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MASS TIMES in JULY:

Wed 30th June. **MASS OF THANKSGIVING and FINAL LITURGY AT OUR LADY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS, BOURTON. 6 pm (B) Booking required.** sulharcomb@aol.com

Preacher: Fr. David Mills, area Dean and Parish priest of St. Gregory's Cheltenham.

FROM 1ST JULY ALL MASSES TAKE PLACE AT OUR LADY & ST. KENELM, STOW.

Thur. 1st July. **St. Oliver Plunket, Bp. Martyr. 9 am. STOW**

Fri. 2nd July. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

No morning Mass on Saturdays.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION after any Mass or by appointment.

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Weekend 3rd/4th July. 14th Sunday in OT

Saturday 3rd July. Vigil Mass. **6 pm. STOW**

Sunday 4th July. Mass with music. **9 am.**

Mon. 5th July. St. Anthony Zaccaria, Priest. **9 am.**

Tue. 6th July. St. Maria Goretti. **9 am.**

Wed. 7th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Thur. 8th. **NO MASS TODAY.**

Fri. 9th. Weekday in OT. **9 am. (S)**

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Weekend 10th/11th July 15th Sunday in OT.

Saturday. 10th July. **Wedding of Freddie Haden-Brown and Beth Young, at Stow. 1 pm.**

Vigil Mass **6 pm.**

Sunday 11th July. Mass with music **9 am.**

Mon. 12th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Tue. 13th. St. Henry. **9 am.**

Wed. 14th. St Camillus of Lellis. Priest. **9 am.**

Thur. 15th. **St. Bonaventure, Bp and Doctor of the Church. 9 am.**

Fri. 16th. Our Lady of Mount Carmel. **9 am.**

Weekend 17th/18th July. 16th Sunday in OT.

Saturday 17th July. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**
Second Collection: Clergy Training Fund.

Sunday 18th July. **MASS with CONFIRMATION celebrated by Bishop Declan. PLEASE NOTE: MASS IS AT 10 AM TODAY**

Our **6** candidates are: **Oliver Clements, Hugh O' Connell, Ciara Ledd, Sandra Morris, Sam Stephens, Jan Winkowski.** Everyone welcome at this Mass, especially to support the candidates, but it would be helpful if people would book: sulharcomb@aol.com so that we can keep track of numbers for Covid compliance.

Second Collection: Clergy Training Fund

Mon. 19th Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Tue. 20th. St. Apollinaris. Bp and Martyr.

Wed. 21st **NO MASS.**

Thur. 22nd. **St. Mary Magdalene. 9 am**

Fri. 23rd. **St. Bridget. 9 am**

Weekend 24th/25th July. 17th Sunday in OT.

Saturday 24th July. Vigil Mass. **6 pm.**

Sunday 25th July. Mass with music **9 am.**

Mon. 26th. **SS. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary. 9 am**

Tue. 27th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Wed. 28th. Weekday in OT. **9 am.**

Thur. 29th. **St. Martha. 9 am.**

Fri. 30th. St. Peter Chrysologus. **9 am**

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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.**

MISSIO BOXES.

Parishioners can now organise their RED BOXES without a co-ordinator. Our parish will no longer collect boxes as it makes unnecessary work.

Simply empty your box yourself and then choose a method of payment:

-Send a cheque, making it payable to Missio-Mill Hill and post it to Red Box, 23 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1NU

-Or, make a Bank transfer: Sort Code 16-00-16; Account number 10824230

-Or, phone 0207 821 9755 and donate by credit or debit card.

Please continue to support this vital missionary work.

MAGNIFICATS for July.

Available in church. Contact Fr. Stephen if you have not found a copy.

THE PRESBYTERY at Stow.

This is now let, subject to contract. We are retaining the area of garden round the Shrine, although tenants may have use of it when it is not in 'church' use. I would like to thank Sandra and David Morris, and Stuart Dewar for all their hard work with the fence, turfing and other work. I would also like to thank the team of people who came a couple of weeks ago to help us clear the Webley Room and the garden.

REFURBISHMENT OF OUR LADY & ST. KENELM SACRISTY.

Work is going well. A new carpet will arrive in mid July to complete the refurb. Thank you to Stuart and the Goodwins.

MARRIAGE CELEBRATION.

As a result of the Civil Partnerships, Marriages and Deaths Act 2019 our green marriage registers are being closed off and in future marriages will be registered using a 'Marriage Schedule' which will come from the Registrar's office and which will replace the blue form. The Schedule will be signed after the ceremony by the couple, the priest and the witnesses. The priest must return the form to the Registrar within 21 days and then the Registrar will issue the marriage certificate.

ST LAWRENCE'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, BOURTON

I am in conversations with The Rev'd Rowena King, Rector of Bourton about our using St Lawrence's for one week-day Mass a week (9 am Tuesdays). Conversations are well >>>>

advanced but both parties need diocesan approval and an agreement needs to be signed before we can go ahead.

I am very grateful to Rowena and her PCC because it enables us to keep a toehold in Bourton, and to provide one Mass per week in the village after the closure of Our Lady, help of Christians, at the end of June.

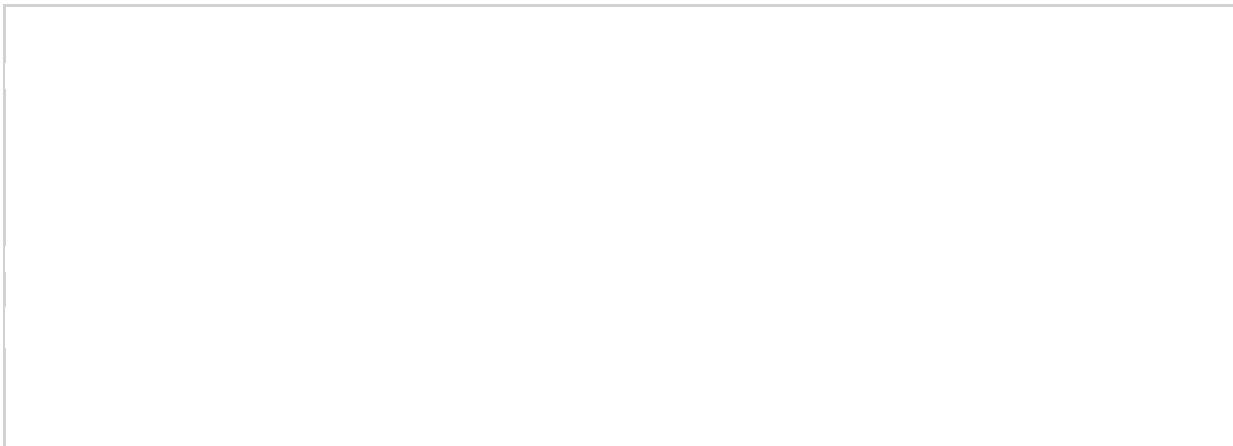
OUR LADY, HELP OF CHRISTIANS.

The Head of Property from Clifton Diocese, Jo Long and I, are meeting to look at the Church on 1st July. The likelihood is that the Diocese/Parish will apply for outline planning permission and the site will be sold. The closure is very sad. However, we must look forward and not backwards: transport is so much easier than when the Church was first completed in October 1960, and it makes little practical sense to have two churches within 6 minutes of each other. I am very sad for all those who have worshipped at OLHC. Fr. Stephen

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