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Our Parish Family - please pray for:

- those who are unwell; especially Sheena Barker, David Brown, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Mary Bryan, Tony Cairns, Mark Cattermole, Nigel Day, Vincenzo Jack Di Franco, Phyllis Fox, Horace Gaudencio, Gill Gleghorn, Adrian Hambly, Fr Michael Hazell, Eric Healey, Lily Healey, Val Irwin, Sandra Jones, Edward Kay, Isaac Kelly, David Knight, John Knight, Dominic Lee, Paul Major, Alice McLeod, Margaret O'Rourke, Novelene Parungao, Tom Patten, Brenda Peters, Barry Pollard, Margaret Prodger, Catherine Raine, Ferial Rogers, Max Steel, Fr John Warrington and John Williams. *(New entries in bold)*
- those whose anniversaries are at this time: Iris Emily Crampton, Miriam Griffiths, Doris Cooper, Elizabeth Casey, Ivy Winifred McManamon, Zak Spencer Hockley-Brown, Joseph Rodrigues, Kathleen Burnett, Oswald Holmes, Donato Rinaldi, Denis Stocker, John (Jack) Mulvey, Delia Bridget Goonan, Catherine Butterworth, Ellen Wilson, Alec Sidey, Francisco Silva, Daisy Griffin and Cyril Barber. *May they rest in peace.*

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The parish secretary, Eleanor Bradley, can be contacted between 9am and 12 noon Tuesday to Friday, at St. Mary's Presbytery. During these hours she can be reached by phone on 01473 728115, otherwise email secretary@st-mary.org.uk

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):

St. Mary's - Saturday after 9.30 Mass
Holy Family - Saturday 17.15 - 17.45

Baptisms and Marriages are celebrated by appointment.



THE NEWSLETTER

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The Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 8th Sept 2019 Year C

1st Reading Wisdom 9:13-18
Psalm O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.

2nd Reading Philemon 9-10.12-17
Gospel Alleluia, alleluia!
Acclamation I call you friends, says the Lord, Because I have made known to you Everything I have learnt from my Father.
Alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel Luke 14:25-33 (Psalter Week 3)

Mass Times and Intentions				
Sa	HF	18.00	May Sarsfield (Noreen)	
Su	SM	09.00	Richard (Dick) & Eileen Clark (F)	23rd Ordinary Sunday
	HF	09.15	Edward Wall (P & T Quill)	
	SM	10.30	Geraldine Housden+ (C & D Housden)	
	SM	18.00	For the People of the Parish	
				<i>8th September</i>
M				<i>Feria</i>
Tu	SM	09.15	Frederick Fox (F)	<i>Feria</i>
W	HF	10.00	Lambert Family (Morrison)	<i>Feria</i>
Th	SM	09.15	Elizabeth & Thomas Britton (F)	<i>Feria</i>
F	HF	10.00	Petition Prayer (S Blass)	<i>St John Chrysostom</i>
Sa	SM	09.10	Morning Prayer (Liturgy of the Divine Office)	<i>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i>
	SM	09.30	Jennie Ribbans+ (R & N Kitson)	
	HF	18.00	Carl Anderson-Dixon (Noreen)	
Su	SM	09.00	Jennie Ribbans+ (P & M Beckett)	24th Ordinary Sunday
	HF	09.15	Harry Connelly (P & T Quill)	
	SM	10.30	For the People of the Parish	
	SM	18.00	Joan Alexander (F)	
				<i>15th September</i>

A Very Warm Welcome to Fr Peter Raj - Our New Parish Priest!!
Father, we wish you many years of happy and fulfilling Ministry in our Parish. You are most welcome to our Community and Parish, we look forward to working together with you.

Silent Prayer (7.30-8.20) Tues, Sept 10th – at the home of Chris & David Offord, 14 Cedar Avenue, Kesgrave, Ipswich. IP5 1EZ. 01473 620354 **All welcome**

Praying the Rosary continues on Wednesday afternoons from 2pm - 2.45pm in the Susan York Room at the back of St. Mary's Church, all are invited to come along and pray the Rosary.

