



Diocesan Shrine & Parish of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St. Anselm

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MASSES THIS WEEK

Our Lady	Sunday	11 October	8.00am	Robert & Joan Flory (Foundation Mass)
St Anselm			9.15am	For the Parish
Our Lady			11.30am	Peter & Maureen King
Our Lady	Monday	12 October	7.00pm	Sheikh Abu Sulieman (Foundation Mass)
Our Lady	Wednesday	13 October	6.00pm	For the Sick
Our Lady	Saturday	17 October	10.00am	De Bless Family (Foundation Mass), followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 1pm.
Our Lady	Sunday	18 October	8.00am	Helena Indyk (Foundation Mass)
St Anselm			9.15am	Priest's intention
Our Lady			11.30am	For the Parish

OTHER EVENTS THIS WEEK

Our Lady	Tuesday	13 October	1.00pm	Parish Prayer Time.
St Anselm	Tuesday	13 October	7.00pm	Prayer Group
Our Lady	Thursday	15 October	7.00pm	Holy Hour with Chaplet and Novena.
Our Lady	Saturday	17 October	10.30am	Confessions after 10am Mass.

Prayer Advocates' Intention is to pray for all who are taking part in the Synod on Family Life

Last week's collections: Our Lady: £530.43: St. Anselm: £222.50: 2nd collection for CAFOD's Harvest 2015: £507.79. Next Sunday, 18th October, is World Mission Sunday and there will be a 2nd collection in aid of this.

World Mission Sunday is next Sunday, 18th October. World Mission Sunday is celebrated in every Catholic parish in the world. It is a special day in the year when we remember our own call to be missionaries. Our prayers and our donations to Missio (which is the Pope's own charity) on World Mission Sunday help the Church in countries that are poor to reach out to the vulnerable and those who are living in poverty. This year, the World Mission Sunday campaign focuses on Mongolia and the challenges which are faced by our youngest church in the world. Please take one of the envelopes at the back of the church to put your donation in and return it for the 2nd collection on Sunday 18th October.

Prisoners' Sunday is today and we are asked to remember all prisoners and their families in our prayers. Please take a flyer from the back of the church which gives information on how we can help those who are affected by imprisonment. Jesus Himself was a prisoner and tells us that if we visit anyone in prison, we are visiting Him.

Registration for First Communion and Confirmation. Please see Irena to collect a registration form for this. Please note that First Communicants must be in Yr. 3 or above and Confirmandi must be of secondary school age. The names will be passed on to Fr. Jerry and to the appropriate catechists.

Northampton Notre Dame Association. The next meeting is on Tuesday 13th October at St. Gregory's Church Rooms from 2.30pm-4.30pm when Shirley Allen will give a talk entitled "Watch Your Language". All are welcome.

An insight into the Encyclical Laudato Se. All are welcome to an evening where Linda Jones (CAFOD's Theology Programme Advisor) will be exploring this encyclical and our study guide for parishes. This will take place on Tuesday 13th October from 7.30pm-8.30pm (coffee/tea from 7pm) at St. John's Parish Centre, 296 Sundon Park Road, Sundon Park, Luton LU3 3AL

Exhibition of Icons The British Association of Iconographers is holding an exhibition entitled "Icons for Peace" from 14th – 16th October at the Church of St. Saviour, Pimlico, London SW1V 3QW. For further details, please access www.bai.org.uk

A Talk entitled "Where Catholicism is Headed: Five Trends that will affect your Parish, Ministry and Personal Faith" will be held at St. Gregory the Great RC Church Hall on Monday 9th November from 10am to 12 noon. It will be presented by Matthew Pinto, the Founder and President of Ascension Press (who produce the Great Adventure Bible Timeline and other resources). The talk is free but you must register. To do so, please see <https://ascension.churchcenteronline.com/registrations/events/6544>

Proclaim 15. Tomorrow (12th October) there will be an open meeting at St. Gregory's Church Hall for the Pastoral Area considering "Evangelisation of the parents seeking Baptism for their children." The objective is to share best practice in Baptism preparation and to consider how we might be offering a better preparation. The following week there will be a further meeting to consider how we prepare couples for marriage with a view to evangelisation. Both meetings begin at 7.30pm with refreshments available from 7pm. While this is primarily for those who are currently engaged in these activities, anyone who is interested would be very welcome.

Website version of the newsletter. This is now back on line.

Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom: Week 5: Monday 12th October: Session: Problems within; Persecutions without. Please read Acts 4:32-5, 5:42.