



LITURGY

First reading: Isaiah 66:10-14

Response to the Psalm: Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

Second reading: Galatians 6:14-18

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I call you friends, says the Lord, because I have made known to you everything I have learnt from my Father. Alleluia!

Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20



Dear Parishioners

The sending out in twos in today’s Gospel mirrors the fact that God has sent his Son and his Spirit to reveal himself to us. A preaching community is a powerful sign not only through its words or works but also through the way that the members of the community relate to each other, through divinely inspired love. In a sense, love is the proper language of mission for it is the language of God. When we live in the world as members of the body of Christ we are cemented together by the Spirit of love. It is a consoling fact that through love we ultimately speak a language that is essentially not ours but given to us through God’s grace. Sometimes one can lack words or not know what to do but to love is always the right thing to do. Often love can be expressed in service to our families, to our brothers and sisters in faith or to strangers. But love can also be expressed in patiently waiting for somebody to grow, in our being there for them. It takes time for a grain to germinate, to grow and to bear fruit.

It is through love that we can resist the temptation of putting ourselves in the centre of the mission. Jesus tells his disciples not to boast about the fruit of their work: Do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you; but rejoice that your names are written in heaven. We have already been redeemed by Jesus through his cross. Now we need to become a new creation through his love.

**God Bless
Fr. Benedict OSB**

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Rev. Deacon Peter Griffiths



14th Week of Year(C)

Week commencing Sunday 3rd July 2022

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Masses

Sat 2 nd July	5.00pm	14 th Sunday Year (C)	People of the Parish
Sun 3 rd July	10.30am	14 th Sunday Year (C)	Private Intention
Mon 4 th July			
Tues 5 th July			People of Ukraine
Wed 6 th July			Private Intention
Thur 7 th July			
Fri 8 th July			
Sat 9 th July	5.00pm	15 th Sunday Year (C)	James Goodison RIP
Sun 10 th July	10.30am	15 th Sunday Year (C)	Dorothy Goodison RIP

Mass is celebrated privately daily except on Monday.

If you would like a mass offered for a particular intention, please email the parish or put a note through the door of the presbytery, *please do not place it in the collection bag*. Thank you.

Those Who Have Asked for Prayers:

Derek Sollis, , Georgette Cowell, Dolores Flynn, Fred Chadfield. Alan Clatworthy, Anthony Woodhouse, Chanel Mullings, Clive Rickhards,, Jill Spurrell,

Those who have recently died: ,

Richard Flynn, Denis Charlton, Mary Gardner, Charles Maries, Sheila Hall, Donald Newell, Helen Meaney Bridget Clarke, Sylvia Flanagan, Robert McCarthy, Pamela Young, Norah O'Neill-Thomas, Susanna Westmeath, Nell Bridge. Doleen Evans, Jean Monica Tucker, Fr. John Fallon, Judy Husband Graham Janes, Elizabeth Watton, Maurice Andrews, Max Stoddart. Tony Lyons, Michael Russell, Mary Cross, Agnes McIlravey, Helen McCarthy, Patricia O'Brien, Pauline Burton, Mary Judith Smith (nee Hewitt), Wyn Varley, Raimondo Gemeli.

Information

Weekly Second Collection

The weekly second collection will normally be for help towards the payment of the diocesan levy and the upkeep of the house and church buildings. Both the church and the house are Grade II listed so any work done has to be to a high standard as set by the requisite authority. Here are a few of the expenses for the coming year:

- Diocesan Levy £5,500 p.a.
- Building's upkeep £36,000.00
- Insurance £3,744.77 p.a.

At times the second collection will be for other charities and the details of these will be placed in the bulletin.

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