



*Feast of St Benedict*

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

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SUNDAY XV OF THE YEAR (*Pentecost VII*)

Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish and people
Goring	10.00am Hilda Johnson RIP
Oratory School	11.30am Michael Lewis RIP
Goring	7.30am Frank & Joan Boyce RIP
Goring	6.00pm Keirah Amaya Maria Kaczmarek
Goring	9.30am Fr Antony Conlon RIP (birthday)
Goring (NB)	12.00pm Maureen Campbell RIP
Goring	9.00am Holy Hour
Goring	10.00am Private intention (JPR)
Goring	5.15pm Confessions
Goring	6.00pm CS (retirement)
Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
Goring	10.00am Fr JL's intentions
Oratory School	11.30am The Thompson family

Monday 12	Feria
Tuesday 13	St Henry
Wednesday 14	St Cabgmillus of Lellis
Thursday 15	St Bonaventure
Friday 16	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Saturday 17	St Kenelm
Sunday 18	SUNDAY XVI OF THE YEAR ( <i>Pentecost VIII</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.

## MICHAEL LEWIS, RIP

## WOODCOTE

## GORING

## PLEASE PRAY ...

It is with great sadness that we mourn our friend Mike who died during the night on Thursday. As you know, only last Sunday we congratulated Maureen and Mike on their ruby wedding anniversary. It was my great privilege to offer Mass at Mike's bedside that afternoon and we enjoyed a very happy celebration. Mike's passing was peaceful and he died full of faith, fortified by the rites of the Church. We pray that his soul may know rest, light and peace. We send our sympathy, our prayers and our love to Maureen and to their whole family, not least to those whose travel plans have been complicated by the pandemic. May he rest in peace.

## CONFIRMATION

Archbishop Longley will be here on 8 September. We have 5 candidates already. Do you know anyone who would be interested? Does that question apply to you?

Now that term has ended, I am delighted to say that our 11.30 Mass will now be offered in ST JOSEPH'S CHAPEL at THE ORATORY SCHOOL in Woodcote. Please enter by the rear entrance to the school site from Greenmore. The St Philip House car park is immediately on your right as you enter the school grounds. There will be signs to the chapel. Huge thanks to Joe Smith and his colleagues and particularly this morning to Jonathan Bonnett who will be on duty in the car park to make sure we know where to go. Please remember that other groups are using the school site during the holidays. It is important that we go from car park to chapel before Mass and then head back to the car park straight after Mass.

Unfortunately we have detected further movement in the roof and ceiling at Christ the King. There is an urgent site meeting with hard hats on Tuesday.

The wet and humid weather has delayed the drying of the concrete screed so the wooden floor is not yet laid. However, the oak doors are now in position and look fabulous even before they have been glazed and oiled. I am sure Fr Antony would be pleased. This week sees Mass for him on his birthday. I would also like to thank David Goddard publicly for all his work on the hedges, the magnolia tree and the path in the last fortnight.

## PARISH EMAILS

I have swapped over to the diocesan system which means that we are compliant with modern GDPR legislation. Please use this email address if possible.

## THURSDAY MASSES

... will be at Goring for the present. Watch this space.

## 1ST HOLY COMMUNION

It looks as though our big celebration will be on 12 September.

... for Keirah Kaczmarek, baptized yesterday and for Gabriel Teixeira, baptized last weekend.

... 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, John B, Emily, Rose (after surgery.)

... for those who have died recently, among them Hilda Johnson (who was known to many in Goring, particularly through the WI,) Michael Lewis, Frank and Joan Boyce, Maureen Campbell. ... for teaching friends who have moved or retired from the OPS and OS this week.

## THE VOTIVE LAMPS

... burn during the month of July for Damien McAllister, Michael Schutzer-Weissmann and Christopher Quinton. One is still available. Please ask.