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**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY**

**YEAR A**

**WEEK COMMENCING JULY 9<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**Psaltar Week 2**

**CTS Sunday Missal p.736**

**Response to the Psalm :**

I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.

**Gospel Acclamation :**

Blessed are you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the Kingdom to mere children.

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**Mystery of Faith : III**

**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK :**

**T. St Benedict S. St Bonaventure**

**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK ;**

**ST AMBROSE'S**

Monday	8.30 a.m.	Intentions of Jackie Villa
	7.30 p.m.	(U.C.M.) Celebrant's Intention
Tuesday	8.30 a.m.	Rob Conway RIP
Wednesday	9.15 a.m.	Tess Grantham RIP
Thursday	8.30 a.m.	Intentions of John Farmer
	7.30 p.m.	Adoration until 9.00 p.m. (Compline 8.45 p.m.)
Friday	9.30 – 10.15 a.m.	Adoration
	10.30 a.m.	Mass : Wally Murphy RIP
Saturday	9.00 a.m.	Brian and Joshua Martin RIP / Michela Butera RIP followed by Rosary & Novena prayers for the sick
Sunday	11.00 a.m.	Franco Sulla (Anniversary)
	6.00 p.m.	Peter Conway RIP

**SACRED HEART**

Sunday 9.00 a.m. The People of the Parish

**CONFESSIONS :**

**St Ambrose's** – 11.45 a.m. – 12.45 p.m. and by request

**Sacred Heart** - by request

**MINISTRIES FOR THE COMING WEEK :**

**Altar Servers for morning Mass :** Luca Barry, Matthew Conway

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**Readers**

**St Ambrose's :**

Sunday 11.00 a.m.

E Fox, B Galvin, C Geraghty, D Gillett,

M Parker, C Vass

A Harris

Sunday 6.00 p.m.

D Duncombe, N Doherty

T Alexander, P Young

**Sacred Heart**

Sunday 9.00 a.m.

S Coates, J Moore

C Stanley

**Church Cleaners : Team C (Wed. Morning) Offertory Counters : Group 4 Teas/Coffees : J Bishop, N Wright**

**Please pray for our parishioners who are sick, and for all who have need of our prayers, especially:** Ann Aylott, Olena Barchuk, Albert and Elsie Barr, Keith and Marion Birch, Catherine Blount, Jennifer Bush, Linda Button, Martin Cahill, Rupert Caple, Fr Paul Chavasse, Luke Coates, Nigel Collier, Helena Collins, Nora Collins, Maureen Connolly, Bunty Cook, Julie Cook, Derek Cooper, Elsie Corti, Rob Cotgrave, Eamonn Dalton, Sarah Dalziel, Angeline Doherty, Revd Patrick Duffy, Sr Maureen Fay, Lina Finella, Victoria Fleming, Catherine Freemantle, Martha Graham, Frances Graves, Fr Christopher Greaney, Janet Greenwood, Diane Grovenor, Shirley Hale, Margaret Harley, Mary Harris, Canice Heavern, Cindy Jones, Georgina Jones-White, John Joyce, John Kean, Wendy Kowalewicz, Arwen Lockley, Joe McLaughlin, Gaetana Maffei, Marjorie Male, Francesca Marciante, Anthea Matthew, Robert Matthews, Margaret Metcalf, Sheila Mikulicz, Jeannie Morrison, Pat Motteram, Teresa Moule, Sr Breda Murphy, Jacqui Murray, Kitty Murray, John Neale, Delia Nepi, Margaret Nichol, Kate Nicholls, Margaret Norris, Pat Norris, Fr Denis O'Connor, Billie O'Keefe, Jean O'Shaughnessy, Katherine O'Sullivan, Meghan O'Sullivan, Tara O'Sullivan, Ken Peers, Doreen Reynolds, Janet Richards, Harold Salter, Joseph Samways, Pauline Samways, Jackie Sands, Louise Sireshek, Tracey Smale, Peter Strangward, Susan Stubbins, Edward Sutton, Nicky Suzman, Tony Taylor, Jim Thomas, Vera Toman, Frances Tovey, Charlie Villa, Ernest Vincent, George Watkins, Keith Weaver, Lyndon Whatley, Edith Wilkes, Deana Wright and Anne Youde.

**BAPTISMS :** On Saturday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon Revd. Charles Duncombe will administer the Sacrament of Baptism to Andre Sorano. Please pray for both him and his family.

