



Matthew 22: 1-14

“Jesus began to speak to them in parables once again”

# OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT RC CHURCH

## NEWSLETTER

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14<sup>th</sup> / 15<sup>th</sup> October 2017

**Please note:** the following will be sung in place of “Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts” at all future Masses:


*“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord,  
Holy is the Lord God almighty! (2)  
Who was, and is, and is to come;  
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord.”*  
**Father Damian**

Please pray for the sick of our Parish and also for those who care for them.

**Please remember in your prayer our lately departed, Mary Hedemann and Bill Ryder  
Our Anniversaries this week**

Andrew Marks, Andrea Ellis, Ronald Coleman,  
Anthony Wallace, William Bradley,  
Rose Ann Kelleher, Barry Hughes,  
Alan Gregory Moulder  
**May they rest in peace**

**Confession** – Saturday – 12 noon – 1 pm

**Rosary** – 9.45 am – before Sunday Mass

**Children’s Liturgy** - First and third Sunday of the month

**Prayer Group** - Tuesday evenings after 6.30 pm Mass

Collections for weekend of 7<sup>th</sup> / 8<sup>th</sup> Oct:

Loose: £128.09 Envelopes: £209.02

**Total: £337.11**

CAFOD: **£349.07**

Quiz Night: **£480.00**

**Thank you for your generosity**

Next weekend’s second collection is for  
**APF World Mission Day**

Lectionary Cycle: 28 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A Prayer of The Church – Week IV			
Sat 14 <sup>th</sup> October	Mass St Callistus I, Pope, Martyr	9.15 am	St Benedict’s
	<b>Vigil Mass for Sunday John Joe Morrisco RIP</b>	5.30 pm	St Nicholas’
Sun 15 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Mass Rita and Mary</b>	10.00 am	St Benedict’s
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup> October	St Hedwig, Religious St Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin St Richard Gwyn, Schoolmaster, Martyr	<b>No Mass</b>	St Benedict’s
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Mass</b> St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr	6.30 pm	St Benedict’s
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Mass</b> St Luke, Evangelist	6.30 pm	St Benedict’s
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Mass</b> Ss John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, & their Companions, Martyrs St Paul of the Cross, Priest	9.15 am	St Benedict’s
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> October	<b>Mass</b>	9.15 am	St Benedict’s
Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> October	<b>Mass</b>	9.15 am	St Benedict’s
	<b>Vigil Mass for Sunday</b>	5.30 pm	St Nicholas’

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** – Will the parents of Year 3 children wanting to receive Communion for the first time in 2018 please contact Rebecca Mander (01564 793774), Rachel Saltmarsh (01564 794470) or contact St Mary's School.

**APPEAL** – We are urgently in need of volunteers to be part of a group to act as **Church Wardens**. This is not a very time consuming role and would be so beneficial to our Church. To find out more please contact Rebecca Mander on 01564 793774. Thank you to Catherin Dooling who has agreed to be one of our Church Wardens.

**Diaries for 2018** are now on sale at the Piety Stall – all proceeds going to the Maintenance Fund.

**CONFIRMATION** - 2018. Please contact Rachel Saltmarsh (Tel: 01564 794470) if you wish your child to be Confirmed and they do not attend St Mary's School.

**MISSION SUNDAY.** Next Sunday the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support his collection for "Missio" his official charity for overseas missions. Your support will help the missionaries proclaiming the Gospel of Peace in South Sudan and around the world.

**RED MISSIO BOXES.** As the end of the year approaches, Can you please return you Red Mission boxes to Pat Fife our Co- Ordinator, or if in Henley leave with Vincent Gilligan. If you would like a box to keep at home to support this very worthwhile charity please contact Pat Fife 01564 795949

#### Parish Co-ordinators

Pastoral Team	.....	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774
Finance and Gift Aid	.....	Christine Moulder	01789 262269
Liturgy and Music	.....	Barbara Alcock	01564 793826
Readers	.....	John Alcock	01564 793826
Parish Catechist	.....	Vacant	
Eucharistic Ministers	.....	John Treacy (St.Benedict)	01564 792242
Eucharistic Ministers	.....	John Burke (St.Nicholas)	01564 793692
Safeguarding Officer	.....	Collette Gay	01564 795314
APF	.....	Pat Fyfe	01564 795949
Church Flowers and Wedding & Funeral Co-ordinator	.....	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887
CAFOD	.....	Andrew Meigh	01564 637432
MC/Servers	.....	John Burke	01564 793692
Children's Liturgy	.....	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774
St Mary's School	.....	Rachel Saltmarsh	01564 794470
Rosary	.....	Cath Middleton	01527 435041
Prayer Group	.....	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887
Ecumenical Contacts	.....	Jan Wright	01564 793528
Women's World Day	.....	Barbara Alcock	01564 793826
Piety Stall	.....	Sue Kimberley	01564 898453
Church Warden	.....	Catherin Dooling	01789 204487
Administration	.....	Chris Killourhey	01564 637478

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If you have an item for the Newsletter please email:

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**Warwick Deanery Website:** this can now be found at: [www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk)

**Parish Maintenance Fund** - Following a recent statutory survey, a lot of work has been identified as needed to be done to Our Lady and St Benedict's Church in the near future. The total estimate is over £30,000, We are looking through this list to see what is essential and urgent and what can be safely put off. Our Parish Maintenance fund is going to be very important going forward to fund this work. There are Gift aid envelopes available in Church for this collection to help us get the tax back on your contribution. Our collection for the rest of the year will be on Weekend 1st October, Weekend 12th November and weekend 3rd December. If you wish to make a standing order please contact Christine Moulder.