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MASS TIMES in AUGUST:

Weekend 31st July/1st August. 18th Sunday in OT.

Saturday 31st July. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**

Sunday 1st August. Mass with music **9 am.**

Mon. 2nd. St. Eusebius of Vercelli **9 am.**

Tues. 3rd. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Wed. 4th. **St. John Mary Vianney, the Cure d’Ars. 9 am.**

Thur. 5th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Fri. 6th. **Feast of Transfiguration. 9 am.**

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Weekend 7th/8th August. 19th Sunday in OT.

Saturday 7th August. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**

Sunday 8th August. Mass with music **9 am.**

No Mass on Saturday mornings.

Sacrament of Reconciliation after any Mass or by arrangement.

Mon. 9th August. **St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, (Edith Stein) 9 am.**

Tuesday. 10th – Thursday 12th Fr. Stephen is away so no Masses.

Fri. 13th SS. Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyrs.

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Weekend 14th/15th August. SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY.

Sat. 14th. Vigil Mass **6 pm.**

Sun. 15th. Sung Mass with music and anthem. **9 am.**

Mass Intention: Repose of soul of Fr. Colin Stephenson.

Mon. 16th. St. Stephen of Hungary. **9 am.**

Tue 17th. Weekday in OT. **9 am. MASS AT ST LAWRENCE’S Anglican Church, Bourton.**

Wed. 18th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Thur. 19th. St. John Eudes. **9 am.**

Fri. 20th **St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church. 9 am.**

Weekend 21st/22nd August. 21st Sunday in OT.

Sat. 21st. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**

Sunday 22nd Sung Mass. **9 am.**

Mon. 23rd. St. Rose of Lima. **9 am.**

Tue 24th. Weekday in OT. **9 am. MASS AT ST LAWRENCE’S Anglican Church, Bourton.**

Wed. 25th. St. Louis. **9 am.**

Thur. 26th. Blessed Dominic Barberi. **9 am.**

Fri. 27th. **St. Monica. 9 am.**

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Weekend 28th/29th August. 22nd Sunday in OT.

Sat. 28th. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**

Sunday 29th Sung Mass. **9 am.**

Mass Intention: Repose of soul of Clare Goodwin

Bank Holiday Monday 30th. SS Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line and Margaret Ward, Martyrs. **9 am.**

Tue. 31st. St. Aidan, Bishop. **9 am.**

Summary of Step 4 Guidance from the Bishop’s Conference re Worship post July 19th:

Churches to provide hand sanitiser at entrances and exits; Face coverings strongly recommended; no legislation on social distance seating but we are advised to make cards available which say ‘please leave a space’ which can be used by members of the congregation who wish to maintain 2m social distancing.

Congregational singing permitted but with faces covered.

Churches may be left open during the day.

Stewards not essential nor ‘one way’ systems (but we will maintain both where possible).

Holy Water stoups are not recommended yet.

Priests to sanitise before giving Holy Communion and to wear a mask whilst doing so. Communion on the tongue permitted.

No restriction on numbers for Marriages, Funerals, Baptisms.

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Wedding of Freddie and Beth Haden-Brown on Saturday 10th July at Our Lady & St. Kenelm's Church.



Confirmation Day Sunday 18th July with Bishop Declan.



NOTICES

WELCOME to **Tim and Emily Tasker** and their three children, who moved in to The Presbytery on Wednesday 28th July. We hope they will be very happy.

USE OF ST. LAWRENCE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH at BOURTON. When we were directed by Bishop Declan to close the Church of Our Lady, help of Christians, some members of the Bourton congregation and I thought that it would be good to continue a Catholic base in Bourton and I approached the Rector of Bourton, the Rev'd Rowena King. She consulted the Bishop of Gloucester and her PCC and they have very kindly offered us the facility to have Mass said in the Anglican Church of St. Lawrence. I have had permission from our Diocesan

authorities to go ahead, so, with effect from **Tuesday 17th August**, every Tuesday there will be a 9 am Catholic Mass at St. Lawrence's. I am very grateful to Rowena and her PCC.

OUR LADY and ST. KENELM'S CHURCH TO BE OPEN DURING THE DAY FOR PRAYER. Now that the Covid rules have eased, I asked permission from the Diocese to allow us to keep our Church open during daylight hours for private prayer. Permission has been given, so with effect from Monday of next week 2nd August, it will be kept open unless circumstances beyond our control cause a problem.

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING. The congregation may now join in with the singing of the hymns, but wearing masks. We shall gradually return to

the full Masses as time goes on. I am grateful that Catherine Inman has joined us as Organist. As we saw last Sunday (25th July) congregational singing has lifted the Sunday Mass. Annette Smith, our music Director, has had to be temporarily absent from Church looking after her husband Mark, who has been poorly. We send both of them our best wishes.

PARKING at Church. Always a challenge! Do not forget that parking in Stow Square is easy at 9 am on Sundays and you can use the path from Sheep Street to Church, which makes it only a short walk. Lloyds Bank also allow us to park in their car park along side Haynes Hanson, Clark, wine merchants in Sheep Street. This is helpful not only on Sunday mornings but on Saturday evenings too.

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