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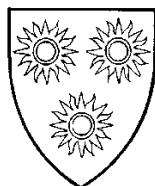
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EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 4 AUGUST 2019

Church Cleaning: Week 3

Divine Office: Week 2

SATURDAY Eve of the EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass at 6.00 pm.

SUNDAY EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Melksham Mass at 9.00 am.

MONDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass at 11.00 am.

TUESDAY FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

No Mass.

WEDNESDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

No Mass.

THURSDAY Memorial of Saint Dominic

No Mass.

FRIDAY FEAST OF SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS

No Mass.

SATURDAY FEAST OF SAINT LAWRENCE

No Mass.

Eve of the NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

No Mass.

Mass at 6.00 pm.

Confessions: from 5.30 pm to 5.50 pm and at call.

THANK YOU: The retiring collection for the Bishop's Charitable Fund raised £155.

NEXT WEEKEND we welcome Fr Malcolm Ferrier who will cover the Masses on 10/11 August.

ECUMENICAL WALK organised by Calne Partnership of Churches will take place during the afternoon of Sunday 11 August. Details on our notice board.

FOOD BANK needs long life milk (UHT), long life fruit juice, and tins of vegetables. Donations in the box in the porch.

MOTHERS PRAYERS is held every Tuesday in the Church Hall from 10.30 am to 11.30 am. Please note that in future only **changes** to this arrangement will be notified in the newsletter.

HEART FOR CALNE is an ecumenical prayer group that meets every month at various locations in Calne. The next meeting is at the Scout Hut, Quarr Barton, Calne on Saturday 10 August from 9.15 to 10.45 am. All welcome.

OPEN THE BOOK (OTB) is an ecumenical group coming under the direction of The Bible Society. It presents and acts out Bible stories to three Calne Primary Schools. OTB currently has a shortage of helpers as actors or readers, men and women. If you are interested in being involved please contact Steven Colby 01249 819097.

DEANERY PILGRIMAGE to Littlemore 'in the steps of Cardinal Newman' on Thursday 22nd August by coach from St Mary's, Chippenham, at 10.00am, price £10 per seat. It was at Littlemore, on the edge of Oxford, on 9th October 1845 that John Henry Newman was received into the Catholic Church. Cardinal Newman will be canonised in Rome on Sunday 13th October. Contact Father Martin Queenan. 01985 212329 or email warminster.stgeorge@cliftondiocese.com.

DEANERY DAY FOLLOW-UP: Those who attended the Deanery Day with David Wells on 2 June are invited to a follow-up evening. This will take place on Wednesday 25 September in St. John's Parish Centre, Trowbridge, at 7 pm. We will be looking further into the possibility of establishing a 'Wisdom Group' for our Deanery to support the changes necessary in light of fewer clergy in the future.

CALNE TOWN CENTRE: What would you change about our town? Calne Town Council are undertaking a survey to better understand how you use, and would like to use, the centre of Calne. Since 2013 the costs of running shops has increased. Meanwhile, shops close and internet sales grow, along with other sectors in towns, such as food and drink, entertainment and services. The High Street is changing. If we do nothing it won't survive. Have your say on the future of our town centre by visiting <https://surveyhero.com/c/9c0d06b1>. The deadline for responses is 1st September 2019.

REDISCOVER YOUR MARRIAGE: Retrouvaille, meaning 'rediscovery', is a programme offering the chance to rediscover yourself, your spouse, and a loving relationship in your marriage. Many couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending and using the tools provided. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the programme commencing with a residential weekend on 13th – 15th September 2019 call or text 0788 7296983 or 0797 3380443, email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com, or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk.

DIOCESAN EVENTS (Further details on our notice board):

Monday 12 August to Friday 23 August: Diocesan Summer Camps for young people. See www.cliftondiocese.com.

Friday 18 October to Sunday 20 October: Diocesan Vocations Discernment Retreat for Catholics aged 18 to 35.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all who are unwell or housebound, especially those members of our parish, including Florence Bampton, Kevin Bewley, Teresa Bowyer, Christopher Browne and family, Teresa Collar, Kathleen Drury, Margaret Heard, Teresa Hickling, Michael McNiff, Maggie Murray, Mary O'Brian, Derek Quinn, Audrey Tickner, and Elizabeth Wilkins. If you know a parishioner who is unwell/housebound please inform Fr Vincent.