

CATHOLIC BICESTER

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HOLY TRINITY

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BREVIARY: WEEK 3 OF PSALTER (YEAR C) SATURDAY 13TH JULY TO SUNDAY 21ST JULY 2019

Sunday Masses can be viewed live on **YouTube**, click on the link on our website.

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216

JULY 2019	TIME	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION	TIME	HOLY TRINITY	INFORMATION
SATURDAY 13TH	6.00 PM	Larry Canby (RIP)			
SUNDAY 14TH	9.00 AM	People of the Parish	10.00 AM	People of the Parish	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 Holy Baptism	11.00 AM	Joseph & Anna Lemkalovich (RIP) followed by Baptisms			SEA SUNDAY
MONDAY 15TH	12 NOON	Julio Felizardo (RIP)	9.30AM		Mem of St Bonaventure, B, Dr
TUESDAY 16TH	9.30 AM	Patrick Hickey (RIP)		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary time
	2.00 PM	Divine Mercy Chaplet			Church
WEDNESDAY 17TH	9.30 AM (Sch)	Leavers' Mass Fr Robert - 1st Anniversary of Ordination		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary time
THURSDAY 18TH	7.00PM	Kirby Major (RIP)		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary time
FRIDAY 19TH	9.30 AM	Brian & Jean Penhallow (RIP)		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary time
SATURDAY 20TH	9.30 AM (BP)	Prisoners and their families		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary time
	10.15 AM	Service of The Word with Holy Communion			
	5.15 PM	ROSARY			
	6.00 PM	Willie & Nellie Lawlor (RIP)			
SUNDAY 21ST	9.00 AM	People of the Parish	10.00 AM	People of the Parish	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	11.00 AM	Catenian President's Mass In thanksgiving			



This weekend's Liturgy of the Word: Today we will hear again Christ's immortal parable about a man lying wounded by the roadside, and how two people passed him by while a third stopped and helped him. Let us stop for a moment and call to mind the number of times we have passed by someone who needed help.

First Reading (Deut. 30: 10-14). Moses urges the people to obey God's law, not as something imposed from outside them, but as something that springs up from inside themselves.

Second Reading (Colossians I: 15-20). Paul asserts the absolute supremacy of Christ. He is the beginning and end of creation, the head of the Church, and the universal mediator and redeemer.

Gospel (Luke 10:25-37). This relates Christ's immortal parable of the Good Samaritan.

Canon John Y Batthula
Parish Priest & Dean



CONFESSIONS

Saturday
10.45 am - 11.30am
5 pm - 5.30pm

ROSARY

Mon - Thur. 9.30am
Fri. 12.30 pm
Sat. 10.45am

Divine Mercy

Tuesday 2.00pm

HOLY HOUR

Next one Sunday
1st September

Youth Group

(Term Time)
Monday 7.15 pm

COFFEE & TEA

IC Sunday's
After 9am and 11am
Masses

HT after 10 am Mass



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

CATENIANS: Contact Peter Sims
01869 249638.

TRADECRAFT: Open 3rd weekend of month
100 CLUB DRAW: Last Sunday of the month
MEN'S NIGHT: currently none

RCIA Tuesdays, in the St John Paul II from
8pm-9pm from Nov-April.

CAMEO LADIES GROUP: Meet at Kings Arms,
last Saturday, of the month at 10.30am for
coffee, cake & chat. Do join us!

COFFEE MORNINGS: Fridays 10am-11.45am:
Aug 9th, Sept 13th, Oct 11th, Nov 8th, Dec 6th.

LUNCHES: Tuesdays 12 noon. July 23rd,
Aug - none, Sept 24th, Oct 22nd.

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

K Cashman, C Hall,
Mary Anne Last, Tim Charles,
Joyce Thornley.

Due to the **New Data Protection
Regulations** anyone wishing to be
listed here will need to contact the
Parish Office **personally** by email to:
[admin@immaculate-
conception.org.uk](mailto:admin@immaculate-conception.org.uk)

HOLY TRINITY - HETHE

SICK Let us remember those who are unwell at this time in our
prayers, especially Jill Kelly.

Our dead Please pray for the repose of the souls of these parishioners
whose anniversaries occur about now.

Attendance: 44. **Cash Collection:** £56.78+SO.

Hethe	14/7	21/7	28/7	4/8	11/8	18/8	25/8
Lector Counters	M Manetta	K D'Silva	P Lee	R Deane	D Mathews	D McDermott	V Barnes

PARISH YOUTH/ PASTORAL WORKER

Full-time (35 hours per week)

**Fixed-term: Initial period 12 months in view of extending for
further 24 months. £23,000 - £25,000 p.a.**

We are seeking to appoint a full-time
Catholic Parish Youth Worker for our Parish.

