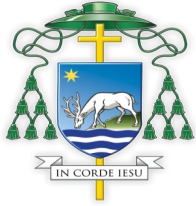


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Sunday 3rd July 2022

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year C, Psalter Week II

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament before all weekday Masses

Sun 3rd July	9.00 am	SB	Mass: Frank Aguis RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Terry & Breda Reilly RIP
	2.30 pm	SB	Syro Malabar Mass
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: People of the Parish
Mon 4th	12 noon	SB	Mass: Int. Richard & Alison Luker
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Departed Souls
Tues 5th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Winnie Brennan RIP
Wed 6th	11.00 am	SB	Requiem Gerardo Silano RIP
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Judy Reeves RIP
Thur 7th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Dec Mbrs Liddell Family (Fond)
Fri 8th	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Int. Martin Mooney
	6.00 pm	HG	Mass: Mary Caheny RIP
Sat 9th	Our Lady		
	9.30 am	SB	Mass: Int. SB Flower Team
	<i>Confessions after 9.30 am Mass until 11.00 am</i>		

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year C, Psalter Week III

Sun 10th July	9.00 am	SB	Mass: Doris Micallif RIP
	11.00 am	SB	Mass: Donald Rozario RIP
	6.00 pm	SB	Mass: People of the Parish

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

In all three synoptic Gospels - Matthew, Mark and Luke - Jesus sends out the twelve Apostles, but only in the Gospel of St Luke do we have this second sending of the seventy-two disciples. If we think of the Gospel of St Luke and the Acts of the Apostles as one work in two parts, this makes even more sense. For Luke, the Church is continually expanding. So first Our Lord sends out the Twelve. They are called the Twelve, rather than the Apostles, because they represent the twelve sons of Jacob, who were the fathers of the twelve tribes of Israel. The twelve Apostles will form the new Israel. Now He sends out the seventy-two. We can speculate about the meaning of these numbers, as many commentators have done, but the important thing is that the Church is expanding. For most of us, even clergy, it is rare to be a missionary in the traditional sense. Not many of us are sent out from our homes to carry the Gospel. Yet the words of Christ apply to every life, to every person. We should not force our faith on anyone but we should look for and encourage faith in others, and that faith should generate a shared life of some sort ... Still, we need to know that there is the unifying belief of the Church, that we are part of the mystical Body of Christ. And finally, we too must never be afraid to say, as Jesus has told us, that "the kingdom of God is very near".

Taken from The Living Word, Redemptorist Publications

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to all parishioners and visitors who join us, whether in our Church or via the live-stream. If you are new to the area, please register as a member of our Parish using the form on our website.

SIGNIFICANT WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES MASS

St. Bede's hosted the First Significant Weddings Anniversary Mass in 2009, at this time we assisted the Dept of Pastoral Formation. We went solo in 2014 when the Dept was disbanded and we have been blessed with a fabulous team of helpers over the years. Sadly, we have lost a few to Covid within the past two years and we remember them with thanks and affection. This weekend, we are welcoming 75 couples plus guests from across the Diocese. We thank our Musical Director Chris Olding and choir for providing the music, Mary O'Connor and the flower team for the beautiful floral displays. Thank you to the Holy Dusters for cleaning the church to an inch of its life, to all the helpers who spent hours preparing the hall/church, to everyone helping in the car park, and to St. Bede's School for providing the Cloister decoration. We are very excited to have Bishop Philip here celebrating the Anniversary Mass this weekend, and we welcome Fr. Leo, who is now the Bishop's Secretary.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our parishioners who are celebrating a significant wedding anniversary;

Lynn & Brendan Duffy
Frederick & Anne Hellens
Jose & Sherly Joseph
John & Anna Tom
Cornelius & Margaret Cleary
Sebastian & Kumary Thomas
Joseph & Rosanna Paul
Thomas & Anita Davidson
Brian & Christine Young
Edward & Gloria Kwaw
Almira & Lupo Jr



WORLD YOUTH DAY, LISBON 2023

CALLING ALL YOUNG PEOPLE ACROSS THE DIOCESE!

If you are going to be aged 16 or above by July 2023, you are invited to join with like-minded young people from across the Diocese to journey on pilgrimage to Lisbon for World Youth Day. This world-wide gathering is planned to take place 1st - 6th August 2023. This is a life changing experience for all those who accept the invitation and this pilgrimage, led by Bishop Philip, is set to be the best one yet! But hurry, spaces are limited! Please register your interest ASAP to get your name on the list. Fill out this form:

[WYD Lisbon, 1st - 6th August, 2023 REGISTER OF INTEREST](#)



[\(office.com\)](#) or scan the QR code, which will also take you to the form. Plans are in the early stages, but we will provide more information and details as soon as possible. For further information, please email Sarah Farrell at: wyd@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

POPE FRANCIS JULY PRAYER INTENTION

During July, Pope Francis asks us to pray for the elderly. We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.



BACCA SUMMER FETE 2022

The BACCA Summer Fete is taking place on Saturday 9th July from 12 noon until 6pm on St Bede's School field. Come along for a BBQ, games, music and much more. Tickets are £5 per adult and children are free. To book your tickets online click the link: [BACCA Summer Fete Tickets, Sat, Jul 9, 2022 at 12:00 PM | Eventbrite](#) All money raised will support ongoing restoration work at Holy Ghost Church.

GOING FORTH MASS

On Sunday 10th July, we welcome our newly Confirmed candidates to 11am Mass. Our young people will receive their certificates and be presented as full adult members of our Parish community. *'Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth'* (Psalm 103).

FLAME 2023

The largest youth gathering of Catholics, Flame is back, taking place at the OVO Arena, Wembley on Saturday 4th March 2023, with the theme 'Rise Up!'. All young people from parish, school or university are WELCOME! The only stipulation is that you must be in at least year 9, so around 14. There will be loud music, bright lights, and moments of stillness. Please contact the Parish Office to register your interest via email: office@stbedesbasingstoke.org.uk

LOURDES PRAYER PETITIONS

The Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from 18th-22nd July. If you would like Bishop Philip to carry a prayer for your intentions, or you have a special intention you'd like him to bring to the Grotto in Lourdes, please email your petitions **in confidence and as soon as possible to:** lourdespetition@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk. At this email address you will also be able to donate to the Lourdes fund and make a donation that will enable a candle to be lit at Lourdes for your intentions.

FUNERALS

Requiem for Gerardo Silano RIP at St Bede's Church on Wednesday 6th July at 11.00 am. Funeral Service on Friday 15th July at 2 pm at the Crematorium for Charles Gook RIP. We remember their family and friends at this sad time. May they Rest in Peace.



APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA

Next weekend there is a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea (Stella Maris).

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH

The easiest way to make a donation to the Parish is via Standing Order, Bank Transfer or Online at: [Donate to Basingstoke St Bede's Church | Give as you Live Donate](#)

** Details of the collection for week ending 26th June will be published in next week's newsletter **