**LATELY DEAD :** Of your charity pray for the repose of the soul of **Madeline Whitehouse**, who died last weekend at Blakebrook. Details of her funeral will be forthcoming. The niece of Flo Morris, **Audrey Little**, died peacefully on Friday after a long illness. **Joan Smith** died on Friday morning in High Habberley House.

**FUNERAL :** The funeral of **Gilliam Christine Trow** will be held at the Stourbridge Crematorium on Monday at 12.20 p.m.

**UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS :** At their Mass on Monday evening, several members of our Foundation will be receiving Long Service Awards. We thank and congratulate them :-

Anne Colclough (30 years), Lil Cook (40 years), Bernie Galvin (40 years), Chris Geraghty (40 years), Nancy Hill (30 years), Pam Lay (35 years), Christine Stubbins (40 years), Chris Vass (35 years).

**ANNIVERSARIES :** Monday : Fr. Brendan Donlon (2014) St Ambrose's 1955 - 1963.

Tuesday : Fr. Anthony Maguire (2003) Our Lady's 1983 - 1986

**HOLY HOUR :** All Parish Ministers are invited to attend a Holy Hour on Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 p.m.

**200 CLUB :** The June draw was drawn last Sunday and the lucky winners are:-

1<sup>st</sup> No. 144 – Mrs J Nicholls - £75.

2<sup>nd</sup> No. 18 – Mrs M Tillott - £30

3<sup>rd</sup> No. 54 – Mrs J Harler - £30

Just a reminder that there are still numbers available at a one-time offer of £16 for the rest of this year. (Normally £24 per year). This will include the big Christmas draw. Please consider joining – application forms at the back of the Church. The July draw will be after morning Mass on Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> July.

**PARISH WALK :** Saturday, 15<sup>th</sup> July. Meet at Riverside car park, Arley, 10.30 a.m. start. Approximately 3 miles. Could be muddy in parts. Details Trevor Walker, K.910446.

**LINE DANCING :** In the Borromeo Hall at 7.30 p.m. on Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> July for beginners and experts, for young and old, for families, for fun. Entrance £4.00 (children free). For eight years St Ambrose's Parish and School have sponsored the education and care of three children. Please continue to support Light of Maasai and our three girls, Ciara, Sopi and Seki, who are "adopted" by Elaine Bannon. See [www.lightofmaasai.com](http://www.lightofmaasai.com). Bar available. Raffle.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR :** Peter Grealy, Betty Martin and Joy Farmer are holding a meeting for the Parish Christmas Bazaar in the Adams Lounge at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July. All are welcome to come along and get involved.

**PARISH CONSULTATION :** On July 18<sup>th</sup> a meeting will take place in the Borromeo Hall between 7.00 p.m. – 8.30 p.m. at which representatives of Parish Groups, the Clergy, Parish Administration and School will be present.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS :** As from this weekend there will be only two Additional Ministers of Holy Communion for 6:00 p.m. Masses on Sundays.

**MISSIO :** A Mass of Thanksgiving will be said at St Chad's Cathedral on Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>. Supporters of the Red Box Appeal may wish to attend.

**PRAYER REQUESTS :** It has been suggested that we should provide an opportunity for prayer requests to be made known (anonymously, if desired). Those visiting the Church during the day may wish to remember the particular intentions during their own prayers. A list has been placed on the missal stand formerly used in our Church in Tenbury, and is in Our Lady's Chapel so that the intentions listed may be remembered by all who pray there.

#### **FINANCES :**

- i. Thank you for last week's Offertory of £639.48 (Loose Plate £377.64. Envelope Scheme £261.84)
- ii. The Retiring Collection for CAFOD raised £31.05.
- iii. Tenbury's Collection for 'Shoot the Stars' – The Mandy Davies Cancer Support Group raised £73.50.
- iv. Congratulations to those who organised and supported the School Fete last weekend - £1,200 was raised, with more to come.

**Borromeo Hall/Adams Lounge:** Available for functions of all kinds; parties, receptions etc. Please contact Joel Douglas, Booking's Secretary [bookings.stambrose@gmail.com](mailto:bookings.stambrose@gmail.com).

**Bingo:** Every Tuesday 8.00 pm. **Whist:** Every Wednesday, 2.00 pm. Please come along and support the Parish Centre.

**Folk Music:** In the Adams Lounge with visiting musicians/singers and instrumentalists on the second and fourth Fridays of every month. Admission free. 8.00 p.m. – late.