



Catholic Parish of King's Lynn

Church of Our Lady of the Annunciation
London Road, King's Lynn, Norfolk. PE30 5HQ

Holy Family Church
Field Lane, Gaywood, King's Lynn, Norfolk. PE30 4AY

DEACON SHAUN MORRISON'S WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday, August 13, 2023

Dear Friends,

Today is the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

"Let us see, O Lord your mercy and give us your saving help"

The YouTube link for the livestream for the 11.30am Mass from Our Lady's is:

https://www.youtube.com/live/3qj3B_EFTY0?feature=share

Tuesday (15th August) is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. A Holy day of Obligation.

Being a Tuesday there will be the usual **hospital Mass at 4pm** in addition to the morning and evening Masses which are:

9.30am at Holy Family Church.

7.30pm at Our Lady's Church.

(I will send the Office of Reading for this day on Monday evening or Tuesday morning with the YouTube link for the livestream)

The Knights of St. Columba National Relic Tour 2023.

The Relic of St. Columba, St. Andrew & St. Margaret will be visiting the Parish of King's Lynn from 16th -17th August and it will be in Holy Family Church **On Thursday 17th August at the 9.30am Mass.**

<https://ksc.org.uk/ksc-national-tour-2023-of-the-relics/>

Next Sunday (20th August) is our Annual Red Mount Procession

Next Sunday is the annual procession of Our Lady of Walsingham to the Red Mount Chapel. The procession leaves Our Lady's Church at 3pm to go to the Red Mount for devotions. On the return there will be Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament followed by tea in the garden. Please come in good numbers to make this a real demonstration of our Faith. We need people to carry the statue and the banner and also help with the tea will be welcome.



From the Office of Readings for 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

A reading from the Dialogue of St Catherine of Siena on Divine Providence.

In the bonds of love

My sweet Lord, look with mercy upon your people and especially upon the mystical body of your Church. Greater glory is given to your name for pardoning a multitude of your creatures than if I alone were pardoned for my great sins against your majesty. It would be no consolation for me to enjoy your life if your holy people stood in death. For I see that sin darkens the life of your bride the Church – my sin and the sins of others.

It is a special grace I ask for, this pardon for the creatures you have made in your image and likeness. When you created man, you were moved by love to make him in your own image. Surely only love could so dignify your creatures. But I know very well that man lost the dignity you gave him; he deserved to lose it, since he had committed sin.

Moved by love and wishing to reconcile the human race to yourself, you gave us your only-begotten Son. He became our mediator and our justice by taking on all our injustice and sin out of obedience to your will, eternal Father, just as you willed that he take on our human nature. What an immeasurably profound love! Your Son went down from the heights of his divinity to the depths of our humanity. Can anyone's heart remain closed and hardened after this?

We image your divinity, but you image our humanity in that union of the two which you have worked in a man. You have veiled the Godhead in a cloud, in the clay of our humanity. Only your love could so dignify the flesh of Adam. And so by reason of this immeasurable love I beg, with all the strength of my soul, that you freely extend your mercy to all your lowly creatures.

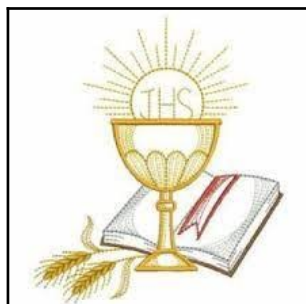
Responsory

- ℟. My song is of mercy and justice: I sing to you, O Lord.* I will walk in the way of perfection. O when, Lord, will you come?
- ℣. I will walk with blameless heart within my house.* I will walk in the way of perfection. O when, Lord, will you come?

Looking forward to September:

First Holy Communion 2024

There will be a meeting for the parents to outline the upcoming classes etc. on **Saturday 9th September at 11am** in Holy Family Church, Field Lane, Gaywood.



Adult Formation in the Faith

It is proposed to begin a course of instruction in the Faith for those who are thinking about becoming Catholics. This will be in the Autumn and if you are interested, please speak to one of the priests or deacons. Application forms are now available and the course will begin on **Sunday 17th September** at 4.45pm in the Wigglesworth Room at Our Lady's Church on London Road.



The link to our YouTube channel is:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC8V030I7usRZiKoTlrwBAKg>

And the link to our Parish Website:

<http://www.catholicparish-kingslynn.org.uk/>

God bless

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Deacon Shaun Morrison