

# ST GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WARMINSTER



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## Mass times for the week of 1st September 2019

31st	Saturday	Eve of Sunday	6.00pm	People of the Parish
1st	Sunday	Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.00am 10.00am	Barney & Mary Evans RIP Robert Blackburn RIP
2nd	Monday	Feria	9.30am	Wellbeing of Beth Jordan
3rd	Tuesday	Saint Gregory the Great	9.30am	Charlie & Nellie Doogan RIP
4th	Wednesday	Feria	9.30am	Int Barbara & Duncan Ferguson
5th	Thursday	Feria PPC Meeting at 7.00pm	10.00am	Wellbeing of Lizzie Dickinson
6th	Friday	Feria	12.00pm	Anna Rozario RIP
7th	Saturday	NO MORNING MASS Eve of Sunday	6.00pm	For Francesca

**Confessions:** Saturday 5.15 - 5.45pm

**Offertory 25th August** £429.09

**Weekly Standing Order:** £296.62

**Sick and Housebound:** Please pray for: Lyndall Barbour, Lizzie Dickinson,, Pat Wilson, Gladys Coleman, Charles & Dorothea Sultana de Maria, Joy Trant-McCarthy, James Orde, Jim & Gloria O'Hanlon, Françoise Moody, Graham & Christine Zebedee, Cuqui Chambers, Lorna Platt, Mac Ballard, Edna Bodman, Sylvester Rozario ,Mary Lawson & Canon Desmond Millett PP Chippenham..

**Parish Prayer Group:** Meets every Tuesday after 9.30 am Mass in the Hall.

**Lectio Divina Prayer Group:** Tuesday at 7.30pm

**Year of Prayer:** There is a simple message in today's Gospel and it is this – be humble and be inclusive. Jesus reminds us that in the Kingdom there is a place for everyone. When we come to celebrate Eucharist we each come as wounded people, with our faults and our weaknesses, yet Jesus still loves us and welcomes us as friends to join him at the table. Having shared in the meal of Christ we are sent out to share what we have received. Who do we choose to share this good news with? This week we are challenged to rethink our priorities and beliefs. In God's eyes the people who are pushed to the margins, the poor, those addicted to alcohol or drugs, the homeless, the refugee or asylum seeker, prisoners. All are loved and precious and worthy of a place in the Kingdom of God. A question we might reflect on: if I found myself in any of these categories – how would I like people to treat me?

**World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation:** Sunday 1 September marks the "World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation." It also marks the start of the "Season of Creation," which unites Christians in prayer and action for the protection of our common home. The Season of Creation ends on 4 October, the feast day of St Francis of Assisi.

**HEALING MASS IN HONOUR OF ST NICHOLAS OF TOLENTINO** You are invited to share our special **Healing Mass on Friday 6th September at 7.30pm at St Nicholas of Tolentino Church, Lawfords Gate, Bristol BS5 0RE** (church car parking at the Dunstan Centre, Pennywell Road

**Parish Pastoral Council:** Meeting on Thursday 5th September at 7.00pm in the Hall. The Meeting is open to all parishioners. Please come along.

**Deanery Day follow-up:** Those who attended (and those unable to attend) the Deanery Day with David Wells on the 1st June are invited to a 'follow up evening'. This will take place on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September in St. John's Centre Trowbridge at 7pm.

**Gift Aid Envelopes:** Due to misplaced records Father Martin would be grateful if the donors with Gift Aid envelopes Numbers 11 and 32 would contact him.

**Curia Conference:** Saturday 7th September at St Brendan's College, Brislington from 9.30am (10.00 Start) to 1.45pm. (BS4 5RQ).

**Second Collection:** Next weekend for the Catholic Education Service. The CES negotiates on behalf of the Bishops with Government, and other national bodies on legal, administrative, and religious education matters in order to:

- promote Catholic interests in education;
- safeguard Catholic interests in education;
- contribute to Christian perspectives within educational debate at national level.