

## ***Our Lady Help of Christians***

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## **The Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time**

### **APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA COLLECTION**

The Collection last weekend for the Apostleship of the Sea amounted to **£309**.

**Thank you very much for your usual generosity.**

Today Sister Veronica will be selling tickets in aid of CAFOD.

### **BAPTISM**

Today we welcome **Theoni Melinda Wijekoon De Silva** into the Family of God and the parish Community through the Sacrament of Baptism. We offer our prayers and congratulations to her parents Trevor and Loretta

### ***“Living Our Faith”***

Many thanks for your very positive response to “*Living our Faith*” appeal last Sunday. We still have a long way to go so please ask yourself how you can help. As you can see from this Newsletter there are other expenses looming, such as the work to be done on the coping stones on the house and Church

If you have any questions or would like a **Gift Aid** form or a form to set up/increase a **bank standing order** please speak to John Power or the other members of the Finance Committee whose names appear on the display board in the Narthex

John can be contacted on **01252 546888** or via email: [johnpower@macace.net](mailto:johnpower@macace.net)

### **Mass Intentions for the Week Beginning**

#### **Sunday 18 July 2010**

Saturday 6.00pm	Paul Byrne RIP
Sunday 8.30am	Isobel and Charles McClarence RIP.
10.30am	Robert, Gloria, Stevie Acuna RIP and Amanda.
Monday 9.30am	Wendy Green (Requested by SVP).
<b>Tuesday 10.15am</b>	CWL intention
Thursday 9.30am	Philip McGarry RIP
Friday 9.30am	Margaret & Bob Corless. 55 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.
Saturday 9.30am	Gerard Mulholland RIP.
Vigil Mass: 6.00pm	Frank Finucane (Sick)
<b>Sunday 8.30am</b>	Fiona Ramsey (Thanksgiving)
10.30am	Family and friends of Angela Sebastian.

### **REPAIRS TO THE PARISH HOUSE AND CHURCH**

You may have noticed the damp areas on the garage and also below the coping on the Church. We asked the Diocesan Surveyor to inspect it and he advised us to get a Company, Rivetsmead - used by the Diocese - to assess the damage and give an estimate to rectify it. The problem arose because the original builders did not properly seal the walls against damp. This means that all the coping stones both on the house and Church will have to be removed and a proper d.p.c. cavity proof tray inserted and the coping stones be re-bed. The cost will be in the region of £8,500 – £10,000. Our finance team and advisers met and gave their approval for the work to be done.

### **PAPAL VISIT**

Venues: 18 Sept.: Hyde Park Vigil (Afternoon until 9.00pm)

19 Sept.: Cofton Park, Birmingham. Mass at 9.30am.

For security reasons everyone attending has to be registered and have a PASS.

Those who wish to attend **Hyde Park** make their own way to the venue. **The cost of £10 covers a Pilgrim Pack and a London central zone Travelcard.**

#### **100 places have been allocated to our Pastoral Area.**

Those going to Birmingham will be picked up by National Express coaches at various PILGRIM points. Clearly this will mean a very early start – the early hours of the morning. People should not expect to arrive in Birmingham by car and be admitted as individuals.

**The cost for transport and Pilgrim Pack is £25.**

#### **70 places have been allocated to our Pastoral Area.**

If you would like to attend either of these events would you please write your name, address and telephone number on the list on the table in the Narthex. The Diocese needs to know **NUMBERS by the 26 July**. Further information is to be found on the Noticeboard.

### **Week 16 of Ordinary Time**

#### **Prayer of the Church - Psalms Week 4**

Monday 19	Mass of the 16 <sup>th</sup> Week of Ordinary Time.
Tuesday 20	<b>10.15 Leavers Mass in the Church.</b> 7.15pm CWL Meeting in the Narthex.
Wed'day 21	<b>Morning Prayer and Eucharistic Service.</b> 8.00 Salesian Cooperators Meeting at St John Bosco House.
Thursday 22	Mass of St Mary Magdalen
Friday 23	Mass of St Bridget of Sweden, Foundress and Patroness of Europe.
Saturday 24	Mass of Our Lady on Saturday.
<b>Sunday 25</b>	<b>Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time.</b> <b>24/25: Annual Mission Appeal for the Sacred Heart Fathers.</b>

### **Communicating Christ**

#### **10 Session Course for Catechists**

Can I draw the attention of existing and new Catechists to this course which will be held at **St Bernadette's School** between **October 2010 and March 2011**. Application forms and dates can be found on the table in the Narthex.

I need the names within the next few weeks as decisions will have to be made on the viability of the course. Some parishes have already submitted 10 names. **Our total so far is 3!!**

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### **July**

**30:** Fr Yves Delouche arrives to look after the Parish during August.

#### **August**

**28:** **WALK the WORLD** at Bells Lane, Stubbington.

#### **September**

**3:** 11.00 Commissioning Mass at St Patrick's

**9:** 10.15 Blessing of the new Prayer Garden at St. Patrick's

**14:** 10.15 St Patrick's School Mass – Beginning of new school year.

**9-12:** Big Tent Event on Queen's Parade, Aldershot Garrison.

#### **November**

**27:** The Parish Bazaar

### **Let us pray for the Sick**

Catherine and Kevin McGrath, Sid Wilson, Lorna Young, Maria Fraser, Nick Mills, Muriel Carver, Debbie de Bono, Elizabeth Pearce, Joan Schieder, Claire Hilder, Anthony Leakey, Julie Hall (in hospital) Ellen Hack, Ruth Taylor, Grace Bilyard, Nora O'Connor, Bernard Shiels, Grace May, Mary O'Connor, Delphine Lannon, Jack Pollicutt, Ann Croombs and all the names in the **Petition Book**.

### **We pray for our deceased parishioners**

Mary Elma Whittle, Kathleen Bowen, James Madeley, Vera McLoughlin, Jane Rodgers, Daniel Duggan, James Downham, Sean Sparks, Catherine Young.

*May they Rest in Peace.*