

Readings for the 18th Sunday

First Reading

Isaiah 55:1-3

Thus says the Lord: Oh, come to the water all you who are thirsty; though you have no money, come! Buy corn without money, and eat, and, at no cost, wine and milk. Why spend money on what is not bread, your wages on what fails to satisfy? Listen, listen to me and you will have good things to eat and rich food to enjoy. Pay attention, come to me; listen, and your soul will live. With you I will make an everlasting covenant out of the favours promised to David. **The Word of the Lord.**

Ps: 144:8-9.15-18

[R]: *You open wide your hand, O Lord, you grant our desires.*

Second Reading

Romans 8:35.37-39

Nothing can come between us and the love of Christ, even if we are troubled or worried, or being persecuted, or lacking food or clothes, or being threatened or even attacked. These are the trials through which we triumph, by the power of him who loved us. For I am certain of this: neither death nor life, no angel, no prince, nothing that exists, nothing still to come, not any power, or height or depth, nor any created thing, can ever come between us and the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus our Lord. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: *Alleluia, Alleluia! Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Alleluia.*

Gospel Reading

Matthew 14:13-21

When Jesus received the news of John the Baptist's death he withdrew by boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But the people heard of this and, leaving the towns, went after him on foot. So as he stepped ashore he saw a large crowd; and he took pity on them and healed their sick. When evening came, the disciples went to him and said, 'This is a lonely place, and the time has slipped by; so send the people away, and they can go to the villages to buy themselves some food.' Jesus replied, 'There is no need for them to go: give them something to eat yourselves.' But they answered, 'All we have with us is five loaves and two fish.' 'Bring them here to me,' he said. He gave orders that the people were to sit down on the grass; then he took the five loaves and the two fish, raised his eyes to heaven and said the blessing. And breaking the loaves he handed them to his disciples who gave them to the crowds. They all ate as much as they wanted, and they collected the scraps remaining, twelve baskets full. Those who ate numbered about five thousand men, to say nothing of women and children.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Mystery of Faith: We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.



The Reminder

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Holy Souls' Presbytery, Frodingham Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 7TA

Sunday, 3rd August 2014

Eighteenth Sunday - Year A

Timetable for the Week

| Day | Time | Intention |
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| Saturday 2nd August 2014 <i>Our Lady</i> | No 9.30 am Mass 10.30 am Polish 1.00 pm Nuptial 5.30pm Roxby 5.30 pm | - Polish Priest's Intentions Owen & Adele Deceased Clarke Family Mary & Bernard Dooley RIP |
| Sunday 3rd August 2014 18th Sunday | 9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm | Don Blanchard RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish |
| Monday <i>St John Mary Vianney</i> | 9.00 am | Maureen Rubano RIP |
| Tuesday <i>Feria</i> | 9.00 am 9.30 am Polish | Intentions Mary & Bill Egan Polish Priest's Intentions |
| Wednesday - <i>Transfiguration of The Lord</i> | 12.00 noon | Deceased Clarke Family |
| Thursday <i>Feria</i> | 9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm | Tony & Rogert Harrison RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Holy Hour |
| Friday <i>St Dominic</i> | 9.00 am 9.30 am Polish | Intentions Domenico Di Mele Polish Priest's Intentions |
| Saturday 9th August 2014 <i>St Teresa Benedicta of The Cross</i> | 9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30pm Roxby 5.30 pm | Intentions Annie Doherty Polish Priest's Intentions Deceased Clarke Family People of the Parish |
| Sunday 10th August 2014 19th Sunday | 9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm | Calistro Goncalves Dias Polish Priest's Intentions Norah Moylett RIP |
| Confessions | <i>Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm</i> | |
| Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament | <i>Wednesday 11.00 am to 12 noon</i> <i>Thursday - 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm</i> <i>Saturday 4.30 to 5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i> | |

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

Scunthorpe General Hospital - For the ministrations of a Catholic priest contact Fr Eddy Jarosz or Fr Benedict Abuon on (01724) 842197

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Parish Hall Bookings/Enquiries: 07542 715929

This Week

You may be aware that Fr Peter Wade of St Bernadette's has recently had major surgery and is currently convalescing. Please keep him in your prayers at this time.

Until Fr Peter returns to work Fr Eddy and Fr Benedict will be supplying priestly ministry to St Bernadette's as best they can.

For the next three weeks Fr Benedict is also helping at St Mary's in Brigg and St Augustine Webster in Barton whilst Fr Dominic O'Connor takes a well-earned holiday.

First World War

Monday 4th August marks the centenary of the entry of Britain into the First World War. This is the first of a number of significant anniversaries related to the First World War that we will be remembering over the next four years. On that evening our Church will be open between 7.00 pm and 9.00 pm for a time of silent reflection and prayer. All people are welcome whether they belong to any religious faith or not.

Lourdes Water

If anyone wants Lourdes water there is some available in the sacristy. Thank you to one of our parishioners for bringing us some back on returning from the Diocesan Pilgrimage.

Hospital

If you wish to receive a visit from a priest while in hospital, or know someone who wishes to receive a visit, you **must explicitly request this**. The clergy do not have access to patient lists produced by the hospital

Parish Hall

Volunteers needed to serve tea and coffee on Sunday 31st August.

RCIA

We plan to run a Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) programme at Holy Souls from September. If there are any people interested in finding out more about how to become a Catholic, how to complete any of the Sacraments of Initiation which were missed in childhood or adolescence, or how to reconnect with the Church after a period of absence please speak to one of the clergy and leave contact details so that you can be informed when the programme will begin.

Baptism of Children

The next baptism preparation evening will be on Wednesday 17th September. If you wish to have a child baptised then it is important that you make yourself available to attend this evening in addition to making yourself known to at least one of the priests through regular attendance at weekend Mass.

Diocese of Nottingham Service Team for Charismatic Renewal

An invitation to a Planning Meeting for a new Diocesan Service Team. [DST] Saturday 20th September 2014, 12 noon to 2.30 pm at St Teresa's Church Hall, Market Warsop, NG20 0LX, with a shared table.

Advance notice

of the annual Harvest Produce Sale which will take place on the weekend of 20th/21st September 2014.

Street Pastors

If anyone is interested in learning more about the work of Street Pastors with a view to joining the team then please make contact with Bryan Webster on 07974 423246. A new training programme will begin in Lincoln on 11th October so it would be good if any aspiring Street Pastors were able to begin their training at that time.

Deanery Retreat at Ampleforth

Will take place on the weekend of 24th to 26th October. A booking form can be picked up from the sacristy. Please make any cheques payable to Ampleforth Abbey Trust.

Diocesan Day on Families and Faith

taking place at Christ the King Voluntary Academy, Arnold, Nottingham on Saturday 22nd November between 10.00 am and 4.00 pm. The guest speaker is Bishop John Sherrington, Auxiliary Bishop of Westminster. There are a number of workshops on relevant topics. If you would like to go please let Fr Eddy know and the cost of attendance (£12) will be paid by the parish.

Please come and join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.30 am Sunday Mass