



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

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SUNDAY 14 MARCH 2021

MARCH	LENT IV	Goring (Latin)	8.00am Private intention (PF)
Sunday 14	Laetare (Mothering Sunday) <i>Lent sermons: Going to Mass with Marmion IV: Holy Communion</i>	Goring	10.00am Parish and people
		Goring (NB)	11.30am Fr KM's intention
		Goring	5.00pm <i>Stations of the Cross &amp; Benediction</i>
Monday 15	Feria	Goring (NB)	7.30am Didcot Girls' School (per DS)
Tuesday 16	Feria	Goring	12.00pm <i>Midday Office &amp; Stations of the Cross</i>
		Goring	6.00pm Private intention (PF)
Wednesday 17	Feria (St Patrick)	Goring	9.30am Jean Barrett RIP
Thursday 18	Feria	Goring (NB)	12.00pm Helge Pedersen RIP
Friday 19	ST JOSEPH	Goring	9.00am <i>Holy Hour (Benediction 9.45)</i>
		Goring	10.00am Leonid Myrch (anniv.)
		Goring	6.00pm <i>Vespers &amp; Stations of the Cross</i>
Saturday 20	Feria	Goring	12.00pm <i>Holy Baptism</i>
		Goring	5.15pm <i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm Rollo Ronksley
Sunday 21	LENT V (Passion Sunday)	Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish and people
		Goring	10.00am Rory Cook ( <i>Baptism during Mass</i> )
		Goring (NB)	11.30am Fr JL's intention
		Goring	5.00pm <i>Stations of the Cross &amp; Benediction</i>

The priests are always delighted to receive requests for Mass intentions. Please let us know about the ill and housebound. The church buildings are disinfected between Masses; other safety precautions laid down by the diocese are in place. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways. The Rosary is prayed 15 minutes before the daily Mass. Masses are on the Goring & Woodcote Catholic Parish page on Facebook and the Kenneth Macnab channel on YouTube.

**FROM HIS GRACE**

The text of the Archbishop's letter is available to take home.

**MONDAY MASS**

Please note the earlier time.

**WOODCOTE REPAIRS**

Last Tuesday's Deanery Meeting saw a conversation among the local parish priests about Christ the King. There were lots of supportive and helpful insights. The next port of call is the diocese in Birmingham. I remain hopeful that we may be able to celebrate outdoor Masses in the spring and on Easter morning in particular. **ALL MASSES ARE AT GORING FOR NOW.**

**CONTACTLESS GIVING**

The machine is at the back of church. Simply select an amount or enter another figure by hand and tap your card on the top. *Gift Aid* is nice and simple.

**FIRST H.C. GROUP**

Thursday at 4.30pm in church. We will have one more session and then a little break for Holy Week and Easter week. I am talking to the seven families involved to work out how we may best celebrate with our young friends in the time of lockdown. Watch this space.

**JEAN BARRETT, RIP**

We had the sad news that Jean Barrett died last week in the Old Vicarage nursing home in Moulsoford. She had moved there recently from Coombe House. It was very good that the parish priest from Wallingford was able to celebrate the last sacraments with her. It is likely that her Requiem Mass will be here on Monday week before being interred in the churchyard at Streatley. May she rest in peace. We send her nieces our prayers.

**MAGNIFICAT**

One or two friends have asked about the subscription details for the Magnificat booklets containing the Mass texts, Morning and Evening Prayer and much more for a month. Subscriptions for the UK version are organised through the *Catholic Herald* newspaper. The link is:

<https://www.paulineuk.org/browse/books/prayer/missals/item/periodical-magnificat-devotional-booklet/3400000001507>

Single editions are available through the St Paul's Bookshops or online:

<https://www.paulineuk.org/browse/books/prayer/missals/item/periodical-magnificat-devotional-booklet/3400000001507>

As I have mentioned before, two websites are of particular use: [www.universalis.com](http://www.universalis.com) for the liturgy in English (with a variety of texts) and [www.propria.org](http://www.propria.org) for the Latin.

**THE VOTIVE LAMPS**

... burn during March for Ray Lynch, Peter Vilk, Kathy King, Keith Mitchell and James & Teresa McAllister and family. Please ask for April.

**PLEASE PRAY ...**

... for Jean Barrett, Jenny Emer-ton and for Helge Pedersen who have died recently. Please pray too for the pupil at Didcot Girls' School who died suddenly last week and for the whole school community. We pray for Leonid Myrch whose anniversary falls this week.

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Rosemary, Betty, Dee, Elizabeth, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Kitty, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Patricia, Kevin, Mike, Dora, Br Harold, Tony, Grazyna, Thomas, Mary O'D.

... for Rory and Rollo to be baptized next weekend.