

ST GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WARMINSTER



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Mass times for the week of 23rd July 2017

22nd	Saturday	Vigil Mass	6.00pm	
23rd	Sunday	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.00am 10.00am	People of the Parish
24th	Monday	Feria	9.30am	Gerard O'Connor RIP
25th	Tuesday	St James, apostle	9.30am	Helen Mc Auley RIP
26th	Wednesday	Ss Joachim & Anne	9.30am	
27th	Thursday	Feria	10.00am	Mary Mc Grath RIP
28th	Friday	Feria Service of Prayer	12.00pm 7.00pm	W/b Anna Rozario For Refugees & Asylum Seekers
29th	Saturday	St Martha	9.30am	

Confessions: Saturday 10.00—10.30am and 5.15 - 5.45pm

Offertory 16th July £509.55 **Weekly Standing Order:** £406.02

Gift Aid on Standing Orders: £101.50 **Gift Aid Plate** £71.20 = **Total** £ 1,088.27

Sick and Housebound: Please pray for: Lyndall Barbour, Mary McKee, Lizzie Dickinson, Jane Fitzgerald Read, Pat Wilson, Francesca Pope, Gladys Coleman, Bill Harpur, Charles & Dorothea Sultana de Maria, Joy Trant-McCarthy, Margaret Durham, Peter Tomlinson, Edna Bodman, James Orde, Bill Folds Hall, Cuqui Chambers, Jim & Gloria O'Hanlon, Anne Francis, Bill Denton, Françoise Moody, David Lawson, Graham & Christine Zebedee, Bernadette Pyper, Jeanne Jones, Mac Ballard, Lucinda Phillips, Martin Abbott, Geoffrey Fitton, Madge Bower.

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

Lectio Divina Prayer Group: Meets on Tuesdays at 7.30pm in the Church Hall. All are welcome to each group.

Shekinah: is the St George's music group which meets on Mondays at 8.00pm in the Church Hall. All are welcome.

Rice for Borderlands: We will be selling rice to support the outreach to asylum seekers of our sister parish, St Nicholas of Tolentino, Easton, Bristol, on the weekend of 29th/30th July. Remember this sale also supports the education of the children of farmers in Malawi

Date for your Diary: Saturday October 21st. Musical evening with Maltese Tenor Joseph Aquilina and Warminster Harpist Cecilia Sultana de Maria at St George's Church. Fundraising for Displaced Syrian Refugees and Aid to the Church in Need for persecuted and suffering Christians in Syria and Iraq.

Holy Land Pilgrimage: Diocesan Pilgrimage led by Bishop Declan. Monday 22 October 2018 to Tuesday 30 October 2018. Price £1,210 pps.

Lampedusa Cross: The cross will be leaving the parish at the end of July. Liz Baldwin from Cafod Clifton will be here on Friday 28th July to lead a reflection and prayers for refugees at 7:00 pm. This will be followed by a reception in the hall.

Financial Statement for 2016: Copies of the Parish Income and Expenditure accounts for the year to 31 December 2016 were issued with the Newsletter last weekend. Further copies can be found on the side-table in the Narthex. The opening balance carried forward to 2017 was £709.97 but with £1,390.44 outstanding for Second Collections the true balance was £680.47 debit. The parish has no cash reserves.

Clergy changes in the Deanery: The following appointments have been announced and take effect from September:

Canon Liam O'Driscoll to be PP of St Thomas More, Bradford-on-Avon

Canon Richard Dwyer to be PP of St Catharine, Frome

Father Tom Finnegan to be PP St John the Baptist, Trowbridge

Father Joe O'Brien, Frome retires at the end of August

ADORATION: There will be all night adoration on Friday 28th/29th July from **9pm to 9am**. Please sign up on the notice in the Narthex to ensure that there is someone present in the Church at all times.

Coffee and Tea after Sunday & Thursday Mass: All who attend are invited to the Hall for a drink of coffee or tea, biscuits and occasionally cake.

Second Collection: This weekend 22/23rd July for the Bishop's Charitable Fund.