

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

Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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PARISH NEWSLETTER: 20/05/2018. PENTECOST (WHITSUNDAY) - (B) Psalter Wk 3

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: 1	3/05/19 - 5455	(WIIITSUNDAY) - (B)	Psalter Wk 3
Sunday Mass times	3703/18 = £466.93p (Cash & Env	s) Thank you to all who contribute	
Readers: 19-20/05	6.00pm (Sat)	10.00am	Psalter Wk 3 by DD as well as envelopes & cash.
-705	J O'Donohue	10.00am	11 300Wa-1

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26-27/05	J O'Donohue	Children 10.00am	11.30(Woodcote)
Cleaning/Flowers next w/e	M & M Lewis	J & M Shinkwin	R Metcalf
Counters (next 3 weekends)	Group E (Goring) 21/05- S Jones	Heath Family	C Gregory/M Griffiths
ANNIVERSARIES -	SAINTS OF THE WEEK	28/05 - C Quinton	//////////////////////////////////////

Howard Rennix Larkin (1980)

CHURCH CLEANING - some more volunteers needed to lighten the load. Each team cleans for around an hour every 5 weeks. Contact Frances MacIntosh (01491 871162)

England & Rome; Anglo-Papal relations c1350-1870

A one day conference at Cathedral House, Birmingham, Monday 25th June, 10.45-4.00pm. Cost £20(inc. lunch) jjs_lspa@btinternet.com

MARY'S MONTH

Devotion to Blessed Virgin Mary is especially evident in this first month of the summer. Nature is in bloom and flowers are in plenty to adorn our shrines and images of the Blessed Virgin. The Rosary is said regularly in Our churches and in May we also add the Litany of Our Lady.

SAINTS OF THE WEEK -

Rita (1381-1457). Entering religious life after being widowed, she gained a reputation for holiness of life and a saint to turn to in impossible situations. Bede (673-735). A monk of Jarrow monastery he wrote a history of Christianity in England and other

spiritual commentaries. He was famous in his own lifetime for sanctity and scholarship.

Phillip Neri (1515-1595) His life coincided with the century of the beginning and the spread of Protestantism. Born in Florence he moved to Rome, was ordained a priest and went on the found the Congregation of the Oratory. Something of a holy eccentric, he appealed to many of the young, helping to reform the clergy of Rome. He often met with the young seminarians of the English College studying for the priesthood and praised their courage and dedication. Blessed John Henry Newman chose to found an Oratory and a school (now in Woodcote) in Birmingham. Houses of the Oratory also exist in London, Bournemouth, York, Cardiff, and Oxford, as well as USA & Canada.

PRAYERS ASKED 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.

GIFT AID TO YOUR CHURCH - if you pay income tax: All you have to do is sign up to use a weekly envelope or to a Direct Debit. Details available on request.

WALK WITH ME - a booklet of devotional prayers to the Holy Eucharist - free; on the shelves in the porch.

GARDEN PARTY

AT Newman's College, Littlemore, Oxford, Saturday 9th June from 3.00 - 5.00pm. Contact email address:

littlemore@newman-friends.org

SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sat 19 May

12 - Confessions at Woodcote

8.00pm -Parish

Sun 20 - PENTECOST

10.00am -

11.30am -

4pm - Vespers & Benediction

Mon 21 - feria (Wk 7 Ordinary time)

10.00am -

Tue 22 – feria (St Rita Cascia)

9.30am -

Wed 23 - feria

9.30am -

Thu 24 – Our Lord Jesus Christ, High Priest 9.30am -12.00 -

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SUNDAY 10.00am-HYMNS Sat 26 – St Philip Neri 119 6.00pm - Parish

Fri 25 - St Bede

Sun 27 - THE MOST HOLY TRINITY 10.00am -

9.00am - Holy Hour & Benediction

11.30am -

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

CTK, Woodcote, 3rd Sat of the month from 12.- 12.30pm. Also on request, at either church.

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

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