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14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 6th 2008
Vigil 5.30 pm Winifred White

9. 00 am For our Parish family 1030 am Eric Brent

Monday 9.00 am Morning prayer & Mass
Tuesday 9.00 am Eucharistic Service
Wednesday 9.00 am Morning prayer & Mass
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Saturday Vigil 5.30 pm Henry Jakubiszyn

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FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS.

Lord, send Your Spirit on all who are distressed: for those who have lost family and cannot find them. We pray for Claudina Rodrigues, Eugenie Micotti, Alison & Betty Gosling, Ena Wilson, Marguerite Brosnan, Patrick Cafferkey, Pat Sullivan, Jack Daly, Joseph Bradley, Alan Tillotson, Ron Stephenson, Ray Dellow and Margaret Compton

Bring them Your healing and peace.

FOR THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH FAMILY

We pray for Winifred White, Mike Brazil and all who died recently, for all killed in wars, disasters and accidents. For victims of terrorism and oppression; for those who die of starvation or neglect. We also remember Margaret Mather , Maggie Carroll, Michael Werkalec, Chris Tynan, Helen Coyle, Jerry Ferris, Andrzej Jakubiszyn, Michael & Julia Keogh, Maria O'Shea, Jack Coyle, Martin Dougan, Christopher & Alf Wade and Charley & Mary Smith, whose anniversaries fall at this time of the year.

May they find rest in Your Love and Peace.

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PARISH CENSUS.

Thank you all for your co-operation last week-end. There may well be some of you who missed out on this little exercise, so I have the Parish Address Book in order to verify the details you gave us some time ago, concerning address and telephone number and e-mail. We need correct information, so that when we send out the cards for Christmas and Easter we know they are going to the correct address. This is all very confidential: your details will not be divulged to anyone else. We are checking that the information we have for you is correct. Thank you.

CHURCH NOTICE-BOARD

A new outside notice-board should be with us very soon. It will be placed on the right-hand side of the church and will have a small "slot" into which the week's bulletin can be placed. This will ensure that all the necessary information about the parish and its activities can be seen by visitors or anyone making enquiries.

BRONZE PLAQUE

On the left-hand side of the outside wall there is a bronze plaque with the Papal coat of arms on it. I think that this should be given a make-over and then perhaps placed back on that same wall, but underneath the white lettering.

PAINTING

The painter phoned to say that he hopes to begin painting the outside of the church this week - weather permitting. He will paint all the outside A-frame pillars, the front doors, the white cross above the doors and the wood on which the cross is fixed. It would be lovely to think that it could all be finished by next week-end……………..

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POINTS TO PONDER

"God won't ask what car you drove, but He may ask how many people you helped get where they needed to be.
He won't ask the square footage of your house, but may ask how many people you made welcome.
He won't ask about the clothes you had in your closet, but may ask how many you helped to clothe.
He won't ask how many friends you had, but may ask to how many you were a friend.
He won't ask what neighbourhood you lived in, but may ask how you treated your neighbours."

"Don't go round saying the world owes you a living. The world owes you nothing. It was here first." Mark Twain

"The Lord's prayer is the prayer above all prayers, a prayer which the most high Master taught us, wherein are comprehended all spiritual and temporal blessings, and the strongest comforts in all trial, temptations and troubles, even in the hour of death" Martin Luther

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MAY WE ALL HAVE A PEACEFUL WEEK, Fr Chris