

## 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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Fr. Gabriel Offor**

**Dn Joseph S.**



**25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**24<sup>th</sup> September - 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017**

Sunday 24.09	10am 11.30am	John Shearer RIP MOG parishioners intentions	Is 55:6-9 Phil 1:20:24.27 Mt 20:1-16
Monday 25.09			
Tue 26.09	10am	MOG parishioners intentions	Ezra 6:7-8. 12.14-20 Lk 8:5-9
Wed 27.09	6.30pm	MOG parishioners intentions	Cor 1:26-31 Mt 9:35-37
Thu 28.09	10am	MOG parishioners intentions	Dan 7:9-10, 13-14 Jn 1:47-51
Friday 29.09	10am	MOG parishioners intentions	Hag 1:15-2:9 Lk 9:18-22
Sat 30.09	10am	MOG parishioners intentions	Zech 2:5-9, 14-15 Lk 9:18-22
Sunday 1.10	10am 11.30am	MOG parishioners intentions MOG parishioners intentions	Ezk 18:25-28 Phil 2:1-1 Mt 21:18-32

### **Feasts of the week:**

Wednesday, St. Vincent de Paul -  
Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels

**We warmly welcome our new priest Fr. Gabriel Offor and wish him  
a very happy ministry with us at Mother of God.**

**School Admissions for New Starters in September 2018** will open on September 11<sup>th</sup> 2017 and parents / carers will have to apply to the council online and directly to the school. All information regarding this process can be found on the Leicester City Council Website and Christ the King Catholic Website. Equally, if anyone has any further questions, they are welcome to give the school office a call.

**LACY YOUTH MASS** - Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017 to be held at St. Mary's South Wigston. All young people, their families and friends are warmly invited to share this occasion with us. A workshop at 4pm with fun and time to have the opportunity to prepare for sharing in the different ministries of the Mass. Mass to commence at 6pm after which there will be time to socialise and share refreshments. We look forward to seeing you. More information if required from [claudiacoxon@googlemail.com](mailto:claudiacoxon@googlemail.com).

**Ploughman's Harvest Supper** (Francis Caus Charity): Saturday 30 September at 7.30pm. Tickets £7. Raffle and Quiz. Please bring a sweet for a shared table. Sign up today to reserve your ticket. Everyone welcome!

**Open Evening for Year 6 students** at English Martyrs' Catholic School on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2017, 5.00- 6.45pm. Formal Address by Mr Carney, Principal at: 5.00pm, 5.25pm and 5.45pm in the Auditorium.

**Nottingham Cathedral Choir** - Cabaret. Following last year's sell out success, the Cathedral Cabaret returns with an evening of jazz, barbershop, songs from the shows, and more. In the Hall, on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2017 at 7.45pm. Tickets are £10 which includes a glass of bubbly on arrival and canapes throughout the evening. Tickets on sale by email at [musicatthecathedral@gmail.com](mailto:musicatthecathedral@gmail.com).

**Saint Barnabas Cathedral**, Nottingham Friday 13<sup>th</sup> - Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October. Exhibition of vestments and plates including items from 15<sup>th</sup> Century. Including programme of talks: Friday - History of lace by Rev Jayne Shepherd. Saturday - Ecclesiastical textiles and workshop on conservation and restoration.

**Reading Group meeting** on Tuesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at 2pm in the Convent in Loughborough. If you would like to come along, then let Susan know and she will send you the article to be read for discussion prior to the gathering and that we know so we know how many to cater for. Please email Sister Susan at [religious@nrcdt.org.uk](mailto:religious@nrcdt.org.uk).

**Enter Under My Roof:** Diocesan Justice and Peace Commission Annual Assembly and AGM will take place on Saturday 25 November 10am -3.45pm at St Mary's, Derby. Beginning with Mass at 10am with Bishop Patrick followed by speakers. Shared table lunch. See poster for more details. Book your place with Louise Cooke 07410 411048 or [jpnottingham@nrcdt.org.uk](mailto:jpnottingham@nrcdt.org.uk).

**Exploring Scripture in our daily life.** Bible for all ages - a day with Bishop Patrick. Keynote speaker: Matthew van Duyvenbode. 4<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at Grace Dieu Manor School, Thringstone, Leics LE67 5UG. More details at [formation@nrcdt.org.uk](mailto:formation@nrcdt.org.uk).

**September - SVP Awareness Month.** Most people experience loneliness from time to time. But for many people, especially older people who are too frail to leave their homes, the misery of isolation is a daily struggle. The campaign seeks to raise awareness of the plight of people living in poverty and isolation and attract support for the work the SVP's 8000 active members do every year across England and Wales to help alleviate the misery caused by poverty and loneliness. The charity's voluntary members visit and befriend over 80,000 people at home every year. For many, the SVP is their answer to loneliness. If you would like to volunteer with the SVP please contact Clive Barkshire. You can also bring to our attention any people who would like a visit. To make a donation, or to find out more please telephone 020 7703 3030, email [info@svp.org.uk](mailto:info@svp.org.uk) or visit [www.svp.org.uk](http://www.svp.org.uk).

**Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies (CCRS).** We would very much like to encourage uptake and study of the Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies (CCRS); please find attached advert to distribute to people in your parish/dioceses who may be interested in completing the course. More details about start dates, fees and your nearest centre please visit the CCRS Website [www.brs-ccrs.org.uk](http://www.brs-ccrs.org.uk) or call us on 0207 901 1900.

**Mass Intentions.** One of the great gifts we can give to someone is to have a Mass offered for their intention or for the repose of their soul. To request a Mass please use the envelopes found at the back of the church. Thank you

**Financial details:** Loose Plate £. Envelopes £

**300 Club:** 17<sup>th</sup> September £50

**Thought for the week:** "No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted." ~ Aesop



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**The Pope's prayer intention for September**

**Parishes.** That our parishes, animated by a missionary spirit, may be places where faith is communicated and charity is seen.