

**ST PATRICK'S CHURCH**  
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**PARISH PASTORAL TEAM**

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**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 18<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022**  
**25<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

DAY	TIME	INTENTIONS	DONOR
Saturday 17th	12noon 6.30pm	Wedding of Geraldine McDonnell & Michael Coleman People of the Parish	
Sunday 18th <i>Evangelii Gaudium</i> (Home Mission Sunday)	8.30am 10.00am 6.30pm	Phillis James Alexander Family Private Intention Brazilian Mass	Roy & Mrs Deasey
Monday 19th	9.00 am	Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II	
Tuesday 20th	7.30 pm	Peter Bradley	
Wed 21st	9.00 am	Peace & Justice in Ukraine	
Thurs 22nd	9.00 am	Thanksgiving for Tacjana	Chinamora Family
Friday 23rd	12 noon	Deceased members of the Brumby Family	
Saturday 24th	12 noon 6.30pm	Wedding of Catarina Milanese & Alexandro Sobraz Teresa Clay 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary	Mary Dineen
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> Harvest Sunday	8.30am 10.00 am 6.30 pm	John Lacken School Harvest Mass and welcome classes Brazilian Mass	Andy & Maureen Gray

**Rosary:** Half an hour before weekday Mass  
**Confessions:** Before all weekend Masses and **on request**  
**Exposition:** Saturday 5.30pm followed by The Rosary at 5.45pm  
 Tuesday-Friday 9.30-4pm

**PRAYER AND WORSHIP**

**HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II**

We will celebrate Mass at 9.00am on Monday for the repose of the soul of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. After the Mass the television will be set up in the sanctuary so that people may watch the State Funeral of Her Majesty. The broadcast will remain in church until 7.00pm so people can come and go throughout the day. Soft drinks and light refreshments will be available in The Shore Gallery.

## **TRIBUTE TO HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II**

Thank you to all the St Patricks schoolchildren for donating The Cascade of flowers and images of Her Majesty in the narthex. Last Friday, the children prepared and presented a lovely Service of Thanksgiving for the Queen, and we are all impressed by their expressions of appreciation for her life and service

## **TWENTY FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September, is the feast day of **St Matthew the Apostle**. He was Levi, a tax collector for the Romans, before he left at the call of Jesus. On Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, we remember **Padro Pio**, St Pius of Pietrelcina, whose life was devoted to the Eucharist and prayer. He died in 1968. Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September, is the Memorial of **Our Lady of Walsingham**. The Slipper Chapel of this Norfolk shrine, dating back to the 12<sup>th</sup> century, is owned by the Benedictines of Downside Abbey who consecrated it as the National Catholic Shrine of Our Lady.

## **PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WHO ARE SICK:**

Bernadette Newton, Gracy Mathew, Fergal Treanor, Patrick Smith, Mick Lewis, Mary Dias, Alfred Chojnackie, Elinor Agius, John Caherty, Paula Delves, Joan Ellis, Maciej Kauczynski, James Brown, Helena Irena Boucher, Hannah Curnow, Johnny Enright, Anne Dillon, Maggie Cronin, Grace Karimu, Debbie Redfern, Irene Agidee & Angela Wahinya & family, Anna Bergin, Darren Smith, Mary Kelly, Sarah Mizen, Marian Speirs, John Joseph Cunningham, Fiona Bradley, Stephen Bradley, Liz Gale, Geraldine Dewfall, Terry Sullivan

**Please inform the parish office when your relative is well again and can be taken off the list.**

## **THE HOUSEBOUND**

Sister Bidy, Jim Brooks & Grace Strong

## **HARVEST FESTIVAL MASS**

Next Sunday the school is presenting the 10.00am Mass with the theme of Thanksgiving for the Harvest. We look forward to welcoming the school to this special celebration

# **COMMUNITY AND FELLOWSHIP**

## **TEA AND COFFEE AFTER MASS**

Tea and Coffee will be served after the 8.30am and 10.00am Mass today by the Pan African Group. Next Sunday The Come & See group will be on duty.

## **AFTERNOON TEA IN THE SHORE GALLERY**

The Afternoon Tea last Sunday was a great success and raised over £450 for the Centenary Fund. Thank you to the Women's Group for organising this event. More than 60 parishioners and friends attended.

