



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

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## SUNDAY 30 MAY 2021 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

		Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish and people
		Goring	10.00am First Holy Communion children
		Goring	11.30am First H.C. children <i>OL of Pompeii (Italy)</i>
Monday 31	VISITATION OF OUR LADY <i>The Vatican Gardens</i>	Goring (NB)	10.00am Michael Ellis RIP
Tuesday 1	St Justin Martyr	Goring	6.00pm Richard George intentions
Wednesday 2	Ss. Marcellinus & Peter	Goring	9.30am Sophie & Hans Scholl RIP
Thursday 3	St Charles Lwanga & cmps CORPUS CHRISTI ( <i>older calendar</i> )	Goring (NB) Goring	12.00pm A parish family's intentions 6.00pm ( <i>Latin Mass - older form</i> ) Parish & people
Friday 4	Feria ( <i>First Friday</i> )	Goring Goring	10.00am Private intention (recently deceased) 5.00pm <i>Holy Hour</i>
Saturday 5	St Boniface	Goring Goring	5.15pm <i>Confessions</i> 6.00pm Private intention (PF)
Sunday 6	CORPUS CHRISTI ( <i>Sunday in the Octave</i> )	Goring (Latin) Goring Woodcote (NB)	8.00am Parish and people 10.00am <i>Mass concluding with Benediction</i> 11.30am <i>OUTDOORS with Benediction</i>

The priests are always delighted to receive requests for Mass intentions. Please let us know about the ill and housebound. The Rosary is prayed 15 minutes before the daily Mass. Masses are streamed on the Goring & Woodcote Catholic Parish page on Facebook and the Kenneth Macnab channel on YouTube. Safety measures and daily disinfecting are in place. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

### 1ST HOLY COMMUNION

Please pray for Chloe Cook, Evangeline Bonnett and Ruaridh Henderson who will make their First Holy Communion at the two Masses this morning. For the third week running we are so lucky to share such TREMENDOUS day in the life of our parish with them. Please pray for Amelia and Isabella from two weeks ago and for Sascha, Sophia and Ana Rafaella last week. There will be a big celebration for all eight of them on 18 July. Welcome to family and friends here to support them today.

### CORPUS CHRISTI

Things are rather complicated this week. Technically, the bishops have moved the feast to next Sunday but the Church also keeps it on Thursday in the older form of Mass. Thursday's noon Mass will be of the Ugandan martyrs and the Latin Mass at 6pm of Corpus Christi.

### POPE FRANCIS

... concludes his marathon of prayer for the world in the grip of the pandemic in Italy. Today we pray in union with Christians at Pompeii. The month ends tomorrow at the Vatican.

### WOODCOTE

It was very good to welcome Eric Kirwan, the newly appointed Chief Operating Officer of the diocese to the parish last Friday and to be able to show him the parish and in particular explain the place that Christ the King has in our life and witness. I also heard this week from the diocesan solicitor who has been taking a detailed look at the complicated 1960s paperwork

### SEPTEMBER

4 September—memorial service for Kerry Harding. Please contact Mary Ann if you can come.  
8 September—Confirmation Mass & blessing of the building.

### WOODCOTE MASSES

I am very grateful to the Head Master of the Oratory School for the kind offer of celebrating the parish Mass in the old chapel at 11.30am as we did a few times in Fr Antony's time. We hope to start this by the end of June. Obviously both Covid planning and school safeguarding protocols need to be in place. We will work on this together over the next week or so. Our open-air Masses will still happen. It has been so nice praying at least next to our church even if not in it!

### GORING WORKS

If you look outside, the path to the main external doors by the magnolia tree is under construction. This has been carefully laid so that a wheelchair user may use the ramp and open the doors unassisted. Access is, and has been for many years now, a very important consideration in projects such as this.

### PLEASE PRAY ...

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Rosemary, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Patricia, Kevin, Mike, Dora, Br Harold, Tony, Grazyna, Mary O'D, John, Linda, Patsy, Annabelle, Penelope.

... for Michael Ellis who was laid to his rest last Friday and for those whose anniversaries fall this week, including Basil Radcliffe and Joy Kozakiewicz.

### THE VOTIVE LAMPS

... burn during June for Daniel Barrett, Peter Mortimer and the Codner, English, Johnston, Sims and Vilks families.

### NEXT SUNDAY

To mark Corpus Christi, the two main Masses will conclude with Benediction. Happy Feast!

### MONDAY

Mass at 10.00am not 7.30am for the old Whit Bank Holiday.