



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

Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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PARISH BULLETIN: 23/07/2017. ~~FIFTEENTH~~ **FIFTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY** (A). Psalter Wk 4

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: 16/07/17 = £505.20p. Many thanks to all who regularly support our two churches.

Sunday Mass times	6.00pm (Sat)	10.00am	11.30(Woodcote)
READERS 22-23 July	Walker Family	Macintosh Family	Mayer Family
" 29-30 July	Jones Family	J & M Shinkwin	Heath Family
Cleaning/Flowers next w/e	Group B (Goring)	Heath Family (Woodcote)	////////////////////
Counters (next 3 weeks)	24/07 - C Gregory	31/07 - W O'Connell	7/08 - S Jones

PRAYERS REQUESTED FOR: Dom Antony Tumelty, Ray Lynch, Helen Brown, Michael Browne, Mary Hoban, Betty Brown, Paul & Liz Boughton.

FR JACOB returns from his summer break on Monday 24th. It will be good to have him back among us.

SINCERE CONDOLENCES to Dympna Singleton and her family on the death last week in Dublin of her mother, Pauline Burke whom we remember in our prayers. May she rest in peace.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS – With all our local schools now closed for the summer we wish a pleasant vacation to both staff and pupils and safety in any journeys during the weeks ahead.

THANK YOU to the Oratory School for the use of the Old Chapel for Woodcote Mass during the Cycling Festival on Sunday 16th.



Statue of St James at the main west door of the Basilica in Santiago de Compostela

SAINTS OF THIS WEEK-

Sharbel Makhkuf – son of a Lebanese farmer who became a monk & hermit. He was canonised in 1977.

James – one of two Apostles of the same name. He was brother of John and both were sons of Zebedee who had a fishing boat. He was one the three with Jesus when he was arrested. He suffered martyrdom in 44AD, the first among the Apostles. His body is in Compostela, in the north of Spain.

Joachim & Anne – Mentioned in early Christian writings as the parents of the Virgin Mary. Anne, in various forms has been one of the most popular names for girls ever since.

Robert Sutton – Anglican vicar who became a Catholic priest and was martyred at Stafford on 27 July, 1588.

Martha – one of a family of three from Bethany who were among the closest friends of Jesus. He was a frequent visitor to their home. His last public miracle was the raising from the dead of Martha's brother Lazarus.

JULY- MONTH OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD

It might seem unlikely, but this devotion is shared by many Christians for whom it symbolises the price of the sacrifice of Jesus for sinners. Some of the popular evangelical hymns include verses that acknowledge the biblical foundation of the devotion and its timeless impact.

SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sat 22 July
6.00pm - Parish
Sun 23- **SIXTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**
10.00am - Pauline Burke RIP
11.30am -
Mon 24 - St Sharbel Makhkuf
10.00am -
Tue 25- **St James, Apostle**
9.30am -
Wed 26 - SS Joachim & Anne
9.30am -
Thu 27 -Bl Robert Sutton
No Mass at Goring today
12.00 - (Woodcote)

Sunday Hymns
71
118
236
275

Fri 28- feria

No Holy Hour during remainder of July

10.00am -

Sat 29 - St Martha

6.00pm - Parish

Sun 23 - **SEVENEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY**

10.00am -

11.30am -

Confessions – 11.00-11.30am and after 6.00pm Mass on Saturday. Confessions at Woodcote; 12.00-12.30pm on 3rd Saturday of each month. Confession is also available at other times on request.

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