## **SECOND COLLECTION**

The second collection has been reinstated from Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> September. For the next 16 months, this collection will go towards funding all the events planned for our Centenary next year. We ask for £1 per working adult as a contribution to this collection and appreciate your commitment and generosity. Our other second collection commitments will still be honoured. You can pay as you leave the church in the retiring collection or on the Dona machine.

## **EVANGELI GAUDIUM**

Today the Parish is supporting *Evangelii Gaudium* Sunday which will be dedicated to promoting Missionary work in England. This was formerly called Home Mission Sunday. Named after Pope Francis' first (solo) Apostolic Exhortation on the Joy of the Gospel, the day offers the Catholic community in England and Wales the opportunity to celebrate the beauty of our faith and our commitment to witness to the fullness of life in Christ.

## **WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES**

The 108<sup>th</sup> World Day of Migrants and Refugees 2022 is celebrated on 25 September – the last Sunday of the month. The Holy Father has chosen the theme ‘Building the Future with Migrants and Refugees’. The Church has been celebrating the World Day of Migrants and Refugees (WDMR) since 1914. It’s always an occasion to express concern for different vulnerable people on the move; to pray for them as they face many challenges; and to increase awareness about the opportunities that migration offers.

## **VOLUNTEERS PLEASE FOR LIFTS TO AND FROM MASS**

Could we please ask for volunteers to collect and return parishioners who are unable to make their own way to and from Mass. Chris Boaeting is trying to organise this Ministry. If you are able to help, please contact Chris at [kriststone@yahoo.com](mailto:kriststone@yahoo.com) or the Parish Office. You may offer your services on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly basis

## **WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS**

Next Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September, Catrina Milanese and Alexandro Sobrax will be married here at 12 noon. We congratulate them and wish them many happy years together and every happiness for their future.

## **EDUCATION AND FORMATION**

### **BAPTISMS**

Parents must attend two Talks A and B before their child(ren) can be baptised. The Talks take place in the church on the second Sunday of each month at 11.00 am – immediately after the 10 am Mass.

(2) The next talk will take place on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October.

(3) Today Isla and Erin Clemmings, Caoimhe & Oisin Rose and Aoife Dempsey will be baptised. We congratulate their parents and godparents and welcome them into the family of the church. The family has booked The Brooks for a reception afterwards.

### **SYNOD DELEGATES**

Canon Gregory will attend a meeting with Synod delegates this Tuesday at 8.00pm in The Shore Gallery

### **BLESSING FOR STUDENTS**

Canon Gregory will be giving a blessing to all students starting University at the 10am Mass.

## **MISSION AND SERVICE**

### **SCHOOL CHOIR**

We are delighted to announce that our Director of Music, Tracy McNama, will be forming a new school choir for KS2 at St Patrick’s School from this term. Rehearsals began on Thursday, 15 September, after school. Please contact the school office if your child would like to join.

### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS TRAINING**

The following Eucharistic Ministers have agreed to take communion to the housebound:- Deacons Rob Easton & Denis Deasey, Sisters Maria & Leenamary, Jeril Lajju, Fiona Bradley, John Bradley and Amelia Dunford

Canon Gregory will train the Ministers after the 10.00am Mass today Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September and Sunday 25 September. Training will last only 30 minutes on each Sunday. If you have volunteered your services or would like to volunteer, and your name is not on the list, please contact Amelia in the church office.

**MINISTRIES IN THE CHURCH COMMENCING SUNDAY 25<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022**

**26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**HARVEST SUNDAY**

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

6.30pm Deacon Denis, Joanna Deasey  
8.30am Denise & Paul Gaiger  
10.00am Deacon Rob, Dona Jiji

**READERS**

Colin Gale, Joanna Deasey  
Rebecca Beasley-Suffolk, Helen Jones  
Lisa & Simon Peck

**BIDDING PRAYERS:** Helen Jones

**WELCOMERS:**

6.30pm Volunteer, Volunteer  
8.30am Trish Godfrey, Volunteer  
10.00am Teresa Smaka, Teresa O'Brien

**Church Cleaners** Team One: Kay, Terry, Sarah, Ron, Elizabeth  
**Offertory Counters** Team Three: Pauline & Mark Humphrey  
**Tea & Coffee Rota** Come & See Group