



# St. Michael's Bulletin



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22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 31st 2008

Vigil 5.30 pm Holy Souls

9. 00 am Tony Patrick R.I.P.	10.30 am Parish family
Monday 9.00 am Morning prayer & Mass	Tuesday 9.00 am Morning prayer & Mass
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Friday 9.00 am Morning prayer & Mass	<b>Saturday Vigil 5.30 pm</b> Rita Walter

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**FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS.**

Lord, send Your Spirit on all who are in any way 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, Bishop Peter Quinn, Mike Coulehan, Harry Littlefair and Ita Ryan.

**Bring them Your healing and peace.**

**FOR THE DECEASED MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH FAMILY**

We pray for 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 in our prayers Mother Teresa, Anthony Fajer, Yvonne Aubrier, Helen Newman, Margaret Aldworth, Sean Smyth, Cluade Buike, Michael Dobson, Ella Crabb, Victor Rahal and those whose anniversaries fall at this time of the year.

**May they find rest in Your Love and Peace.**

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**SAINT MICHAEL'S WEEKEND**

On our patronal feast at the end of September Fr David Keniry, who is in charge of the Diocesan centre for Evangelisation and Prayer, will be here with us from Friday 26<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> to lead us all in a mini-retreat. Fr David usually concentrates on the way each of us can live out the demands of Jesus Gospel in the ordinary events of our everyday lives. Try to invite a friend to come with you.

**PARISH GARDEN**

I hope to turn the top part of the parish garden at the south side of the church into a kind of 'wild' area. If you are splitting shrubs and bushes in your own gardens or have some seeds from some of your favourite flowers would you be prepared to pass them on to me so that we can begin planting them before winter sets in?

**OUR LADY OF CAVERSHAM**

Golden Jubilee Celebrations on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> September, when the Archbishop will celebrate Mass at 1000 am.

Marian Devotions will follow Mass. At 1230 there will be a Hog Roast followed by a Family Fun day.

You are all most welcome, there is no charge, but a donation for the decoration of the shrine would be welcomed.

For more information please see the notice on the board at the back of church.

**MY DAY BY DAY.**

The September issue of this booklet is now on sale at the back of church, £1.50 per copy.

**THE ORATORY CHURCH, OXFORD**

On Friday September 5<sup>th</sup> there will be a public lecture by an eminent Vatican theologian, Cassian Folsom, on the subject "Benedict XVI and Vatican II; continuity and the Council". The lecture begins at 8.00 pm, admission free. And to mark the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Year of Three Pope( 1978; PaulVI, John Paul I and John Paul II ) two films will be shown at the parish centre of the Oratory church in Oxford. On Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October at 2.00pm "The man who became Pope" and on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> October at 2.00 pm "The Pope who remained a man."

The 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the election of John Paul II is 16<sup>th</sup> October.

Please see the notices on the board for fuller details of these events.

**MALTA DAY**

"MALTA DAY 2008", takes place on Saturday September 13<sup>th</sup> at Westminster Cathedral hall, with a traditional Maltese fair from 1000 am until 2.00 pm. The notice on the board gives full details of the day's events.

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