Weekly food for Families in need (FIND) It's not always easy to remember which foods to bring along. If in doubt, just bring along something nourishing. Suggested foods for September : **jars of jam, packets of long grain rice & tins of rice pudding.**

Home Mission Sunday next weekend 14th/15th September there will be a second collection after all Masses.

Lift to Sunday 10.30 Mass - James, 10 Montrose House, Renfrew Rd., is seeking a lift - his Tel. No. is 01473 721730.

St Mary's Parish 100+ Club As we approach the end of our third year we would like to thank our members for their support whilst congratulating the winners of our monthly draws and quarterly bonus draws.

With all the profit going directly to parish funds, we hope that you will see this as a fun way of fundraising. Membership is open to everyone and members can buy as many numbers as they wish. Numbers are drawn randomly with each number costing £2 per month, payable annually (£24 per number). Draws take place the first Sunday of every month.

The first prize is £25, the second prize is £15 and the third prize is £10. The quarterly bonus prize is £50. A total of £800 is paid out over the year in prizes.

Membership forms are at the back of the church, please return them to any member of the clergy, or to the Presbytery, by **September 10th**. (Please make cheques payable to St Mary's Catholic Parish).

100+ Club We are pleased to announce the winners of the September draw (1st September): 1st £25, No. 21 *Sue & Tom Halfpenny*, 2nd £15, No. 93 *David Offord*, 3rd £10, No. 24 *Amanda Bridges*; £50 Bonus Prize No. 39 *Mrs. Phil Quill*.

Suffolk Churches Ride and Stride Please look out after Masses over the next few weeks for your opportunity to sponsor **Mike Irwin** who will be cycling on behalf of St. Mary's.

Ride and Stride is an annual sponsored bike ride or walk between churches. Half the money raised helps to save historic churches, chapels and meeting houses for future generations by helping to fund urgent repairs and the installation of modern facilities, while the other half goes to a nominated church. This year the event is on Saturday 14th September.

Sponsorship can take the form of a fixed donation for taking part or an amount per church visited. The maximum number of churches visited will be ten, so you can work out how much you will be letting yourself in for. If you are a taxpayer you can gift aid your donation by putting your full name, address and postcode on the sponsorship form. Thank you for your support.

Anyone else wishing to ride or stride can collect sponsorship forms by contacting either Deacon Chris or Eleanor.

Volunteers are needed to welcome visitors to St. Mary's Church, if you can spare an hour please add your name and number to the list on the noticeboard. Thank you.

Forthcoming Events at Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology, 12 Grange Road, Cambridge, CB3 9DU

14th Sept - Study Day 10.30 - 4.00pm looking at the Old Testament with Dr Ela Lazerevicz-Wyrzykowska. Join the CCRS students for the day and enjoy an opportunity to explore the Old Testament. Cost: £15, pay on the day, bring your own lunch, refreshments supplied. To book: ring 01223 741 039 email mbitadm@hermes.cam.ac.uk with 'Study Day' in the subject bar.

26th Sept - Public Lecture 5 pm in the Chapel, Margaret Beaufort Institute of Theology. 'The King's Mother: Piety, Politics, and Philanthropy in the Life of Lady Margaret Beaufort', a lecture by Professor Richard Rex. Professor Rex is Professor of Reformation History at the Faculty of Divinity, Cambridge, and Polkinghorne Fellow in Theology and Religious Studies at Queens' College, Cambridge. Free admission. To book: ring 01223 741 039 or email mbitadm@hermes.cam.ac.uk.

Thursday Afternoons 10th - 31st October Catholic Theology and Practice Module. A learning space for catholic women 'The Sermon on the Mount' - course delivered by Dr Marian Machinek. Cost: £170 to apply contact MBIT administrator for an application form 01223 741 039 or email mbitadm@hermes.cam.ac.uk.