray & Margaret Lynch, Lucia Leeson, Mary Hoban, Betty Browne, Jenny Logan, Elizabeth Leaver, Maurice & Eve Smithson & family, Dora Nash.

ANNIVERSARIES— James Lennane, Joan Eastwood, Marie Anne Stuit, Pauline Burke, Lily Keenan: Requiescant in Pace

# MISSION APPEAL

On the weekend of  $3^{\text{rd}}$ -  $4^{\text{th}}$  August there will be an appeal given at all Masses for **SURVIVE-MIVA** – a voluntary organisation that supplies transport for missions overseas.

# FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Parents whose children will reach the age of seven during this calendar year should consider them ready to be prepared and instructed for First Confession & Holy Communion. Lessons will begin in the autumn. Names may be put forward any time between now and September.

SEA SUNDAY - COLLECTION LAST WEEKEND FOR THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA, AMOUNTED TO £188.00p

CONGRATULATIONS and every blessing to Jessica Hupé & Paul Ryan, who were married on Saturday 14th in CTK, Woodcote. We wish them many happy years ahead.

#### **OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL**

Mount Carmel features in the Old Testament as the place of the triumph of the prophet Elijah over the false priests of Baal (1 Kings: 18). It was a sacred site throughout the period of Israel's development as a people of the covenant. At the time of the Crusades in the 11th century a group of hermits came to live on Mt Carmel and followed a rule written for them by the Patriarch of Jerusalem. Gradually the Order spread all over Europe; their distinctive white cloak gaining them the name of "Whitefriars". Many great saints have been members of the order. The Feast of Our Lady of Mt Carmel is of English origin according to a revelation to St Simon Stock and connected with the scapular. The Carmelite image of Our Lady and the feast have become hugely popular in parts of Mediterranean Europe and the Americas.

# HYMNS ON SUNDAY

We are experimenting at 10 & 11.30am Masses on Sunday with new hymns sung to familiar tunes. The words of many of these hymns will therefore be unfamiliar to most. The aim is to increase our repertoire and begin to appreciate the rich variety of well-written hymns that can express themes from the scripture readings and also assist us in spiritual reflection and celebration at Mass.

dies in this garment will not suffer everlasting fire. It is s sign of salvation, a safeguard in danger, a pledge if peace and of the covenant." It is usually given a special blessing before being worn.

SUNDAY

**HYMNS** 

286

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570

686

# SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sat 14 July

8.00pm - Lily Keenan RIP

Sun 15 July - FIFTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

10.00am - Parish

11.30am – Joan Eastwood RIP

Mon 16 - Our Lady of Mt Carmel

10.00am - Bertha Čolohan RIP

Tue 17 - feria

9.30am -

Wed 18 – feria

9.30am -

Thu 19 -

No 9.30 Mass today

12.00 - (Woodcote)

Fri 20 –feria

9.00.am -Holy Hour & Benediction

10.00am-

The Brown Scapular of Carmel, the most popular of all small scapulars worn round the neck, is traced back to a vision in 1251 of Our Lady by St Simon Stock, in which she promised him that it would be "a scapular of your Order as a badge of my confraternity, and for you and all Carmelites a special sign of grace; whoever

Sat 21 - Memorial of Our Lady

2.00pm - Marriage of Julie Gregory & Billy Kuteesa

6.00pm - Parish

Sun 22 July - SIXTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

10.00am -

11.30am - Christopher Quinton RIP

Sacrament of Penance – Sat from 11-11.30am and after 6.00pm Mass in OL&SJ.

CTK, Woodcote, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat of the month from 12.00-12.30pm. Also on request, at either church.

The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity no 234216

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