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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 14 JULY 2024

SUNDAY MESSAGE FROM FR. SHYJU	WEEKEND & WEEKDAYS HOLY MASS TIMES			
Pope Paul VI stated that the Church "exists in order to evangelise", that is to say in order to preach and teach, to be the channel of the gift of grace, to reconcile sinners with God, and to perpetuate Christ's sacrifice in the Mass, which is the memorial of his death and glorious Resurrection. We are the Church. As we hear in the Gospel today, we are sent out to live and give witness to Christ in our daily life.	Datchet	Sat 13	06.00pm	People of the Parish
	Eton	Sun 14	09.30am	Dermot O'Flynn RIP
	Datchet	Sun 14	11.00am	Gordon & Margery Helton
	Datchet	Mon 15	09.30am	Janet Manley RIP
	Datchet	Tue 16	09.30am	Kathleen Wall RIP
	Eton	Wed 17	06.30pm	Caroline Ansell RIP
	Datchet	Thu 18	06.30pm	Barry & Janet Manley RIP
	Datchet	Fri 19	09.30am	Holy Souls
	Rosary: Twenty minutes prior to Holy Mass	Confession: Any Weekday after the Mass or by appointment		
Benediction: Every Thursday after 9.30am Mass	Eucharistic Adoration: Weekdays before Mass from 8.30am			

TEA & COFFEE will be served after the 09.30am Sunday Mass at Eton. Please come along.

OFFERTORY: 29/30 June: Cash £180 SOs £230. Second Collection for Peter's Pence: £193
06/07 July: Cash £390 SOs £230

SECOND COLLECTION: This weekend is Sea Sunday. A collection will be taken for **Stella Maris** (formerly known as Apostleship of the Sea). Collection envelopes are available at the back of the Church.

THURSDAY - JUBILEE HOLY HOUR & RETREAT: To prepare for the Centenary Jubilee we will be having our second evening Holy Hour & Retreat on **Thursday 18 July**. Mass will be at 6.30pm at Datchet and will be followed by the Holy Hour until 8.30pm. Fr. Pius Amoako the parish priest of St. Ethelbert, Slough and a member of Zion Evangelization Community will lead the evening. All parishioners are encouraged to attend.

SICK OF THE PARISH: Please pray for James Ansell, Maria Cordosa, Maggie and Peter Darbin, Fred Flaherty, Sheila Jones, Terri Nicoll, Nino Puma, Eithne Reynolds and Roger Stewart. If anyone would like to have a priest visit them or others who are sick, kindly speak to Fr. Shyju.

MASS TIMES: There will be a Mass at Eton every Wednesday in the evening at 6.30pm. There will not be a morning mass at Datchet on Wednesday.

DIOCESAN MUSIC DAY FOR PARISH MUSICIANS: Saturday 21 September 2024, 11am to 3.30pm with Christopher Walker at Holy Ghost, Westbourne Road, Luton, LU48JD. Christopher Walker is an inspirational Composer and Conductor of Church Music. Please email music@northamptondiocese.org

CALLED & EQUIPPED WEBINAR: On Zoom on Tuesday 16 July at 7.30pm. Please come and join us to see if this is the course for you. For more details and to sign up go to <https://northamptondiocese.org/called-equipped/>

Please read the updated information about the parish centenary celebrations overleaf.

PARISH CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS - SUNDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2024



We will celebrate our Jubilee on Sunday 8 September. We hope everyone will come along and attend the 11.00am Mass in St. Augustine's, celebrated by Bishop David. **The Sunday 8 September** Mass will be followed by lunch, provided by outside caterers and will include a welcome drink, and wine and soft drinks on the table.

The lists will be available at all Masses this weekend for parishioners to put their names down if they wish to attend the Centenary lunch on Sunday 8 September and the Parish Pilgrimage to the St John Henry Newman Shrine in Birmingham on Saturday 28 September. If you are not in Church this weekend to sign up, you can send your name with the total number of participants in your group to the office e-mail address on or before Sunday 14 July.

PARISH CENTENARY LUNCH: You do not need to pay any money yet, but the lunch will be £10 for adults and £5 for children aged 5-12. Children under 5 will be free.

THE PARISH PILGRIMAGE will be on **Saturday 28 September to the Birmingham** Oratory of Cardinal John Henry Newman. We will travel by coach. There will be Mass, veneration of the Relics of St. John Henry Newman, a tour of the church and a visit to the museum. Please bring a packed lunch. The cost will be £10 to cover transport and entrance to the shrine and museum. The coach will be leaving Datchet at 8.00am and returning by 6.00pm. There will not be an evening Mass in Datchet that day but the opportunity to attend Mass is part of the day's arrangements.

CENTENARY HOLY HOUR & RETREAT: 7pm Thursday 29 August: After the 6.30pm Mass, the Retreat Talk will be given by Cannon John Udris, who is the former Spiritual Director of St. Mary's College, Oscott Seminary and is currently the Parish Priest at St. Peter's in Marlow. All parishioners are encouraged to attend.

WANTED OLD PARISH EVENT PHOTOS: If you have any photos related to our Parish of Datchet and Eton, since its establishment in 1924 to 1970, please loan them to Fr. Shyju. Please place them in an envelope marked with your name and address. The photo(s) will be scanned and then given back to you. You can also email them to Parish Office email address.

TAIZÉ PILGRIMAGE: Open to all those aged 15-35 years of age. Fr Alessandro Reno will lead this pilgrimage to Taizé in France. Departing on Saturday 17 August and returning on Monday 26 August. Please visit <https://st-augustines-church.org.uk/taize-2024/>

YOUTH WORKER VACANCY: The Diocese is currently recruiting a Youth Worker to join the Youth Ministry Office. More information can be found at <https://northamptondiocese.org/jobs/>. All candidates should complete an application form and email it to: hr.admin@northamptondiocese.org

BETHANY MASS: Mass for people with disabilities and their families: The next Mass will be at 3pm on 21 July, at Sacred Heart Church, Stopsley, Luton LU2 9AY. All are welcome.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE FOODBANK

The Slough Foodbank has written and thanked us for our donations to the Foodbank, which totalled **113Kg** during May. A copy of the Slough Foodbank News can be found on Church noticeboards.

The need for donations of food and toiletries for the Slough Foodbank remains great. Boxes for donations can be found in each Church. The items on their Shopping List are:

Food Urgent: long life fruit juice, tinned fruit, tinned tuna, tinned vegetables, long life custard, cooking sauces, coffee, tinned spaghetti, long-life milk, instant mash, soup, long-life rice pudding

Always required: tea, long life sponge puddings, tinned tomatoes, tinned meat

Please note they have a 12 month supply of PASTA. It is NOT NEEDED

Toiletries & Basic Items Urgent: washing up liquid, shampoo, deodorant, shaving foam/gel, toothpaste, child toothbrushes, nappies size 6+, 7 & 8

Always required: soap, toilet rolls, strong carrier bags