

NEWSLETTER OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES, NEW MILTON

9TH JULY 2023
14TH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
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ORDER OF MASS: Please have a look through our new Order of Mass laminated cards. Regular Mass-goers shouldn't really need to use them because they just contain the texts we use every Sunday, along with any variants. So, for instance, on the front panel you will see all three options for the priest's greeting:

- The grace of OR
- Grace to you OR
- The Lord be with you

all of which have the same response: *And with your spirit.*

Underneath that, we have the Penitential Act, of which there are 3 forms:

- I confess OR
- Have mercy on us, O Lord..... OR
- You were sent..... OR

So if we don't begin with "I confess...." **TURN OVER!**

The rest of the card is self explanatory: please just follow through if you need to.

PLEASE LEAVE THE ORDER OF MASS CARD IN YOUR PEW. THANKS.

ANTIPHONS, PSALM RESPONSES, GOSPEL

ACCLAMATION VERSES: These change every week. To help you, we have reproduced them in a leaflet that lasts 6 weeks (14th Sunday—today— to 19th Sunday of the year—August 13th). Each Sunday has its own panel. Again, please leave in your pew. Note to readers: if there are any optional texts, the leaflet will offer the first one.

READERS: Obviously, it is now especially important that we can hear and understand what you are saying. Please make a special effort to proclaim the readings clearly and slowly, observing the punctuation carefully. Please do not rush or read to yourself:
communicate!

Remember,
you are
reading the
*Word of
God, the
Message of
Eternal Life.*



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TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION: Stella Maris. Stella Maris is part of the Catholic Church's global outreach to seafarers. It provides a warm welcome, pastoral care, and support for the many thousands of seafarers who visit our ports each year. We rely on seafarers for most of our imports and exports. The work they do is dangerous, living conditions are cramped, and many seafarers do not see their families for many months at a time. Please be generous for this collection. Thank you. For more info, please visit <https://www.stellamaris.org.uk>.



NEW FOREST FOOD BANK: Is desperately low on the following: **cereal, tea bags, baked beans, and tinned tomatoes.** All items can be left in the church foyer and will be delivered to the food bank on a regular basis. The food bank only gives parcels to those who have been referred to it by outside agencies such as doctors' surgeries and social services. The weekly parcels provide a valuable top-up to individuals and families struggling to make ends meet in these tough times. Everyone working at the foodbank does so on a volunteer basis (apart from one summer intern). Perhaps you could add one of the items the bank needs to your shopping list?

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS/SERVICE TIMES, AND PRIEST'S INTENTIONS
 CONFESSIONS — 5.30PM SATURDAY, (OR AFTER WEEKDAY MASS ON REQUEST)
 TEA/COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MORNING MASS IN PARISH HALL

SUN 9 JULY	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	VIGIL (SAT) SUN (AM)	6.00 PM 10.00AM	+ Maureen Wixley Malcolm Davies (wellbeing)
Mon 10	Feria, week 14	No Mass		
Tues 11	St Benedict	Mass Rosary	10.00am 6.30pm	People of the Parish
Wed 12	Feria, week 14	Mass	10.00am	+ David Watts & family
Thurs 13	St Henry	Mass	10.00am	Holy Souls
Fri 14	St Camillus of Lellis	Mass	10.00am	+ Colette Georges
Sat 15	St Swithun	No AM Mass		
SUN 16 JULY	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	VIGIL (SAT) SUN (AM)	6.00PM 10.00AM	Robert & Matthew + Susan Murphy

8/9 July	Reader	EMHC	15/16 July	Reader	EMHC
Vigil	SD	KD	Vigil	GG	MH
10.00am	OB	JK	10.00am	JP	JN

A warm welcome to all our visitors today. Please make yourselves known to one of our Meet & Greet Team, who will be happy to help you.

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING: Saturday 16th September, 10.00am-3.30pm, Lymington Catholic Church hall, led by Julie Minal, from the Diocesan Safeguarding team. Day is open to all those in recruitment for, or currently working in roles with children and/or adults at risk, initially from our parishes in the New Forest. Training is mandatory every 2 years. This would include First Holy Communion catechists and EMHC hoping to take Holy Communion to the housebound. To book a place on the course, and any further enquiries, please email safeguarding@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk

PARISH GIVING BY CARD: Our new card machine is now in place. It is really simple to use: just press the amount you'd like to give and tap your card. Perhaps you are celebrating a special event—a birthday, promotion, anniversary—and would like to give thanks to God by making an offering to God's Holy Church? All done with the tap of a card.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Please note, the office will only be open on Wednesday of this week, and not at all the week after. Fr Bill will pick up any telephone messages but does not have access to the parish email account. If you need to email during this period and require a response (newsletter etc), please use Fr Bill's wwilson@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk account. Many thanks.

FR BILL'S BIRTHDAY BBQ
 Sunday 30th July in the afternoon.
 Keep the date free! There will be a planning meeting today after coffee in the hall.
 All welcome.



PRAYER CORNER: Our prayers are asked for the following who are sick and/or housebound: Hazel Lessler, Lucy Lessler, T Steeles, Andrea Filler, Madelaine Newland, Robin Hockey, Christine Houssiere, Dave Youngman, Barbara Williams, Joan Miller, Tony Thorpe, Malcolm Davies, Fiona Fallon, Patricia Clarke.

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