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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER SERVICES: Week Commencing 8th July 2018

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: Year B

FOURTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME: 8th – 14th July 2018 (Weekday Cycle Year 2 / Psalter Week II)

<p><u>Saturday 7th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>10:00 am: Mass; Private Intention</p> <p>10:45 am: Confessions</p>	<p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold;"><i>PARISH FINANCES</i></p>
<p><u>Saturday 7th July: Fourteenth Sunday of the Year: B</u></p> <p>5:00 pm: Confessions</p> <p>5:30 pm: Mass; Pro Populo; People of the Parish</p>	
<p><u>Sunday 8th July: Fourteenth Sunday of the Year: B</u></p> <p>9:00 am: Mass; Special Intention</p>	<p>30th June / 1st July 2018</p>
<p><u>Monday 9th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>9:00 am: Mass; Trevor Jones RIP</p>	<p>Envelopes:</p> <p>Loose Plate:</p> <p>Standing Orders:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>TOTAL:</u></p> <p>Chad:</p> <p>Intercare:</p> <p>SVP:</p> <p>Peter's Pence:</p>
<p><u>Tuesday 10th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>12:30 pm: Confessions</p> <p>1:00 pm: Mass; Vocations to the Priesthood</p>	
<p><u>Wednesday 11th July: St Benedict, Abbot & Patron of Europe (Feast)</u></p> <p>9:00 am: Service of the Word and Holy Communion</p>	<p><i>Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our Parish.</i></p>
<p><u>Thursday 12th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>9:00 am: Mass; Private Intention (O'Connor)</p>	<p>SECOND COLLECTION <u>THIS</u> SUNDAY FOR THE APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA*</p>
<p><u>Friday 13th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>12:30 pm: Confessions</p> <p>1:00 pm: Mass; Sick of the Parish</p>	<p><i>Your Prayers are requested for those who are sick:</i></p> <p>Isobel Alana Barnes, Meg Bailey, Gerhard Barwitzki, Marica Borsos, Margaret Brown, Pat Constable, Jim & Margaret Dougan, Fr Theodore Gomes, Ann Harrison, Emilia Nowicki, Bernadette Retallick, Alan Roberts, Maria Sawicki, Evelyn Venning and Louise Whitham.</p>
<p><u>Saturday 14th July: Weekday Feria</u></p> <p>10:00 am: Mass; Holy Souls</p> <p>10:45 am: Confessions</p>	
<p><u>Saturday 14th July: Fifteenth Sunday of the Year: B</u></p> <p>5:00 pm: Confessions</p> <p>5:30 pm: Mass; Private Intention</p>	
<p><u>Sunday 14th July: Fifteenth Sunday of the Year: B</u></p> <p>9:00 am: Mass; Pro Populo; People of the Parish</p>	

Items for the newsletter can be given to Fr Christopher or e – mailed to frcathomas@live.com by Thursday of each week for inclusion in the next issue.

ROTAS:	5.30 pm	9.00 am
Welcomers:		D Wilson & M Roy
Next Week:		M Cookson & S Neely
Readers:	P Hubberstey	N Wilson
Next Week:	M Cummins	R Marlow
Offertory:	M & A Simmons	D & D Wilson
Next Week:	J Fox & N Brennan	M Ferrara & N Iacovitti
Coffee:	M Walton & Volunteer	Next Week: M Calladine & L Whitham
Cashiers:	A Simmons	Next Week: J Brennan
Flowers:	Anne & Sue	Next Week: Suzanne & Margaret J
Cleaning:	Team Begley	Next Week: Team Powell
Brasses:	K Bennett	Next Week: L Newbold

POOR CLARES: The Sisters send their sincere thanks for the donations they have received from parishioners this week – they want you all to know that our Parish is in their prayers every day. The next visit to the convent at Bulwell will be *Monday 30th July 2018. – Diane Wilson.*

FAIR TRADE: the next Fair Trade Sale is *21st /22nd July 2018.* Any profits made from the sale of fairly traded goods in our parish go to Mary's Meals which is a charity helping to feed Third World school children. Information about Mary's meals can be found on the notice board at the back of the church.

“BENE MERENTI” AWARD FOR DES BURROWS & BOB AND ANNE SOLLOWAY: *Friday 17th August 2018.* The Celebration will begin with Mass and Presentation at 7:00 pm followed by a Hog Roast. This is a whole Parish celebration and everyone is welcome to come. For catering purposes if you would like to attend please put your name on the list at the back of Church. You will then be issued with a free ticket. Thank you

PARISH AFTERNOON TEA: Thank you to all those who attended, it was a lovely way to spend a Sunny Sunday afternoon. The amount raised was **£ 269. 00.** Many thanks – *Parish Social Committee.*

NEW COFFEE ROTA: Thank you to all those who have volunteered to go on the coffee rota. I will meet with the new volunteers on *15th July 2018.* Please could all the new volunteers meet with me in the hall after Mass for about 5 minutes to go through a few things. – *Marie Calladine*

PIETY ITEMS: I have been given some religious items from a former Parishioner, including prayer books, statues and crucifixes. If anyone would like to have some of them please see me after Mass.

MEMORIAL SERVICE: The family of the late Tom Farrelly would like to invite you to a Memorial Service to remember and celebrate his life. The service is to be held here at the Assumption on *Saturday 21st July 2018* at 12:00 noon followed by refreshments in the Parish Hall. They would love for you to join them.

SITUATIONS VACANT: The Catholic Diocese of Nottingham seeks to appoint an experienced and skilled individual to the role of Parish Admin Assistant in the Catholic Parish of Corpus Christi, Clifton and Our Lady & St Patrick's, the Meadows. Based at Corpus Christi, this post is for 15 hours per week, to be worked flexibly. This would suit someone with experience in administration. For more details and an application form, please contact Fr Wilfred Pereppadan; 0115 921 2964 or email; secretaryccolsp@gmail.com. Closing date: *31st July 2018.*

SVP FUNDRAISING: The SVP would like to thank the Parish for being so generous in sponsoring Alan to undertake his bike ride last Sunday. In total he cycled 84 miles in rather hot weather but after a few cold beers he revived very well. In total he raised over £1,000 in sponsorship and this was due to parishioners being exceedingly generous. The Parish never let us down when we need to raise funds so please accept our heartfelt thanks and assurance that the funds will be very helpful in our continuing work. We still need to collect some of the monies so Alan or Margaret will be at the back of Church after Mass over the next couple of weekends for people to pay over their donations. Once again many many thanks for your generosity. – *SVP.*

***APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA:** THIS week is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a Second Collection for Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. For more information on the work of AoS please visit www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

MARRIAGE CARE NOTTINGHAM urgently needs more volunteers to help continue its invaluable work with both engaged couples preparing for marriage, and couples whose relationship is in difficulty and require counselling. Roles include Marriage Preparation facilitators (working with engaged couples to help them think about the commitment they are entering into, and to provide them with skills and information to sustain their marriage), counsellors, and administrative/management support. **For further information,** please visit: www.marriagecare.co.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk.