The Catholic Parishes of



Immaculate Conception @BICESTER





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The Parishes of the Immaculate Conception & Holy Trinity are part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216

Archbishop: **The Most Rev Bernard Longley** Area Bishop: **Rt. Rev. William Kenney**

Dean of Banbury Deanery & Parish Priest:

Very Rev. Canon John Y Batthula BA, MA, Dip. Cat., MA Ed

Assistant Priest: Fr Robert Carey STB

Parish Deacons: Rev Mr Michael Panejko MA 01869 246 459

Rev Mr Nick St John: 01869 246 787

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Head Teacher: Miss. P. Pickering

Parish Sisters: -Superior - Sr Rose Mathew - Convent 327 689

Year of Family



11th Sunday of Ordinary Time B 13th June 2021 Psalter 3

Ordinary Time continues at week 11. Weekday cycle of Readings Year 1 & Sunday's Year B

Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Year of St Joseph



2020 - 8th December 2021

JUNE	TIME	INTENTIONS	FEASTS	LECTORS	STEWARDS
SAT 12TH	5.15 PM - 5.45 PM	CONFESSIONS		Choir area	
	6.00 PM	Bill & Kitty Hornby & Angela Nelson (RIP)	11th Sunday in ordinary time	P Sims & C McArdle	McArdle Family
SUN 13TH	8.00 AM @Hethe	Kishore Madha (RIP)			R Dean & S Wilde
	9.30 AM			M Brown	Andrade family
	11.00 AM			T Lane	Kokore Family
MON 14TH	9.30 AM	Intentions of John Clarke	Feria in ordinary time	M Daniel	P Sims
TUE 15TH	9.30 AM	Joseph Thundathil (RIP)	Feria in ordinary time	J Kokore	R & R Deane
WED 16TH	9.30 AM	Intentions of Gabrielle O'Grady	Feria in ordinary time	Sisters	L & C Cleeve
THUR 17TH	9.30 AM	Maryann Last (RIP)	Feria in ordinary time	M Daniel	Kokore family
	11.00 AM	Baptism of Julie Lee			
FRI 18TH	12 NOON	Martin Mellett (RIP)	Solemnity of Dedication	E King	
SAT 19TH	11.00 AM	Funeral service of Cedrick Rodgers RIP	At North Oxford Crematorium		
	4.00 PM @ Hethe	HOLY ROSARY			
	5.15 PM - 5.45 PM	CONFESSIONS		Choir area	DAY FOR LIFE
	6.00 PM	Intentions of Clergy & Sisters of our Parish	12th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sr Sani & Rufus John	McFall & L O'Flynn
SUN 20TH	8.00 AM @ HETHE				R Deane & S Wilde
	9.30 AM	People of the Parish		M Daniel	Andrade Family
	11.00 AM			C Tett	J Marshall & A Poole



DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Every Tuesday at 2.00pm in Church

BAPTISMS: Please contact the Parish Office through email or phone to make necessary arrangements.

CONFESSIONS: Every Saturday from 5.15 PM - 5.45 PM (Masks compulsory)

HOLY HOUR: Every First Friday from 6.00pm to 7.00pm (not during Lent & Advent)

WEDDINGS: Please contact the Parish Office through email or phone to make necessary arrangements. **ROSARY:** During weekdays 25 minutes before Mass starts. Saturday's 5.35 pm (before Vigil Mass)





LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

K Cashman, Tim Charles, Joyce Thornley, Mary Ashley, John Dunn, Marie Olive.

REQUEST To speed up entry into church for Mass please bring along a slip of paper with your name and contact number and place it in the container provided in the entrance. (Write it at home and bring it) Alternatively if you have a smart phone, register by using the **NHS TRACK AND TRACE** QR Code which is displayed on the notice boards in the entrance. This applies to both churches.

As we enter a gradual relaxing of restrictions may we still remind you: **Not to come** if symptomatic or self-isolating. That **masks are** compulsory. **To observe** social distancing at all times, and tempting as it is, you must not mingle with anyone outside of your household or support bubble when you attend Mass.

Please refer to the bulletin for our Mass times if you are able to attend. We are grateful to all of you who faithfully comply with the Governments regulations and we must continue to do all we can to keep everybody safe in church.

