



*pray for us*

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

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SUNDAY 2 JULY 2023  
SUNDAY XIII OF THE YEAR  
*PENTECOST V*

Monday 3	ST THOMAS		
Tuesday 4	St Elizabeth of Portugal		<i>No Mass today</i>
Wednesday 5	Beatified Martyrs of Oxford		<i>No Mass today</i>
Thursday 6	St Maria Goretti		<i>No Mass today</i>
Friday 7	Feria <i>First Friday</i>		<i>No Mass today</i>
Saturday 8	Our Lady on Saturday	Goring	5.00pm <i>Confessions</i>
		Goring	6.00pm Michael Lewis (anniversary)
Sunday 9	SUNDAY XIV OF THE YEAR <i>Pentecost VI Sea Sunday</i>	Goring (Latin)	8.00am Parish & people
		Goring	10.00am Lucy Grimwood
		Woodcote	11.30am Macnab family intentions (AM & IFM)

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. The parish priest tries to take Tuesday before Mass as a quiet day. Thank you for your generosity to the Catholic Church in so many ways, not least financial.

<p><b>1ST HOLY COMMUNION</b></p> <p><b>AND CONFIRMATION</b></p> <p>In addition to our celebration of first Holy Communions when the Archbishop was with us a couple of weeks ago, a group of children at the Oratory Prep School will make their first Holy Communion today. Please pray for Helena, Kayaneet, Theo, Isla, Amelie, Tilly, Darcey and also for Emma who will be received into Full Communion this morning. I am very grateful to Fr David Rocks from the senior school who will say the Woodcote Mass today so that I can celebrate the school Mass at 11.30 in Goring Heath.</p> <p>This afternoon Freddie Roberts will be confirmed by Bishop Geoffrey Jarrett at St Birinus with a group of young people from our neighbouring parish. We wish them many blessings in this great day.</p>	<p><b>CRISPIN RAPINET RIP</b></p> <p>We send Michael Rapinet our prayers and our sympathy on the death of his son Crispin. Mass will be offered for him this morning May he rest in peace.</p> <p><b>APRES-MASS</b></p> <p>Do stay if you can for coffee after the 10am Mass. This was part of Fr Antony's vision when planning the Galilee.</p> <p><b>THE NEEDS BOX</b></p> <p>... is at the back of the church at Goring as usual. Donations of good quality clean clothes and non-perishable foodstuffs will always be passed on to good causes. I hope that in the next few weeks Dave Browne will be able to tell us at the end of Mass about the work of CIRDIC—the ecumenical drop-in centre in Reading where he and others have been involved for a long time. Lots of good work goes on.</p>	<p><b>SECOND COLLECTIONS</b></p> <p>Today: Peter's Pence, for the aid work of the Vatican.</p> <p>Next Sunday: for Stella Maris and its work with seafarers. Material is available today for you to take away and pray about. The charity does wonderful things for seafarers far from home.</p> <p><b>THE DEPARTED</b></p> <p>Please pray for the dead, among them Crispin Rapinet, John Church, and Roy Faulkner who have died recently; also for Charles Holliday, Archibald Harris and Michael Lewis whom we remember this week on their anniversaries.</p> <p><b>SACRAMENTS</b></p> <p>Please pray for James and Jennifer Hupé, married yesterday in Wantage and for Dom Stanislaus Mycka, ordained to the priesthood at Farnborough Abbey.</p>	<p><b>PLEASE PRAY ...</b></p> <p>... 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, 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, Lucy, Linda, David and Lindsey, Heather, Gail, Patricia &amp; 12 others.</p> <p><b>VOTIVE LAMPS</b></p> <p>... burn during July for Mike Lewis and for the Brown family. Two are still available.</p> <p><b>PARISH SAFEGUARDING</b></p> <p>Lucy Bonnett 07598 127936</p>
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Fr Kenneth is away from parish duties from Monday to Friday this week. If you need a priest in an emergency please contact Fr John Osman at St Birinus, Dorchester on 01865 340417 The presbytery will be occupied during the week..

Readers at Mass: 6pm Monique Wilkinson; 10am Colin Cole & the Cook family; 11.30am the Quinton family