

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.



A Prayer for our Parish Community

Almighty God,

*we pray for your blessing on all who
share in the life and work of our Church and Parish:*

*In the ministry of word and sacrament,
in teaching and pastoral care,
in service to the Diocese and Deanery.*

*The community and those in need,
in ecumenical fellowship and co-operation.*

*We pray for all members of the congregation,
that in their life and work they may advance
your kingdom and bear witness to your love,
shown in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.*

Amen



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16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

23rd July 2017

O Lord, you are good and forgiving

Sunday 23.07	10am 11.30am	Winnie Gara RIP & Brendan Marrinan RIP & Holy Souls Manu Mathew RIP	Wis 12:13.16-19 Rom 8:26-27 Mt 13:24-43
Monday 24.07	12noon	Pat O'Rourke Ints	Ex 14:5-18 Mt 12:38-42
Tue 25.07	10am	Martin Murphy RIP	2 Cor 4:7-15 Mt 20:20-28
Wed 26.07	6.30pm	Patrick & Margaret Regan RIP	Ex 16:1-5.9-15 Mt 13:1-9
Thu 27.07	10am 7pm	Fr. John Cahill Ints Reception: Brendan Francis Marrinan RIP	Ex 19:1-2.9-11.16-20 Mt 13:10-17
Friday 28.07	11am	Requiem Mass: Brendan Francis Marrinan RIP	20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23
Sat 29.07	10am	Rose Kennedy Ints & Bernice O'Rourke Ints	1 Jn 4:7-16 Jn 11:19-27
Sunday 30.07	10am 11.30am	Marie Jordan RIP & Martin Murphy RIP Enrique Paez English Mass:	1 Kings 3:5.7-12 Rom 8:28-30 Mt 13:44-52

**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. James Apostle. Wednesday, Ss Joachim and Anne,
Parents of BMV. Saturday, St. Martha, disciple of the Lord.

New Appointment of Parish Priest: We warmly welcome Father Gabriel Offor, who will be our new parish priest. As you know, Bishop Patrick has asked Father Paul to take up a new appointment. Fr. Paul would like to thank everyone for their assistance and prayers during his ministry here at Mother of God. We will keep him in our prayers and wish him all the best in his new ministry.

Brendan Francis Marrinan RIP. Reception: Thursday 27th July at 7pm. Funeral Mass: Friday 28th July at 11am. Burial at Sileby Cemetery at 1pm. Our deepest and sincere condolences to his family and friends.

We welcome into our community **Charlie Thomas Foottit & Jake Paul Foottit** who were baptised last week.

Una Shearer would like to thank everyone who supported her Coffee Morning on behalf of MacMillan Cancer Support. They have raised a wonderful £2,103.56.

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.

Lourdes in a Day: Sunday 13 August at St Mary Crowned, Glossop SK13 8DP. Come and enjoy the music and wonder of the Lourdes Liturgies without leaving the country! Mass 2.00pm; Blessed Sacrament Procession 4.00pm; Torchlight Procession 6.00pm. For more information visit www.glossopcatholics.com

Queen of Peace Pilgrimage to Walsingham: Monday 28 August. Coach picking up at various Leicester churches from 8.30am. Adults £16, children under 14 free. Ring Mary Cosgrove 07792 162 518 to book place. See poster in church porch.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage from 14th - 21st September. To depart from Birmingham 14th to 21st September 2017. The cost is £589, single supplement £130. Please phone Kath Gambin on 01162340103.

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

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.

Financial details: Loose Plate £169.97. Envelopes £299.25. Second Collection £100.46. Thank you very much for your generous donations.

300 Club: £50, 9th July Mrs M. Treacy (202) 16th July A McBurney(254).

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.



~ Tea/coffee after the 10am Mass on Saturday in the Presbytery and every Sunday after the 10am Mass in the hall. Please join us!

Thought for the week: "It's really good to be idealistic. But be prepared to be misunderstood. Anyone working on a big vision is going to get called crazy, even if you end up right." ~ Mark Zuckerberg

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.

Key Holders: There will be a list in the church porch for all the people who hold keys to the Church, Hall/ Conference Room, Presbytery and garage. Please put your name and phone number down if you hold any of the keys mentioned above. It is important that we know how many keys you are holding.