

The Angelus

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary,
R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit. Hail Mary, ...

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done unto me according to Your Word. Hail Mary, ...

V. And the Word was made flesh,
R. And dwelt among us. Hail Mary, ...

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray:
Pour forth, we beseech You, O Lord,
Your Grace into our hearts;
that as we have known the incarnation of Christ,
your Son by the message of an angel,
so by His passion and cross
we may be brought to the glory of His Resurrection.
Through the same Christ, our Lord. Amen.



Almighty God,

*Creator of the hearth in which we live,
Help us today in our search for peaceful ways
To avoid wars, to eliminate terrorism and tyranny
And to establish justice for peoples of all races and faiths.
We pray that the billions of peace-loving
People of goodwill throughout the nations,
Will join together in prayer and action
To bring love where there is hatred,
Friendship where there is enmity,
And justice where there is oppression.*

Amen.



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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9th -15 July 2017

Sunday 9.07	10am 11.30am	Joseph Barrett Holy Communion Joseph Barrett Ints English Mass: Tom Reape RIP	Zech 9:9-10 Rom 8:9.11-13 Mt 11:25-30
Monday 10.07	12noon	Pat O'Rourke Bday & Intentions of Madeleine McCann & family	Gen 28:10-22 Mt 9:18-26
Tue 11.07	10am	Blaze Thomas Thanksgiving Joseph Pullemkunnel RIP	Gen 32:23-33 Mt 9:32-38
Wed 12.07	6.30pm	Chris Doherty RIP	Gen 41:55-57,42:5-7-24 Mt 10:1-7
Thu 13.07	10am	Pat Byrne RIP	Gen 44:18-21.23- 29,45:1-5 Mt 10:7-15
Friday 14.07	10am	Maureen & Denise Condon Get Well	Gen 46:1-7.28-30 Mt 10:16-23
Sat 15.07	10am	Michael Hynes RIP	Gen 49:29-33; 50:15-26 Mt 10:24-33
Sunday 16.07	10am 11.30am	Kathleen Quinn RIP English Mass: Benedict Thomas Bday	Is 55:10-11 Rom 8:18-23 Mt 13:1-23

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 1 hour each day before weekly Mass
Sacrament of Reconciliation after Mass on Saturday or whenever required.**

Feasts of the week: Tuesday, St. Benedict, Patron of Europe. Saturday,
St. Bonaventure, bishop and doctor.

Second Collection TODAY for Peter's Pence

There will be a second Collection for Apostleship of the Sea next Sunday

The Pope's prayer intention for July - Those distant from the Christian faith: that our brothers and sisters who have strayed away from the faith, through our prayer and witness of the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.



Joseph Barrett First Holy Communion

Sea Sunday. Next week is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. **There will be a second collection** for Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church **on Sunday 16th July**. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. Envelopes will be available from the porch. For more information about its work, and to donate online, please visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk.

The Presentation Sisters, Chesterfield Rd., Matlock, Derbyshire DE4 3FT invite you to join with them as they celebrate the 90th Anniversary of the Foundation of the Convent. Thanksgiving Mass, celebrated by Bishop Patrick McKinney, is at 2pm. followed by afternoon tea on Saturday, 22nd July 2017 RSVP to Sr. Anne O'Rourke at the above address by 8th July.

Catholic Conference and Healing Service at Trinity School on Saturday 29th July 2017 organised jointly by the Nottingham Diocesan Service Team for Renewal and Divine Mercy Catholic Ministries. Admission is free, but a collection will be taken to cover costs. Bring your own lunch. See poster in church porch.

Our Lady of Rosary Group, Holy Cross Church Whitwick. To pray for world peace and young people. On Sunday 27th August 2017. Starting with Mass at 2pm.

Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 28th September 2017. £649 per person sharing. Price includes flights from East Midlands all taxes, 4 nights' in newly refurbished Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast and 4 Course. Entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Contact Patricia anytime on 01268 762278 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and fully protected by ATOL T7613. **See Poster in church porch.**

Damascus Project. St Paul's School, Spencefield Lane Leicester. Are you over the age of 18 and ready for a challenge? A Volunteer is needed to work at the school chaplaincy and will be paid volunteer expenses and have the opportunity to gain experience and take part in Diocesan events. Details are on the notice-board. For further information please contact Seamus O'Looskan on 0116 241 4056 or email solooskan@st-pauls.leicester.shu.uk

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Just one world

A newly elected government brings new opportunities to refresh the UK's entire approach to climate change. We now have a chance to embed climate commitments across the government departments and renew the UK's role as a global leader in international efforts to tackle climate change. Maintaining this role, brings many benefits it makes our power supply more secure and improves people's lives abroad. It gives us healthier homes and creates jobs across the country. Richer countries like the UK must help poorer countries to tackle climate change, which hits them hardest, and to develop their energy services in a way that does not lock them into using outdated, polluting fossil fuel. Please write to your MPs to ask them to reaffirm the UK's role as a global climate leader.

SVP 'Mablethorpe' Summer Camps 2017

Leicestershire and Rutland, for young people aged 9 to 14.

Boys Camp - Saturday 22nd to 29th July 2017

Girls Camp - Saturday 12th to 19th August 2017

For further details, please see poster in church porch and speak to Clive Barkshire for application forms.

Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS). The parish community, in collaboration with the home and school, has a privileged opportunity and responsibility to help all concerned to grow in their faith. This is a lifelong process. It is open to catechists, people involved in liturgical work and other interested adults. The CCRS can provide general theological knowledge and offer a better understanding of the Catholic faith. It will help participants to increase their practical application of the faith in their ministry in the Church. For further details please visit the CCRS Website www.brs-ccrs.org.uk or call us 0207 901 1900.

Financial details: Loose Plate £157.01. Envelopes £428.05. Retired Priests Appeal £40. Thank you very much for your generous donations.

300 Club: 2nd July £50 H. Robinson (174).

Thought for the week: "To fight and conquer in all your battles is not supreme excellence; supreme excellence consists in breaking the enemy's resistance without fighting." ~ Sun Tzu

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Basic toiletries ie: shower gel, toothpaste etc. and also towels are needed for HOSTEL for ex young offenders. Please help if you can. There will be a box for your donations under the table in the church porch. Thank you so much to all who have donated so far.

Please keep in your prayer all the sick and housebound people of the parish. If you know of anybody who would like a visit from Fr. Paul, please let him know.