



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

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SUNDAY 11 JUNE 2023 SUNDAY AFTER CORPUS CHRISTI PENTECOST II

		Goring	Sat 6.00pm & <i>BENEDICTION</i> - Fr Alan Robinson
		Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am & <i>BENEDICTION</i> - Martin Quin RIP
		Woodcote	11.30am & <i>BENEDICTION</i> - David Arias (anniv)
Monday 12	Feria (Votive of St Barnabas)	Goring	7.30am Parishes dedicated to St Barnabas
Tuesday 13	St Antony of Padua	Goring	6.00pm Fr Antony Conlon
Wednesday 14	Feria	Goring	9.30am A parishioner's intentions - in thanksgiving
Thursday 15	Feria	Goring	12.00pm Martin Quin RIP
Friday 16	SACRED HEART OF JESUS	Goring	10.00am Private intention
		Goring	3.00pm <i>Holy Hour for peace</i>
Saturday 17	Immaculate Heart of Mary	Woodcote	12.00pm <i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	3.00pm <i>HOLY BAPTISM</i>
		Goring	5.00pm <i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm Cecilia Russell (newly baptized)
Sunday 18	SUNDAY XI OF THE YEAR <i>Pentecost III</i>	Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am Vivian Worth (anniversary)
		Woodcote	11.30am Colum McCarthy RIP

The priests are always delighted to receive requests for Mass intentions. Please let us know about the ill, the housebound and those who need the Sacraments at home. The Rosary is prayed 15 minutes before the daily Mass. Mass is streamed on the parish page on Facebook. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

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Thank you to everyone who put in so much effort before, during and after last Sunday's celebrations. It was a lovely day and the fact that it was our traditional day for first Holy Communions added something extra to the liturgy. The party was a very convivial gathering and I hope you enjoyed it as much as I did. These things don't "just happen" so thank you, one and all.

I know that a few weekend routines were turned on their heads so that we could have a big communal parish celebration. Normal timings are now resumed. At least one diocese not so far away wants to see only one Mass per parish every Sunday. I don't think that would suit us! Our present pattern will remain in place as long as it can be sustained (holiday time excepted, as finding supply is difficult.) Of course in 10 years' time our parishes may be considerably larger.

FROM HIS GRACE

"Dear Father,
Thank you so much for Sunday's delightful celebration of the parish's 125th Anniversary at Goring-on-Thames. Please pass on my thanks to the altar servers, musicians and all those who assisted the liturgy, and all the parishioners who provided and served the splendid brunch alfresco. I was very sorry to have to leave at midday but I hope the celebrations continued joyfully ...

Yours devotedly in Christ,
+Bernard"

MARTIN QUIN, RIP

We send Patsy and Tom Hennessy and all their family our sympathy, love and prayers following Patsy's brother's relatively sudden death last week. Mass will be offered for him this morning and on Thursday later this week.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING
Lucy Bonnett 07598 127936

VOTIVE LAMPS

... burn for Peter Mortimer, for examination candidates and for the Browns. One is still available during June.

DAY FOR LIFE

This falls this year on 18 June, next Sunday. With each passing year this is more and more of a pressing issue for our society and an urgent call on our prayers. Please take a look at—and use—the material on the website of the Bishops' Conference:

www.cbcew.org.uk/day-for-life/
"All life has inestimable value even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect." *Pope Francis, Message to Catholics participating in Day for Life in Britain and Ireland, 28 July 2013*

PLEASE PRAY ...

... among those who are seriously ill for John Church, Lindsey and David Goddard jnr, Monica Adams, Heather Vockings and Lucy Grimwood.

... among the sick for William, Margaret, Jeanie, Anne-Marie, Elizabeth, Mary, John, Gill, Joan, Lavinia, Lyall, Tony, Kevin, John, Patsy, Annabelle, John, Emily, Rose, Ilene, Catherine, Patrick, Anne, Charlotte, Denis, Teresa, Peter, Paul, Jemima, Barry, Oliver, Crispin, Cordelia, Peter, Monica, Eva Maria, Tom, Charlie, Sophie, Paul, Jacob, Justin, Victoria, Maureen, Eva, Bob, Gail, Tony, Francis, Claire, Fr Bruce, Ann, Joan, Rosemary, Tim, Susannah, Anzelika, Bill, baby Evelyn, Lucy & 12 others.

... for the dead: Martin Quin, Cathy Raynal, Richard Knollys, Clarissa Nicholls, Rita Morrissey; also David Arias, Paul Capelli and Peter DeFreitas (anniversaries.)

Readers at Mass: 6pm John O'Donohue; 10am the Singleton family; 11.30am Rose Metcalf