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Psalter Week III

15th Sunday in Ord Time Year C

10th July 2022

July is dedicated to the Precious Blood of Jesus

MASSES & SERVICES

INTENTIONS

Sat 9th July	10-30-11.30am Exposition –Holy Hour for Peace	
	5.40pm Rosary	
	6pm Vigil Mass	Anka Iliescu RIP
Sun 10th July	9.30am Mass–15th Sunday in ordinary time	John McCann RIP (PR)
	DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR SEAFARERS	
Mon 11th July	Private Mass– St Benedict	Geoff Prendergast (b'day)
	DAY OF SPECIAL PRAYER FOR EUROPE	
Tues 12th July	–7pm St Anthony devotions and Mass	Jack & Agnes Andrews
Wed 13th July	9.00 am Exposition	
	9.30am Mass–Ferial	Marylene Scanlon
Thur 14th July	9.30am Mass –Ferial	John McCann RIP(R & K)
Fri 15th July	9.30am Mass–St Bonaventure	Private intention
	FRIDAY ABSTINENCE	
Sat 16th July	Our Lady of Mount Carmel	
	10-30-11.30 am Exposition –Holy Hour for Peace	
	5.40pm Rosary	
	6pm Vigil Mass	John McCann RIP (SB)
Sun 17th July	9.30am Mass–16th Sunday in ordinary time	Dot Bell

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday 10.30-11.40am and on request

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS

This week we will be served by the PTA, and next week Catherine and Elaine for the SVP.

Please come and enjoy a cuppa and chat. You are very welcome.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The children's liturgy returned last Sunday after a two week break for the first Holy communions. Please bring your children to Mass, they are important members of our parish

YOUNG ADULTS—SUMMER FESTIVAL AT AMPLEFORTH COLLEGE

A message from Catholic Young Adult's Charity "Are you wanting to explore faith, improve your relationship with Jesus, and make loads of new friends at the same time? Youth 2000 are preparing to welcome hundreds of young people from all around the UK to pray and praise together over the entire Bank Holiday weekend (Fri 26th - Mon 29th August at Ampleforth College, York). Families and under 18s are welcome! Go to www.youth2000.org/events/summerfestival to book your tickets before they sell out. Sponsored places are available if money is an issue - just get in touch at events@youth2000.org.uk "

PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

O Prince of peace, once more we hear the guns of war. Once more we see the faces of frightened children. We pray for the people of Ukraine, that they may be granted peace. We pray for the people of Russia, that they may demand peace. We pray for our country, that we may be a positive part of peace-making in the world. O Prince of Peace, lead us from this dark time to a deeper understanding of the global human family, so that all may break bread together in the secure embrace of peace. Amen.

ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING ABOUT THIS TIME

Ruth McDowell, Evelyn Harrison, Rosalind Rowlands, Geoffrey Fozard, Lawrence Sweeney, Margaret Duggie, Owen McCabe and Dorothy Prentice.

OUR SICK ELDERLY AND HOUSE BOUND

Our sick, elderly, housebound and those in care homes are important members of our parish community. New names are in Bold Type.

Nigel Clayton, Veronica Creaney, W. Downes, Sheila Farrelly, Mary Frain, Michelle Gentile, Jenny Guest, Lorna Jarvis, Mary, Judy Kearney, Peter Lloyd, Rosemary McCabe, Rosemary Roberts, Gwen Spurr, Krysia Wesalak, Eileen Wyatt.

ROSARY CORNER

"If we want to help the souls in purgatory then we should say the Rosary for them because the Rosary gives them great relief" -St Alphonsus Liguori



ST CLARE'S SVP

Our week has still been taken up with Holiday Home business. The caravan doesn't provide holidays unless it is constantly kept up. Our last family cleaned it to within an inch of its life which is good as they really enjoyed the experience. You know when a family is in need when they have a great time even if it rains. We have been asked for a double bed and a fridge freezer. Both items will be considered, in light of circumstances. We do have some funds and can ask National Office for help from the Hardship Fund so we may be able to help. Keep safe and as well as possible this week. God bless. Steve

SUNDAY LUNCH CLUB

The lunch club were regally served at the garden of Jim and Ann Walshe. Many thanks to them. The next lunch will be in September as one will not be held in August. Watch this space for details.

St Clare's Catholic Primary School



On Tuesday 5th July staff represented St Clare's at John McCann's funeral. John was a wonderful friend of our school, supporting through being a governor and generously giving his time and energy for meetings and events. As a school community we are grateful for all John did and we reach out to John's wife Kath and his family in sending our deepest sympathy. We are planning to purchase a bench, which will be dedicated to John and will go into our prayer garden.



Our Year Three and Four pupils sang in the Story House Theatre, Chester in an AmaSing concert. They were brilliant, dancing and singing with great enthusiasm! This was a wonderful experience for all. On Monday our Year Six set off to London to experience our capital city. They had a wonderful experience doing many activities

including- going on the London Eye, visiting the Tower of London, seeing the sights on a river cruise, not to mention being impressed with the magnificent musical 'Cats!' On the way home, the children stopped at Harry Potter World, where they saw all the magic behind the scenes in the films! Staff said that it was a privilege to take such a wonderful group of children away on the trip!



On Tuesday Year Five visited Chester Catholic High School for a transition experience. The children had a great time experiencing Science, PE and English lessons at High School. On the same day, a group of Year One and Two children attended a 'More Able Writers' Day'. They enjoyed working with an author and writing for different purposes.

We are hoping parishioners will support our Summer Fayre next Friday 15th July, at 3:30pm on the school field. Please come along and join us!

