Holy Cross Catholic Community

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9th July 2023 14th Sunday Ordinary Time Reading Cycles: Sundays Year A Psalter Week 2

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'MY LORD AND MY GOD'

Day and Date	Mas Time	Intention	Recently Died	
Saturday 8th July First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Julie Morris Sp Intention	Jim Saunders	
Sunday 9th July 14th Sunday Ordinary Time	10.00 am	Pro Populo	All Souls whose names are entered in our Book of Remembrance and all victims of war & violence Our family & friends whose anniversaries occur around this week Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord R. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in	
<i>Monday 10th July St Benedict Patron of Europe</i>	9.30am	Debbie Smith RIP		
Wednesday 12th July Weekday Ordinary Time	7.00 pm	Mary Bevan RIP		
Thursday 13th July Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am	David Jones RIP		
Friday 14th July Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30 am	Holy Souls	Peace. Amen	
Saturday 15th July Ordination of D Gregory	12 noon	Ordination at the Cathedral Church	Pray for the Sick of the Parish Heavenly Father, look with mercy on the sick of our parish community and help them in this time of sickness, Re- store them to health, we pray, Through Christ our Lord. Amen.	
Saturday 15th July First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Richard Michael John RIP		

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for personal prayer and silent Adoration on week days 30 minutes before the Mass. Confessions on Saturdays from 11 to 11.50 am.

Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person, More considerate towards others, More honest with myself, more faithful to you. Make me generous enough to want sincerely to do your will whatever it may be. Help me find my true vocation in life and grant that through it I may find happiness in myself and bring happiness to others. Grant, Lord, that those whom you call to enter the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life, may have the generosity to answer your call, so that those who need your help may find it. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen Deacon Gregory Beckett will be ordained priest by Archbishop Mark on Saturday 15th July at 12noon at St Joseph's Cathedral. Please pray for him.

Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under a tree on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time. John Lubbock

Youth Meeting 16th July

The final youth group meeting for this academic year will be on NEXT Sunday after Mass.

The Pope's Intention: We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

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Last weekend Offering £ 577 & Peter's Pence £ 258 Many Thanks

This Weekend—Sea Sunday. Collection for Apostleship of the Sea, please support

> Parish Hall available for hire. Please contact on 01792586454

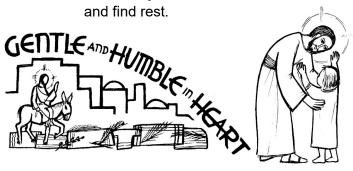
Take my yoke upon you and learn from me. ...

O Lord, we are indeed burdened. we have poisoned our air, neglected our inequalities, and children are starving.

"Christ came that The Bread might hunger, that The Fountain might thirst, that The Way might be tired on his journey, that The Truth might be accused of false witness, that The Healer might be wounded."*

Lord,

You know our humanity well, and all the trouble we can get into. So, Jesus, we come to you. Please show us your heavenly Father, who loves every hair on our head. Let us learn from you, and follow you, and find rest.



______ Ministers of the Word Weekend 15th / 16th July Saturday 6.00 pm First Reading Karen Second Reading Rita **Bidding Prayers** Mark Sunday First Reading Diva Second Reading Steve J **Bidding Prayers** Deon Church Cleaning Week beginning : 10th July No clean 17th July Cagi Family 31st July Colarina & Panganiban Ministers—if you cannot attend or need to change your rota, please let us know by contacting Donna (07745947773) ______

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Marriage Banns

" I hereby publish the Banns of Marriage between:

Jessica Ann Sullivan and Alexander John Smith

If any of you know cause, or just impediment, why these two persons should not be joined together in holy Matrimony, you are to declare it to the Parish Priest."

SEA SUNDAY 9th July

Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure onboard. Many are reporting more stress and pooer mental health. Today the Church prays for all who live and work at sea. Your support will make big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. Please support with the second collection. Thanks

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