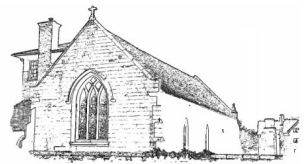


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MASSES THIS WEEK (with YEAR B Readings)

Sunday 9 June

8.30am
10.30am

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass intention for: *John Weston R.I.P.*
Mass Intention for: *The People of the Parish*

Monday 10 June

No Mass today

Feria in Ordinary Time

Tuesday 11 June

10.00am

Memorial of St Barnabas, Apostle

Mass intention for: *Doreen Millard R.I.P.*

Wednesday 12 June

No Mass today #

Feria in Ordinary Time

Thursday 13 June

No Mass today #

Memorial of St Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church

Friday 14 June

11.00am

Feria in Ordinary Time

Mass intention for: *Pamela Mortiboy R.I.P.*

Saturday 15 June

10.00am

Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday

Mass intention for: *Michael Pakes R.I.P.*

Sunday 16 June

8.30am
10.30am

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Day for Life

Mass intention for: *The People of the Parish*
Mass Intention for: *John Townsend R.I.P.*

There will be a second collection for the Day for Life on this day.



There will be no Mass nor Discussion Group meeting this week as Fr John will be attending an in-service training course on Wednesday and Thursday.

Anniversaries in June: Lady Mary Yate (1696), Rev George Hartley (1806), Hugh Arbuthnott (1982), Kate Cantillon (1988), MarieTeresa Rochford (1990), Rev Lawrence Jones (1993), Mary Kumeta (1994), Rev Geoffrey Tucker (1999), James Gould (2002), Marie Teresa Shingler (2006), Michael Robinson (2008) Patrick Sharkey (2010), Kate Ludlow (2011), Terry Pearcehouse (2011), Peter Fernihough (2014), Pat Twyman (2016), Frank Collins (2019), Peter Riley (2019), Margaret Pakes (2020), John Townsend (2022), Pamela Mortiboy (2023).



In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of

MICHAEL PAKES

who died on Friday 17th May

May he Rest In Peace.

Michael's Requiem Mass will take place at St Mary's on Friday 21st June at 11.30am

In your prayers please remember those who are sick and asked for our prayers:

Deirdre Brookes, Stephen Brown, Beth Downing, Norma Fox, Shirley Grant, Peter Handley, Elizabeth Howell, Angela MacGarrow, Ann Murphy, John & Ellen Mottram, Patricia Newton, Kevin O'Connor, Ann Parry.

Thank you!

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... for all your offerings and donations.

Contributions to the Parish: 26 May-2 June:

Regular, weekly Gift Aid Direct Debit:	£316.00
Gift Aid Envelopes:	£150.00
Loose cash:	£239.71

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PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE MONEY OR ENVELOPES CONTAINING MONEY IN THE PORCH. Direct Debit, gift aid forms are available from the folder on the notice board in the church porch. Please complete and either hand to Fr John or

post through his house letterbox. If you wish to make a donation when Mass is not taking place and the church is otherwise empty, please post your offering (in an envelope) in the letterbox in the door of the Priest's House.



PARISH SAFEGUARDING: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times.

Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is **Valerie Nolan**. She can be contacted at: **sg.stmary.harvington@rcaob.org.uk** or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on: 0121 2306240 / **safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk** if you have any concern.

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The emergency exit from the church is via the sacristy and through the house.



Our annual **SUMMER FETE** will be held in the garden of the Priest's House at St Mary's on **Saturday 6th July**.

We don't have room to store donations too far in advance of the fete and so would be grateful if, at home, you could **PUT TO ONE SIDE ITEMS YOU THINK WILL BE SUITABLE FOR THE STALLS SELLING: bric-a-brac, handbags, costume jewellery, good quality used toys, saleable paperback or hardback books, bottles for the tombola, bottles for the 'Whiskey Galore' game.**



If you are cultivating **PLANTS** of any description and have any to spare, please put them to one side for the Plant Stall holders who will be happy to **receive them nearer to the Fete Day.**



Please start planning your contributions to the '**CAKE STALL**'. It doesn't have to be 'cakes'; all home made baked goods, preserves etc are always popular with customers.



RAFFLE TICKETS for the Grand Draw to be taken at the end of the **Summer Fete** are available to collect from the table in the porch. Please take as many as you are able to sell to family, friends, neighbours and colleagues and, of course, buy some for yourselves too! Thanks to the generosity of parishioners and

local businesses there are some amazing prizes to be won. Completed stubs and payments may be placed in an envelope labelled **RAFFLE 2024** or use one of the labelled envelopes on the table in the porch. Please hand these to Fr John or Fr Richard, or put them through the letter box in the door of the Priest's House but **please don't leave cash/cheques in the porch when it is not supervised.**

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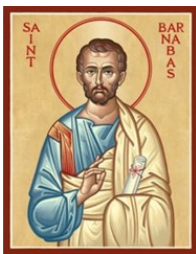
The **BISHOPS CONFERENCE OF ENGLAND AND WALES** has produced resources to aid our decision making in the forthcoming General Election. President of the Bishops' Conference, Cardinal Vincent Nichols, is asking voters to be active rather than passive to engage with politicians on the key issues. "You want to know what your candidate will think and say on your behalf when that candidate gets into Parliament," says the Cardinal. "I would like to put forward a theme for us all to think about. How do we seek to construct a society in which families can flourish? That's the bedrock".

His video message can be found here: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/election24/>



COMMEMORATED THIS WEEK

Tuesday 11 June: Memorial of St Barnabas



St Barnabas was a Cypriot Jew. The Holy Spirit destined him to a universal mission. It was Barnabas who introduced St Paul to the other apostles, paving the way for a broad apostolate which required the approval of the pillars of the Church. He was with St Paul on the first missionary journey and in the first Council of Jerusalem. After having converted many souls for Christ, Barnabus died a martyr for the faith. He had preached at Cyprus during Nero's reign. His name is included in the Roman Canon.

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Thursday 13 June: Memorial of St Anthony of Padua



St Anthony of Padua (1195-1231) was born in Lisbon, Portugal. A Franciscan, he was known for his profound knowledge of theology and for his power of persuasion. His preaching carried him from the north of Africa to Italy and France. He is known as the 'Evangelical doctor' because he based all that he said on the texts of the gospels. He died in Padua.

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Saturday 15 June: Memorial of Our Lady on Saturday



On Saturdays in Ordinary Time when there is no obligatory memorial, an optional memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary is allowed.

This excerpt from Chapter V of the Directory on Popular Piety and the Liturgy, issued by the Holy See in December 2001, describes the Church's traditional dedication of Saturday to the Virgin Mary.

The chapter describes the importance of Mary, the mother of Jesus, in Catholic devotional life, including the Liturgy, and includes reflections on popular devotions to Mary, her feast days, and the Rosary.

Saturdays stand out among those days dedicated to the Virgin Mary.

These are designated as memorials of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

This memorial derives from Carolingian times (ninth century), but the reasons for having chosen Saturday for its observance are unknown.

While many explanations have been advanced to explain this choice, none is completely satisfactory from the point of view of the history of popular piety.

The complete document may be found on the Vatican website:
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