

OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS

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The Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time 17 July 2011

DISASTER APPEAL FOR THE HORN OF AFRICA

We've had an appeal from CAFOD for the people of Somalia, Kenya, Ethiopia, Sudan and Eritrea. We're aware of the disaster there, so we will do our bit by having a special collection this weekend. **Gift Aid** declaration forms are available on the table in the Narthex. Please be as generous as possible. Thank you.

SEA SUNDAY

The second collection last weekend for those who work at sea and for the amenities provided when they come ashore came to **£419.22**. Once more thank you for your generosity.

New translation of the Roman Missal

The Gloria and the Creed

While some of the words in the Gloria and the Creed will change, others stay the same, so we will have to be careful that we don't slip into the old texts! The first lines of the Gloria itself echo the angels' message to the shepherds, announcing the birth of Christ (Luke 2:14). Because of these changes, new music is being written so that we will be able to sing the new translation too. When it comes to the Creed we will notice the first change immediately – **'I believe'** not, **'We believe'**. We have become used to praying the Creed all together as a parish. However, when we say **'we believe'** it could suggest that between us all we believe everything being said. It is not clear that we all believe everything that is being said. To say **'I believe'** makes it quite clear that each one of us believes everything we are saying.

FARNBOROUGH FOOD BANK

It is fitting that the Parish of Our Lady Help of Christians should join the many other groups and individuals who provide food for those who are hungry. Kathy Raggett has researched the initiative and has very kindly offered to liaise with those who are running the project. If you wish to help please take a shopping list and bring your purchases to church and place them in the plastic container provided.

Mass intentions for the Week Beginning

Sunday 17 July 2011

Sat'day	6.00pm	James Merdell RIP.
Sunday	8.30am	People of the Parish
	10.30am	Paul Byrne RIP
Monday	9.30am	James, Mary, & John Leech RIP
Tuesday	9.30am	Catholic Women's League.
Thu'day	10.00am	Holy Souls
Friday	10.00am	Requiem for James Merdell RIP
Sat'day	9.30am	Frank Young RIP

17th Sunday of Ordinary Time

Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Mary Conroy RIP
Sunday	8.30am	Our Lady's intercession (Maria)
	10.30am	Gerard & Helen Shiels (Jubilee)

Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time

Prayer of the Church – Psalms week 4

Monday	Mass of the Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time
Tuesday	Mass of the Sixteenth Week of Ordinary Time
	7.15 CWL Meeting in the Narthex
Wednesday	Prayer of the Church and Eucharistic Service
Thu'day	10.00: St Patrick's Leavers Mass in Church.
Friday	Mass of St Mary Magdalen
Saturday	Mass of St Bridget of Sweden, Foundress

Sunday Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time.

ALTAR SERVERS

Next Sunday 24 July Cameron and Gill Lamond will hold a practice session for 30 minutes after the 10.30 Mass. Please come along and support your child and the church.

Fiftieth International Eucharistic Congress

Dublin 10 -17 June 2012

A Eucharistic Congress is an international gathering of people which aims to:

- promote an awareness of the central place of the Eucharist in the life and mission of the Church
- improve our understanding and celebration of the liturgy
- draw attention to the social dimension of the Eucharist.

Dublin last hosted the Eucharistic Congress in 1932.

Portsmouth Diocese hopes to offer two packages, inclusive of registration, flights and accommodation.

3 days £500 (approximately)

6 days £850 (approximately)

Further details will follow in early autumn.

ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED

Accommodation in North Camp required for professional, non smoking, female for 3-6 months.

Please contact 078605 44209

APPRECIATION

Kitty Mulligan and the Mulligan family wish to thank the Sisters at La Fosse, Salesians, the CWL and SVP for their kindness during the illness and death of Mary.

THANKS

Thanks to Kenneth, Jo, Brian, John Loader, Frank, George and Angela, Kathy, Colette and Vivienne for help this week.

Dates to remember

21 July: **10.00:** St Patrick's Leavers' Mass in Parish Church.

23/24 CWL Cake Stall after all Masses

4 September: Liturgical changes begin.

5 September: Commissioning Mass at St Patrick's.

7 October: School Mass for CAFOD in the Church.

Services on Saturday Morning

9.30	Holy Mass
10.00 – 11.00	Adoration and Reconciliation
10.00 - 10.40	Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confessions.

Masses not celebrated in the Church

Cecilia White's brother RIP; Frank and Hilda Deffains, Mr and Mrs Stone and Members of the Deffains family RIP.

Let us pray for the Sick

Bridgette Timmins, Richard Searson, Maria Fraser, Roy Owen, Dominic Clark, Nick Mills, Debbie de Bono, Elizabeth Pearce, Claire Hilder, Audrey Phoenix, Anthony Leakey, Ellen Hack, Ruth Taylor, Grace Bilyard, Bernard Shiels, Grace May, Mary O'Connor, Delphine Lannon, Jack Pollicutt, Ann Croombs (in Frimley Park Hospital) and all the names in the **Petition Book.**

We pray for our deceased parishioners

Albert Watts, Mary Whittle, Kathleen Bowen, James Madeley, Vera McLoughlin, Jane Rodgers, Daniel Duggan, James Downham.

May they Rest in Peace.