

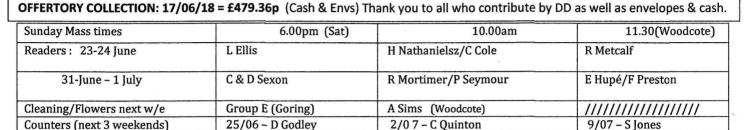
The Parish of Our Lady & St John & Christ the King

Goring - on - Thames & Woodcote

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PARISH NEWSLETTER: 24/06/2018. NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST. Psalter Wk 4



PREAYRES 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.

ANNIVERSARIES -Peter Mortimer

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)

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND -The traditional annual personal gift of Catholics to the Pope

DAY FOR LIFE - £202 collected last weekend.

SS PETER & PAUL

Friday of this week is a Solemnity of the first Class and a Holyday of Obligation. That means that all abled-bodied Catholics should attend Mass unless prevented by duty of care or physical impossibility. Masses will be at 6.00pm on Thursday and 10am on Friday at OL&SJ and at 12.00pm at CTK.

FINANCE & GENERAL PURPOSE COMMITTEE MEETING

This took place on Tuesday 19th to discuss the response of the diocese to our architectural plans for the parish room etc. Parish finance was also on the agenda. There are complications regarding the plans and further discussion with the diocesan representative will be required to reach agreement and approval. That should happen fairly soon. A meeting with the diocesan development representative mostly about funding and fund-raising took place in early June. There was positive feedback regarding application for grants. Parish accounts for the year 2017 will be found on the website. A parish meeting was intended, to report on the diocesan response to the plans. As we now await further discussion it was decided to have a meeting in September. The surveyor's report on our buildings -required by the diocese- is also on our website.

Congratulations & every Blessing to Albert Frederick Jones and his family. He was baptised in OL&S,I on Saturday 23rd June.

SAINTS THIS WEEK

Cyril of Alexandria; (376-44) Outstanding defender of then divinity of Christ and the divine Motherhood of Our Lady.

Irenaeus (130-202) Theologian and Bishop of Lyons. It is not known for certain that he was martyred but he is regarded as one.

Peter & Paul - The two greatest Apostles who united and formed the early Church. Both were martyred in Rome in the persecution of Nero in 64AD.

FR JACOB will be away from the parish and on holiday until July 23rd. We wish him and Carol a peaceful and restful time during the coming weeks.

SEA SUNDAY SPECIAL COLLECTION ON JULY 8TH FOR THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA - WELFARE OF ALL WHO WORK ON SHIPS.

SERVICES AND MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sat 23 June

11.30 am – Baptism of Albert Frederick Jones

8.00pm - Parish

Sun 24 - NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

10.00am - Ursula Fitzpatrick RIP

11.30am -

Mon 25- feria

10.00am - Mike Singleton RIP

Tue 26 - feria

9.30am - Paul Spacey RIP

Wed 27 - St Cyril of Alexandria

9.30am -

Thu 28 - St Irenaeus

No 9.30 Mass today

12.00 - (Woodcote)

6.00pm - Mass (Goring)

SUNDAY **HYMNS** 145

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Fri 29 - SS PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES (Obligation)

9.00.am -Holy Hour & Benediction

10.00am-

Sat 30 - First Martyrs of Rome

2.00pm - Baptism of Edward Peter James Fretwell

6.00pm - Parish

Sun 1 July - THIRTEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY 10.00am -

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 12.00-12.30pm. Also on request, at either church.

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

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