

ST JOSEPH'S, STONEHOUSE & THE ANNUNCIATION, WOODCHESTER

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MASSES AND LITURGIES – 24th SUNDAY YEAR B - PSALTER WEEK 4 - WEEKDAYS OF ORDINARY TIME / FEAST

ST JOSEPH'S			THE ANNUNCIATION	
Sun	9.00am	Mass: <i>People of parish</i> Readers: Mary McGinty & Tony Osman	11.00am	Mass: <i>People of parish</i> - Reader: Tony Thompson
			5.00pm	Mass: <i>People of parish</i> - Reader: Mike Robinson
Mon		NO MASS TODAY		
Tue			9.15am	
Wed				
Thurs	10.00am	<i>Ben Thompson †</i>		
Fri			9.15am	
Sat	10.00am	<i>Rosemary Boyle †</i>		

LECTIONARY

Sun	Is 50: 5-9	Ps 114: 1-6. 8-9	Jas 2: 14-18	Mk 8: 27-35
Mon	1 Cor 11: 17-26. 33		Ps 39: 7-10. 17	Lk 7: 1-10
Tues	1Cor 12: 12-14. 27-31		Ps 99	Lk 7: 11-17
Wed	1Cor 12: 31 - 13: 13		Ps 32: 2-5. 12. 22	Lk 7: 31-35
Thurs	1Cor 15: 1-11		Ps 117: 1-2. 15-17. 28	Lk 7: 36-50
Fri	Eph 4: 1-7. 11-13		Ps 18: 2-5	Mt 9: 9-13
Sat	1Cor 15: 35-37. 42-49		Ps 55: 10-14	Lk 8: 4-15

*The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available (after the Saturday morning Mass) from 10.30-11.00 at St Joseph's.
For The Annunciation, please enquire*

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT ST JOSEPH'S

Celia McGinty, Kathy Davies, Julie Wood, Elizabeth Carr, Mary Evans, Rosemary Mabud, Sarah Kane, Aine Anderson, Maggie & Merv, Mary Scully, Celia McGinty

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Rosemary Boyle, Patrick Smiddy, Michyl Hadjukewicz, Stephanie Dangerfield, Siobhan Dangerfield, Sean Rosewell, Bernard (Ben) Thompson, David Mathews, Winifred Melia, Michael McLoughlin

PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL AT THE ANNUNCIATION

Maureen Gannon, Rebekah Hollingshead, Brendon Conboy, Della Cox, Jo Heffernan, Barry Norris, Cynthia Stevens, Peggy Chapman, Tony Coupe, Agnes Hutchinson, Fr. Michael Davies, Avril Wilkes, Joan Berner, Barry Taylor, John Presland

AND FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED ABOUT THIS TIME

Nigel John Deeble Rogers, Sr. M. Felix Nash, Sr. M. Clare Thomas, Mildred Vearncombe, Richard Cartwright, Kevin Pigott, David Mathews, Christina Wilson, Mabel Baldwin Rudge, Lionel Burge, Dorothy Tolwinka

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries

DIOCESAN PRAYER LINK

Bath: St Mary

RETIRING COLLECTION
For the Home Missions

GENERAL INTEREST

A TRIP TO THE AMERICAN MUSEUM, CLAVERTON BATH

Has been organised for next Wednesday (26 September) at a cost of £20 - to include coach and entry fee. The American Museum is well worth a visit. For more information, or to book a ticket please contact Rosalind ☎ 01453 821627 or Carole ☎ 01453 822163.

CELEBRATE - BRISTOL

For 27th - 28th October: a conference for the whole family! - A non-residential weekend including tailored 'streams' for all ages of children and young adults. This year keynote speakers Michelle Moran and David Wells will be 'unpacking' an exciting theme. In addition there will be workshops, seminars, praise and worship, prayer ministry, Holy Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Confession. Catholic Charismatic Renewal, hosts the event at St Bede's Catholic College, BS11 0SU. Further details at www.celebrateconference.org

FLAME

The biggest Catholic Youth event in England & Wales is back! Young people from across the Clifton Diocese aged 14-25 are invited to join Bishop Declan in Wembley Arena on Saturday 2nd March 2019 at *Flame*. Clifton Diocese Youth Ministry are offering ticket, travel & Diocesan scarf - all for just £50 per person. Places are filling up fast, so go to www.cliftondiocese.com or contact your parish priest for more details and to book your place.

