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THE NEWSLETTER

St. Mary's Catholic Parish
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The 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time 20th August - Year A

Our Parish Family - please pray for:

- those who are unwell; especially David Brown, Tony Cairns, Nigel Day, Horace Gaudencio, Gill Gleghorn, Delia Goonan, Adrian Hambly, Eric Healey, Lily Healey, Val Irwin, Edward Kay, Isaac Kelly, David Knight, John Knight, Linda Knight, Margaret Ledger, Dominic Lee, Paul Major, Alice McLeod, Peter Miller, Michael Mongan, Walter O'Rourke, Arthur Parker, Kerry Patten, Tom Patten, Brenda Peters, Barry Pollard, Margaret Prodger, Catherine Raine, Ray Savage, Max Steel and John Williams. *(New entries in bold)*
- those whose anniversaries are at this time: Elizabeth Brown, William Alexander Sanderson, Kathleen Hilda Heard, Marjorie Byrne, Maud Ward, Alice Margaret Hawes, Lucy Doreen Rope, Kathleen Brown, Paddy McElhaman and Phyllis Leyman. *May they rest in peace.*

1st Reading Isaiah 56:1,6-7
Psalm Let the peoples praise you, O God,
let all the peoples praise you.
2nd Reading Romans 11:13-15,29-32
Gospel Alleluia, alleluia.
Acclamation *The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice,
Says the Lord,
I know them and they follow me.*
Alleluia!

Gospel Matthew 15:21-28

(Psalter Week 4)

Mass Times and Intentions

Sa	HF	18.00	Bridget Teresa Bert + (Sue Paige)	
Su	SM	09.00	For the People of the Parish	20th Ordinary Sunday
	HF	09.15	Doug Fearon (Angie Gettings)	
	SM	10.30	Private Intention	
	SM	18.00	Private Intention	20th August
M	SM	10.00	Polish/English Mass	St. Pius X
	HO	16.00	Hospital Mass	
Tu	SM	09.15	Walter & Mary Clarke (F)	Queenship of the BVM
W	HF	10.00	Private Intention	Feria
Th	SM	09:15	Private Intention	St. Bartholomew
F	HF	10.00	Private Intention	Feria
Sa	SM	09.30	Private Intention	Feria
	HF	18.00	Roy Kelsey + (Joan Kelsey & Family)	
Su	SM	09.00	Austin Castelino +	21st Ordinary Sunday
	HF	09.15	Michael & Lucy Rope (F)	
	SM	10.30	For the People of the Parish	
	SM	18.00	Private Intention	27th August

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To contact a priest in an emergency please call 07773478835

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession):

St. Mary's - Saturday after 09.30 Mass

Holy Family - Saturday 17.15 - 17.45

Baptisms and Marriages are celebrated by appointment.

| **SM** St. Mary's | **HF** Holy Family | **HO** Hospital |


Journey of Faith This September we begin a time of preparation for those seeking to be welcomed as members of the Catholic Church. Our Parish Journey of Faith course follows the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) and is a time of prayer, preparation, celebration and welcome into the Catholic Church. The time of preparation is from September this year to next Easter.

Interested in Becoming a Catholic? Welcome to St Mary's Parish. If you have just moved into the area or have found us for the first time - You are most welcome.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church and would like to find out more you are invited to join us for our Journey of Faith Welcome Evening on Thursday 21 September 2017 at 8pm – 9pm in St Mary's Parish Hall.

If you wish to speak to the parish priest, Fr John, please do not hesitate to call him on 01473 728115 or email him at john.warrington@st-mary.org.uk You can also find out more about our parish at www.st-mary.org.uk

"Summer In The Forest" is a film about Jean Vanier and L'Arche, by Randall Wright, who visited the original community in Trosly, France, and the community in Bethlehem, following the lives and stories of the people there. Very good reviews everywhere... The film is coming to Ipswich Film Theatre Trust <https://www.facebook.com/ipswichfilm.theatretrust/?fref=mentions> on Tuesday 22, Wednesday 23 and Thursday 24 August - If you're in Ipswich or not far, don't miss it!

 **Praying the Rosary** Continues on Wednesday afternoon 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.

Silent Prayer Gatherings will not take place during the month of August

Clare Priory Events Full details of the following events can be found on the notice boards or on the Clare Priory website clarepriory.org.uk

Mindfulness Inspiration, Thursday 31st Aug 9.30 -5.00. A day of introduction the practice of mindfulness. **Preparing the Body for Prayer**, Saturday 9th Sept 10.00 – 3.00. A day of silence simple movement and an introduction to Christian Meditation.

St Mary's Parish 100+ Club

As we approach the end of our first 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 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. Each number costs £2 per month, payable annually. Draws take place on the first Sunday of every month alternating between St Mary's and Holy Family churches. First prize is £25, second prize is £15 and the third prize is £10. The quarterly bonus prize is £50.

Membership forms are at the back of each church, please return them to any member of our clergy by September 23rd (cheques made payable to St Mary's Catholic Parish) Whilst numbers have been selected randomly over the past year there will also be an opportunity to pick or indeed change your number(s) on August 27th after 9am Mass at St. Mary's and September 3rd after 9.15 Mass at Holy Family & St Michael.



Appeal from FIND our local food bank Holiday relief needed to deliver. If you can spare 90 minutes any day of the week, from 1.30, & have a car, then please contact Maureen on 01473 833351 & leave a message. She will get back to you. Also needed, treasurer, hands on trustee, fundraiser.

Suffolk Historic Churches Trust Bike Ride This year's Ride & Stride will be held on Saturday 9th September and St Mary's Church will be open from 9am to 6pm on the day. We do need some volunteers to be in church to welcome and provide cold drinks and biscuits (which will be provided) if you can help please print your name and phone number against the time or times you are able to be in church—there is a list on the notice board in the porch at St Mary's. With thanks