SPONSORING SANCTUARY AND OUR LADY'S LAMPS As you may be aware, there are lamps which burn perpetually on the sanctuary (Blessed Sacrament) and in the Lady Chapel. Would you like one of these to burn in memory of a loved one, or for a particular intention? If so, we are asking for a donation of £10 per week, which will go towards the costs of running the sacristy: candles, hosts, wine and other necessities for the celebration of Mass. Please hand in to one of the priests or in one of the donation boxes in an envelope marked 'Sanctuary Lamp or Our Lady Lamp Donation', together with a note stating your particular intention. The intentions will be published in our weekly bulletin. Thank you. **ALTAR SERVERS:** Thanks to those who responded to start serving at

ALTAR SERVERS: Thanks to those who responded to start serving at Mass. There will only be space for one server (or two if they are siblings) and jobs will be limited but we miss you! Face Mask and gloves are a must. Please come to the sacristy just 10 minutes before we start the Mass. If you would be interested in joining a rota for this, please get in touch with me via parish email. tic.bicester@rcaob.org.uk

WELCME BACK SUNDAY LUNCH: To be held on Sunday 4th July in St John Paul II Centre. 2 course lunch - including a glass of wine - £15.00. Admission by ticket only. All proceeds to Church Funds. Tickets available from Jackie Flynn, 01869 243592. Thank you.

<u>CAKE SALE:</u> I would like to thank Jackie and Les for their dedication in raising funds for the Parish. My sincere thanks all those who supported. Total raised £247.32.

MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING: Thank you all for your support. Special thanks to Jackie and all others who assisted and supported.

PASTORAL LETTER - I am pleased to let you know that this weekend (12/13 June) a Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Bernard will be read out. The Pastoral Letter is focused on the Diocesan Vision: Unfolding God's Plan. The Archbishop will introduce the Vision and how we intend to move forward as an Archdiocese over the coming years. As we make a fresh beginning after more than a year of lockdowns and restrictions, our aim is for clergy and the lay faithful to work closely to create vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour. Today as enter the Church, along with the newsletter you will be given a prayer card , I hope that you recite it as family.

PASTORAL AND FINANCE COUNCILS: I thank all members who have been on the Council for the past 6 years. I have some plans to recruit some new members in to the both Committees and I therefore urge the present members, if some of you would like to volunteer to stepdown, rather than me asking you, so that some new members can join the Councils.

PARISH ENVIROMENTAL COMMITTEE: I sincerely thank those who have attended our Zoom meeting a couple of months ago and have expressed some interest in having a Parish group, to promote to protect our planet Earth. If you would like to join the group, please email Office. Plan to have a meeting in July, probably in the Centre.

PARISH COMMUNICATIONS:

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Diocesan Vision, Unfolding God's Plan Mission Statement

"To support and mobilise all in the diocese to become true missionary disciples."

Vision Statement

"We are called to be a Catholic diocese which is: faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ full of missionary disciples who work together co-responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour."

Baptism of Julie Lee Thursday17th June at 11am Congratulations & God's blessings

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

Let us pray for these couples.

28th August at 2pm - Cherish Green & Scott Harris 30th August at 2pm - Erin Allen & Christopher Cooper 25th September at 2.00pm - Barbara Pilewska & Pawel Sajduda Congratulations & God's blessings

Financial Information



SECOND COLLECTIONS

June 12th/13th - Parish Maintenance June 19th/20th - Day for Life

Church	Loose £	Second Collection £	Standing Orders	Total	Attended
Bicester	245.54	109.52	£1009	£1364.06	190
Hethe	46		£182	£228.00	23

PARISH GIVING: The best way you can support the parish financially is by setting up a Standing Order using the following bank details:: NatWest Bank.

Bicester: Acc. No: 02342731; Sort Code: 51 70 15. **Hethe:** Acc. No: 02301466; Sort Code: 517015

Thank you for your ongoing support particularly in these difficult times!

PRAYER FOR THE DIOCESAN VISION:

Spirit of God, descend on me this day. Grant me the Spirit of joy, to lift me, the Spirit of hope to inspire me, the Spirit of love to surround me and the Spirit of truth to enlighten my path.

Holy Spirit, I pray for a new outpouring of your grace, so that I may grow in worship of your name in love of you in my prayer and in my actions towards others.

Come Holy Spirit into my life to guide me. Strengthen and defend me, so that I may be drawn ever closer to you. Help me this day and always to be a channel of grace in all I say and do and invite others into relationship with you. Amen

We use live streaming



Go the website and follow link <u>https://mcnmedia.tv/iframe/</u> <u>e8896647923e089406131a3b96e45994de4a89c4</u>

Those who do not wish to have their image live streamed are advised to go to Holy Trinity church (Hethe) where there are no cameras.