

## St. Erconwald's Parish Newsletter

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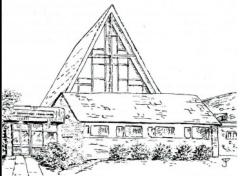
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THE OFFICE: Open for emergencies and by appointment.



**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY, YEAR A**

**9TH JULY 2017**

### **LITURGY THIS WEEK**

**THEME: I Will Give You Rest**



When we are discouraged and troubled, it is good to have a reliable friend to go to and to pour out your heart. I hope you have such a friend and that you are not too proud to unburden yourself.

What kind of friend will that be? Someone who can listen, someone gentle, who has time for you. Jesus offers himself to us as such an understanding friend, gentle and humble, who can give us peace.

### **PARISH MASS BOOK**

The Mass can be found on page 99  
The "Order of the Mass" from page 7  
Preface of Sunday IV [4] page 67

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Alleluia, alleluia!  
Blessed are you, Father,  
Lord of heaven and earth,  
for revealing the mysteries  
of the kingdom to mere children.  
Alleluia!

### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 88** **[Please pray together]**

I will give you glory, O God my King,  
I will bless your name for ever.  
I will bless you day after day  
and praise your name for ever.

The Lord is kind and full of compassion,  
slow to anger, abounding in love.  
How good is the Lord to all,  
compassionate to all his creatures.

All your creatures shall thank you,  
O Lord,  
and your friends shall repeat their blessing.  
They shall speak of the glory of your reign  
and declare your might, O God.

The Lord is faithful in all his words  
and loving in all his deeds.  
The Lord supports all who fall  
and raises all who are bowed down.



## **FR. JOSEPH [IVOR] NETTO**

It is with great sadness and regret, that we announce the death of Fr. Joseph [Ivor] Netto RIP. Our thoughts and prayers are with Muriel and Gerry and all Fr. Ivor's family. *His funeral will take place on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 11.30am at Our Lady Help of Christians, 4 Sherborne Road, Farnborough. GU14 6JT. May he rest in peace.*



**The coach will leave from outside the Church, at 8.00am. There are 10 places available if anyone is interested. List is at the back of the Church. A donation of £10 towards the cost will be appreciated.**

## **DEMENTIA CARERS SUPPORT GROUP**

Do you care for someone who is living with Dementia (incl. Alzheimer's)? We next meet in the Parish Hall on **Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July between 1.00-3.00pm**. COME AND BE SUPPORTED. For further information please contact Frank Arrojo on 07867 903917 (email [frankj.arrojo@gmail.com](mailto:frankj.arrojo@gmail.com)).

## **RECEPTION OF SACRAMENTS 2018** **REGISTRATION FORMS**

for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion; Confirmation and RCIA [Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults] are now available at the back of the Church. The forms need to be returned by the weekend of **26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> August**. Forms arriving after this date will not be accepted.

*Children who do not attend a Catholic School need to attend the Sunday Children's Liturgy for a year before joining the First Holy Communion Programme.*

## **SUMMER OUTING** **WEDNESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> AUGUST** Details to follow

## **CONFIRMATION 2017**

The Confirmation Photos are now ready for collection.  
Please see Fr. Anthony

## **MARRIAGE**

if you are planning on getting married, in this parish or elsewhere, you will need to give at least **six months notice**, Engaged couples can find up-to-date information on Marriage Preparation Courses in the diocese at [www.rcdow.org.uk/pastoralaffairs/marriageandfamilylife/](http://www.rcdow.org.uk/pastoralaffairs/marriageandfamilylife/).



## **ST. LAURENCE'S LARDER**

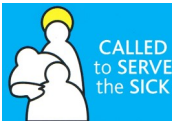
Please leave your donations in the boxes provided at the back of the Church. Details on the noticeboard.

