

### **LOUGHBOROUGH GROUP FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES:**

The Group will be discontinued as of next month, and so the Parish Mass at 6pm on **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July** will be a Thanksgiving Mass, celebrated by the Group Chaplains, Fr Simon and Fr Charles, to which all parishioners are welcome. We would like to thank the many people in the parish who have supported us in any way since the group began in 1979.  
*Tony & Sharon Wilkinson, Marie Leaney, Karen Paisley*

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**LACY FUN DAY AT RUTLAND WATER, Saturday 2nd July, 11am-6pm:** We will be meeting at the Normanton Car Park on the south shore, near to Edith Weston. The day will involve fun activities for young people as well as sharing spiritual time together through social chatting, games and activities. Fr. Simon Gillespie will say Mass at 3.45 p.m. Young people are invited to bring their families and friends. All are welcome! Bring a packed lunch. For all enquiries and information about transport, please contact St Mary's Loughborough Youth Group: Liz Abell 07980 021916 or Emily Vu 07734 532759.

**PADLEY PILGRIMAGE:** The annual Hallam and Nottingham Interdiocesan Pilgrimage in honour of the Padley martyrs, Blessed Robert Ludlam and Blessed Nicholas Garlick takes place on **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2016**, assembling at Grindleford Station at 3p.m. for the Rosary Procession, followed by Mass at 3.30pm. Guest Speaker: The Right Reverend Bishop Patrick McKinney of The Diocese of Nottingham. More details can be obtained from Mrs Celia White tel: 01433 630 352 email: [celia.white@btconnect.com](mailto:celia.white@btconnect.com)

**FATHER PHILIP** is taking his summer holiday from **1<sup>st</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> July**.

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<b>LAST WEEK'S FINANCE</b>	
First collection: <b>£ 699</b>	
Standing orders: <b>£ 605</b>	<i>Thank you</i>

**The Second Collection** this week is for '**Peter's Pence**': which is the name given to the financial support offered by the faithful to the Holy Father as a sign of their sharing in the concern of the Successor of Peter for the many different needs of the Universal Church and for the relief of those most in need.



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Served by the Rosminians:

Fr Philip Sainter, Parish Priest; Fr Paul Gillham, Assistant Priest

In community: Fr Charles Sormany and Fr Simon Giles

## **Newsletter for Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2016**

### **Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)**

Psalter Week 1

*Are you ready for the journey?  
the small Wesleyan Chapel notice asks.*

Today's Sunday Gospel begins with: "As the time drew near for him to be taken up to heaven, **Jesus resolutely took the road for Jerusalem.**" This passage marks the beginning of the central section of Luke's Gospel (chapters 9:51 – 19:27), recounting the journey **which culminated in Jesus' death and resurrection.**

Today, as the word of God is being addressed to us, let us ponder that opening question: "*Are you ready for the journey?*"

The Catechism of the Catholic Church says, 'Our lives are measured by time, in the course of which we change, grow old and, as with all living beings on earth, death seems like the normal end of life. That aspect of death lends urgency to our lives: remembering our mortality helps us realize that we have only a limited time in which to bring our lives to fulfilment (CCC 1007). Death is the end of man's earthly pilgrimage, of the time of grace and mercy which God offers him so as to work out his earthly life in keeping with the Divine Plan, and to decide his ultimate destiny' (CCC 1013). It then continues: 'The Church encourages us to prepare ourselves for the hour of our death' (CCC 1014).

Guided by the Spirit, let us walk resolutely, steadfastly, uncompromisingly, the Christian path God has marked out for us since the moment of our baptism. c.f. St Paul's letter to the Galatians – our second reading: "*If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence, since self-indulgence is in opposition to the Spirit.*"

*Fr. Philip Sainter*

### ST. MARY'S MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

<u>Sat</u>	25 <sup>th</sup>	1730- 1800 <b>1800</b>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation + on request</i> Anne Fahey RIP (10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
<u>Sun</u>	26 <sup>th</sup>	1030-1100 <b>1100</b> 1245 1415 1600	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation +available on request</i> For the Parish Polish Mass <i>Baptism of Charlie R. Swift</i> Italian Mass
<u>Mon</u>	27 <sup>th</sup>	0915	Province Intention
<u>Tues</u>	28 <sup>th</sup>	0915	Roger Galvin - Intentions
<u>Weds</u>	29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles (SOLEMNITY)</b>	
		0915	<i>Whole School Mass in Church</i>
		1800	Estrella Marti RIP Anniversary
<u>Thurs</u>	30 <sup>th</sup>	0915	Province Intention
<u>Fri</u>	1 <sup>st</sup>	0915	<b>First Friday Mass</b>
		1730	Novena – Filipino Community
		1800	Parish/Filipino Mass
<u>Sat</u>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	0800	Latin Mass (old rite)
		0915	Province Intention
		1800	Patrick Hollingsworth RIP