PARISH CENSUS

An optional Parish Census will be undertaken at Stonehouse and Woodchester in the near future. This is happening across the Diocese, to ensure that all information held on parishioners is accurate and up to date, in accordance with the new General Data Protection Regulations. Any information you decide to give will be held in accordance with the Diocese Privacy Notice which you can view in full at <https://cliftondiocese.com/privacy-notice>

ST PETER'S HIGH SCHOOL

"This year our sixth form pass rate was 97% with an increase in students achieving grades at AAB or higher and with students receiving results which have enabled them to progress to university or apprenticeships of their choice. Parents who would like to visit the school can attend our Open Week from 1st to 4th October with Open Evening on Wednesday 3rd October. Alternatively, please contact the school on 01452 520594 if you would like to arrange a visit at another time."

Stephanie Layhe (Principal)

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STONEHOUSE RVS YOGA FOR THE OVER 60'S

Began on 5th September and continues from 10am-11am every week in term time at St Joseph's Hall Oldends Lane Stonehouse. Cost £5 per session. Led by Kelly-Anne of Spiral Spirit Yoga. All over 60's

welcome: Not just for Stonehouse folk!

ST JOSEPH'S

BAPTISM OF GEORGE JOSEPH PILKINGTON

"George will be baptised during the 9am Mass this morning. You are welcome to join us for refreshments and some celebration cake after the Mass in the Hall." *Paul, Jenny and William.*

HARVEST THANKSGIVING MASS

The Harvest Thanksgiving Mass will take place next Sunday this year (on Sept 23rd). If we can collect a good selection of Foodbank-useful items (see tear-off list below, that would be good. And items that can decorate the church are always welcome, hopefully these would saleable in aid of CAFOD.

CHARLES MINCHIN'S LEAVING SERVICE

Rev. Charles is leaving St Cyr's to retire. There is a service in thanksgiving for Charles and Anne at St Cyr's this Sunday afternoon at 3.00pm. Please be welcome.

THE ANNUNCIATION

HARVEST THANKSGIVING MASS

We will be celebrating Harvest Thanksgiving on Sunday 7th Oct. We hope to be able to include the school's contributions from their Harvest Celebration the Friday previously (5th Oct). Please bring items that would be useful for the Foodbank (see below) and fresh items that we can "Veg Box" in aid of CAFOD (see below). Lets have a wonderful display in thanksgiving!

TO CLEAR A GARDEN! MOVED TO 6TH

For Saturday 6th at 10.00am a working party is needed for St. Mary's Hill House Garden (to clear it!). Barry and Bogdan will provide sausage sarnies - bring your own tools. All hands welcomed.

THE KERALA FLOOD

A letter of Thanks from the More Hall sisters (Grace and Compassion Benedictines) is on the notice board for the generous donation to the Convent in India affected by the Kerala flooding.

CAFOD FUNDRAISING

"Thank you to everyone contributing to the VEG BOX at the back of the church. We have raised over £50 for CAFOD in the last 4 weeks. Please continue to bring and buy if you can." *Ann*
Date for you diary - our next Cake Stall will be on Sunday 7th Oct. See above re the Harvest Mass.

HYMNS THIS SUNDAY

458	My Song is Love Unknown
179	From Heaven You Came
(25	All that I am)
504	O Lord my God

A HARVEST SHOPPING LIST FOR THE FOODBANK

✂ *This list is at the end so that you can cut it off* ✂
Biscuits, Tinned Veg, Instant Coffee, Tinned Meat, Dried Pasta, Tinned Spaghetti, Tinned Fruit, Tinned Fish, Custard, Tinned Tomatoes, Pasta Sauce, Tinned Pulses, Jam, Marmite, Small Sugar, Tinned Soup, Steamed Pud, Choc Spread, Peanut Butter, UHT Fruit Juice, Instant Mash, Toothbrushes and Toothpaste. There is **something missing** from this list! - **No Baked Beans, please!!**

Item for the Bulletin? You can send items for the bulletin (by the Wednesday) to stjos.stonehouse@googlemail.com or post them through the presbytery letterbox. For The Annunciation, email: woochester.theannunciation@cliftondiocese.com or post in the church letterbox (by front gate) or leave a message on 01453 832120