As our Youth Worker you will need passion, vision and drive for
working with young people and the ability to instill
enthusiasm in others.

You will need a background in youth work and the proven
ability to develop effective relations with young people and
adults. In addition you will need to be able to build, train and
nurture a team of volunteers.

Underpinning this role will be an understanding of Parish youth
ministry and the ability to be an outstanding role model.

If you are interested in this new and challenging role please
contact Canon John Batthula, 01869253 277 for further
information or an informal discussion.

Applications for this role will be by CV and covering letter,
which should outline how your skills and abilities match those
required for this role.

Two references will be required. Please include their
full contact information with your application.

Applications to be returned to:

Canon John Batthula,
Henley House,

12 Causeway, Bicester, OXON OX26 6AW
by no later than **Friday 9th August 2019.**

TEMPORARY CHANGES TO WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Please note change of times for Masses held on the following days until
11th August.

Immaculate Conception: Monday 12 noon, Thursday 7pm, Friday 9.30am.
Saturday 10.15am: Service of the Word with Holy Communion.

Holy Trinity, Hethe: Monday at 9.30am. No Mass on Fridays.

PERMANENT CHANGES TO WEEKEND MASS TIMES: A while ago I discussed
the need for changes to weekend Mass times here in Bicester and Hethe.

These changes are necessary due to ever increasing demands on the priests
and pastoral responsibilities within the Deanery, and in order to safeguard
the existence of the Parish of Holy Trinity. Therefore, from October 13th
2019, Sunday Masses will be held at 8am at Holy Trinity, Hethe and 9.30am
and 11am at The Immaculate Conception. Saturday Vigil Mass will remain
unchanged at 6pm at the Immaculate Conception. I do hope that parishioners
in both parishes receive these necessary changes in a positive way and
support us in fulfilling our pastoral responsibilities faithfully.

THANK YOU: Thank you to all who helped with stalls and attended the Family
Festival last Sunday. £587.39 was raised for parish funds.

WINNERS 100 CLUB Due to people moving and other withdrawals we currently
have some numbers available in the 100-club. Please consider adding
this fun method to your parish donations with a standing order of £5 a
month. Contact the office if you can help us make the full 100 this year.
contact paulcous@yahoo.com for details.

YOUTH GROUP Yr 7 at Rebound on Tuesday, 16th July from 6pm-7pm.

Sea Sunday - Apostleship of the Sea

Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work
at sea. Without them we would not have most of the
items we buy in the shops.

Today's second collection is for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea),
the Church's official maritime welfare agency.

It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually.

This collection is vital to enable it to continue its work, so please give
generously and remember seafarers in your prayers.

Thank you.

To donate online please visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk



CHILDRENS LITURGY

The team are looking for more
volunteers to join from September
for it to continue.

Please contact the parish office
if you can help.

Teams for Sunday the:	14/7	21/7	28/7	4/8	11/8	18/8
Counting (7)	4	5	6	7	1	2
Cleaning (7) no 5	6	7	1	2	3	4
Children lit. (5)	3	4	5	None	None	None
Coffee 9am (14)	11	12	13	14	1	2
Coffee 11am (7)	2	3	4	5	6	7
Flowers	Jo	Jo	Anne	Anne	Sally	Sally
Tradecraft	Open					Open

SECOND COLLECTIONS

JULY

14th Apostleship of the Sea
21st & 28th Parish Maintenance

AUGUST

4th Vocations
11th & 18th Parish Maintenance
25th Columban Missionary



PARISH OFFERINGS

1st G A £116.80 Loose £415.15 **Total: £ 531.95 +**
Standing Orders
2nd G A £46.28 Loose £182.58 **Total: £228.86**
Total: £760.81

With thanks for all your generosity to
the Parish and to charity.

This weekend: 14/7	Extraordinary Min	Extraordinary Min	Extraordinary Min	Extraordinary Min	Lector	Lector	Welcomer	Welcomer	Attendance last week
Saturday 6pm	Sr Sherly	Sr Rose	S Joseph	M Thompson	A Nelson	E Jones	Thompson	Family	74
Sunday 9am	K Riley	S Doherty	M Doherty	Clergy	C Moyse	J Nugent	K Riley	Crook Family	140
Sunday 11am	F Ostrowski	O Panejko	Clergy	Clergy/vol	T O'Callaghan	J Hurst	T & N Lane		402
Next weekend: 21/7								TOTAL:	616
Saturday 6pm	B Thompson	M Kelly	I Foley	M John	M Mellett	B Kirwan	G & P Sims		
Sunday 9am	N Andrade	A Mutton	volunteer	Clergy	L Weaver	R Weaver	N Andrade		
Sunday 11am	F Thornley	H King	Clergy	Clergy/vol	I Ziegart	I Cook	J Tuttle		