### THIS WEEK AT ST. MARY'S

<u>Tues</u>	28 <sup>th</sup>	1815-1845 1900	Rosary and Divine Mercy – Side Chapel 'Music and the Liturgy according to the mind of the Church' hosted by Frs. Philip and Paul - Church hall
<u>Thurs</u>	30 <sup>th</sup>	1900-2100	Craft & Chat – Library
<u>Fri</u>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1700-2100	Filipino Community – Church hall
<u>Sat</u>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1000-1100	Baptism Class by prior arrangement

**PLEASE PRAY for those who are sick:** Vera Hurry, Andrew Spicer, Margaret Stanford, Christina Mortell, Clelia Paciolla, Freddie Hess, Gay Pepper, Kath Perry, Margaret Woodhouse, Pauline Davey (nee Woodhouse), Lee Raven, Louise Raven, Danilo Salvador, Christopher Browne, John Beasley, David and Claire Potter, Ann Checketts, Caroline Hillyer, Jamie, Mark, Stephen Coultas, Jane Moss, Brian Smith, Jean Hooper, John Newman, David Hart, Eddie Hamilton, Katie Mercer, Hannah Bechler, Rosinah, Alan and Judith Creighton, Moyna McGlynn, Anne Hickman and Val Wells.

**and for those who have recently died: May they rest in peace.**

**PLEASE PRAY for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** John Burton, Andrew Marples, Kathleen Blake, Tony McEnery, Teresa Pedley, Gaetano Micciche, Raymond Yeomans, Anne Fahey, Estrella Marti, Rev. Fr. Michael Williams and **Blessed Antonio Rosmini Serbati.**

**FATHERS PHILIP AND PAUL** will be hosting an evening entitled 'Music and the Liturgy according to the mind of the Church' in the Church Hall on Tuesday **28<sup>th</sup> June** at 7pm. All are welcome.

**CAMEO:** Our next meeting will be on **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July**. We will be holding our summer garden party at Dorothy's house from 7.30 onwards. It will be bring a plate as usual. Homemade wine and soft drinks are available but bring any other drinks that you prefer. All are welcome. If you haven't been before why not give it a try. Talk to Dorothy Hutchings, Yvonne O'Connor or Anne Murphy if you need further information or to let us know if you can join us.

**THE NEXT COMMUNICATION MEETING** will be held on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July** at 1pm in the presbytery. These meetings are open to anyone interested in helping to improve communication in the parish.

**THANK YOU** to everyone who supported Marie Brookes' sale of homemade cakes, curd and jams etc. last weekend. This raised the welcome sum of £103.65 for the Diocesan Retired Priests' Appeal.

**WELCOMERS, READERS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS:** The new rotas are now ready. Please remember to collect yours from the back of the church.

**LEARN TO PLAY A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT:** Are there any more who would like to learn to play a musical instrument, starting at rock bottom, having no musical knowledge whatsoever and learning and playing in a group? No age limit but retired girls and boys particularly welcome. I have a number of instruments available: guitar, accordion, recorder, ukulele, banjo ukulele, violin, mandola, harmonica, or bring your own, whatever. £1 per session. Phone John on 01509 554337 or email [john.clark463@ntlworld.com](mailto:john.clark463@ntlworld.com) Who knows! After six months you could be playing in one of St. Mary's music groups at Mass!

**ST. MARY'S WELCOMES ALL NEWCOMERS TO OUR PARISH:** Have you joined us for the first time? Come and meet other parishioners for coffee or tea in the Parish Hall after Sunday morning Mass, and make yourself known to one of our Priests. **NB:** Please remember to inform the Parish Office if you change your contact details.

### NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL

If you have an email account, you can now have the newsletter, and news updates, sent to you as soon as they are posted on the website. Simply go to [www.stmarysloughborough.org.uk](http://www.stmarysloughborough.org.uk), enter your name and email address in the right hand column (under 'Subscribe') and you will be added to the mailing list. Then sit back and wait for the newsletter to be delivered each week!

**BRIARS OPEN DAY - Sunday 26th June** - Diocesan Youth Centre, Crich. A great day out for the family. Climbing wall, face painting, games, raffle, stalls and refreshments are just some of the attractions this year. Starts with Mass at 1 pm.