## **THANK YOU**

I would like to thank Fr Anthony for his support and fraternal care before, during and after my priestly training. Through him also and you all, our parishioners, I received the grace I needed at the time to not only have a fruitful and happy experience in during my years of training, but also the grace to prepare me for the months and years ahead in my priestly ministry. Many thanks to you all for organising such a beautiful reception which everyone enjoyed. I am very grateful for all the kind messages and generous donations that you all gave me. You came in your numbers to my ordination last Saturday and I am grateful to you for that. Assurance of my prayers for you all, and I am sure you would all keep me in your prayers, too. God bless. [Fr Joseph Okoro]



## **VISITING THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**



Fr. Anthony is at the moment visiting the sick and housebound. If you know of anyone who is in need of a visit please see Fr. Anthony or contact the Parish Office. [If in hospital, please contact the hospital chaplain].

## **MASS WITH ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July, at 11.00am;**

followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall.

This Mass is for everyone especially the sick and elderly.

[There will be no 9.30am Mass]

## **APF/MISSIO**

A number of APF/MISSIO envelopes remain uncollected on the table by the car park exit. Could members please collect them and return them with their contributions into the box provided.

## **THE PASSAGE [helping homeless people]**

There will be a Garden Party in aid of The Passage in the historic College Garden, Westminster Abbey on Friday 21 July 2017 from 6.00pm. Visit the oldest cultivated garden in England with a back drop of the Westminster Abbey and the Houses of Parliament. Tickets £40 from The Passage, St Vincent's Centre, Carlisle Place, London SW1P 1NL tel. 020 7592 1856 email [tick-ets@passage.org.uk](mailto:tickets@passage.org.uk) which includes buffet supper, wine, soft drinks, live music and a prize raffle. Tickets are also available through [passage-garden-party.eventbrite.co.uk](http://passage-garden-party.eventbrite.co.uk)

*As summer approaches and the few cleaners we have go on annual leave, it is up to all of us to keep the Church clean and tidy. Cleaning equipment is available in the cleaning cupboard at the back of the Church.*

*Thank you for your co-operation.*

**CLEANING TEAM: Next Week: 2**

## **TIMES OF LITURGY**

<b>SATURDAY 8th July:</b>	<b>4.30 - 5.00pm: Confessions</b> 5.30pm Mass: Charlie Ward [RIP]
<b>SUNDAY 9th July:</b> [14th Sunday, A]	9.00am Mass: Mary McNulty [Intention] 11.30am Mass: John Redmond Masterson [RIP]
<b>MONDAY 10th July:</b>	9.30am Mass: David Culhane [RIP]
<b>TUESDAY 11th July: [St. Benedict]</b>	9.30am Mass: Ann Elliot [Intention]
<b>WEDNESDAY 12th July:</b>	<b>11.00am: Mass with Anointing of the Sick</b>
<b>THURSDAY 13th July:</b>	<b>NO SERVICE</b>
<b>FRIDAY 14th July:</b>	9.30am Mass: Ken Hammond [RIP] <b>NO EVENING MASS</b>
<b>SATURDAY 15th July:</b>	<b>Baptism: Yehan Arambepola</b> <b>4.30 - 5.00pm: Confessions</b> 5.30pm Mass: Christina Long [RIP]
<b>SUNDAY 16th July:</b> [15th Sunday, A]	9.00am Mass: May McClay 11.30am Mass: Reg Fobler [RIP]

## **DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS**

Monday to Friday between 3.00pm - 4.00pm in the Church.

## **ROSARY**

Weekdays after 9.30am Mass.

All are welcome.

## **POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JULY**

Lapsed Christians:

That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of Christian life.

## **URGENT INTENTION**

**Peace and Healing:**

May the Holy Spirit grant peace to the entire world. May he heal the wounds of war and terrorism, which most recently struck innocent civilians in London.

Let us pray for the victims and their families.



## **LITURGY NEXT WEEK** **FIFTEENTH SUNDAY, YEAR A**

Isaiah 55. 10-11; Psalm 64;  
Romans 8. 18-23;  
Matthew 13. 1-23



## ***In case you are admitted to hospital.....***

In the light of data protection please indicate on entering hospital that your details are to be passed to the RC Chaplain. Also state that you would like the RC Chaplain to visit you. [Fr. Peter]