

St. Erconwald's Parish Newsletter

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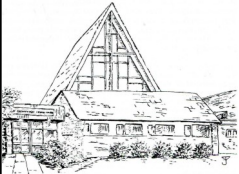
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PARISH HALL LETS: Contact Elizabeth Patten on wembley3@rcdow.org.uk

THE OFFICE: Open for emergencies and by appointment.



SIXTEENTH SUNDAY, YEAR A

23RD JULY 2017

LITURGY THIS WEEK

THEME: There Must Be Time To Heal



We all wish to see a world without evil, a Church without faults. To see that the real Church and the real world are not sinless and not perfect makes us impatient. Jesus reminds us: be patient, for God is patient with the Church and with the world, and also with us. Let us not forget this. He gives us the time to change. Let us ask Jesus this week that we may begin the change of the world and of the Church with the change of ourselves.

PARISH MASS BOOK

The Mass can be found on page 105

The "Order of the Mass" from page 7

Preface of Sunday VIII [8] page 68



RESPONSORIAL PSALM: 85 **[Please pray together]**

O Lord, you are good and forgiving,
full of love to all who call.
Give heed, O Lord, to my prayer
and attend to the sound of my voice.

All the nations shall come to adore you
and glorify your name, O Lord:
for you are great and do marvelous deeds,
you who alone are God.

But you, God of mercy and compassion,
slow to anger, O Lord,
abounding in love and truth,
turn and take pity on me.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ
enlighten the eyes of our mind,
so that we can see what hope his call holds for us.
Alleluia!

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 **26th/27th 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 - TRIP TO BOURNEMOUTH **WEDNESDAY 9th AUGUST**

Booking forms available at the back of Church.

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 24th 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).

SUMMER SCHEDULE

There will be **NO** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday and evening Mass on Friday during the summer months.

Please God we will start again in late September.

The Office will be open only for emergencies.

There will be **NO** tea/coffee after 9.30am Mass on Tuesday during the summer months.

The **Parish Hall** will be closed for functions during the month of August.

READERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

If you are going to be unavailable when scheduled please get another Minister or Reader to take your place.

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/.



ST. LAURENCE'S LARDER

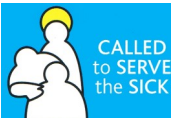
Please leave your donations in the boxes provided at the back of the Church. Details on the noticeboard.

SAVE THE DAY

Friday 1st September 2017,

Fr. Anthony's Ruby Jubilee of Ordination
Mass of Thanksgiving at 7.00pm,
followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall.
All are Welcome

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].

REPOSITORY

Are you going home to visit relatives this summer? Check out the suitcase friendly gifts in the Repository. We also have reading material for your summer break. Come and have a browse.

We would like to wish all our customers a very happy summer break.

APF—RED BOXES

The half yearly collection raised £469.57.

Thank you for your continued support and thank you to Danuta Zimmermann for co-ordinating.

Please do not forget the missions and their apostolate.

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.



WEMBLEY STADIUM EVENTS – AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2017



Saturday 5 th	Spurs v Juve
Sunday 6 th	FA Community Shield
Saturday 26 th	Ladbrokes Challenge Cup Final
Monday 4 th	England v Slovakia

CHURCH CLEANING

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.

The new rotas are now available by the cleaning cupboard at the back of the Church.

If you would like to help with the cleaning of the Church please see Fr. Anthony or Elizabeth

CLEANING TEAM: Next Week: 4

TIMES OF LITURGY

SATURDAY 22nd July:	4.30 - 5.00pm: Confessions 5.30pm Mass: Enid Sumner [RIP] 9.00am Mass: Jim McDonagh [RIP] 11.30am Mass: Ezekwe Ojinmah [RIP]
SUNDAY 23rd July: [16th Sunday, A]	9.30am Mass: Tess Howard [RIP]
MONDAY 24th July:	9.30am Mass: Tony Nazareth [RIP]
TUESDAY 25th July: [St. James]	9.30am Mass: Francesca Harrison [Int]
WEDNESDAY 26th July: [Sts Joachim & Anne]	9.30am Mass: Francesca Harrison [Int]
THURSDAY 27th July:	NO SERVICE
FRIDAY 28th July:	9.30am Mass: P. Goram [RIP] NO EVENING MASS
SATURDAY 29th July:	4.30 - 5.00pm: Confessions 5.30pm Mass: Fr. Ivor Netto SDB [RIP] 9.00am Mass: People of the Parish [RIP] 11.30am Mass: Bruce Davidson [RIP]
SUNDAY 30th July: [17th Sunday, A]	

DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS

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

NO Meetings during the month of August

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

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY, YEAR A

1Kings 3. 5, 7-12; Psalm 118;

Romans 8. 28-30;

Matthew 13. 44-52



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]