



The Sacred Heart

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Diocesan Shrine,
Our Lady of
Perpetual Succour
& St Anselm

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Northampton, Registered Charity Number
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Sacred Heart Mass Times:

Saturday: 5.30pm
Sunday: 10.30am
Weekdays: 9.30am followed
by Rosary
Holy Days: 9.30am

Our Lady Mass Times:

Sunday: 9.15am

St Anselm Mass Times:

Sunday: 8.00am
Weekdays
and Holy Days: as advertised

Sacred Heart Diary:

Adoration: Mon 10am-5pm
Sat 10am-2pm
Confession: Sat 4.30pm – 5.15pm
Children's Liturgy: Sunday during
10.30am Mass

Our Lady & St Anselm Diary:

Our Lady:
Prayer at The Shrine
Rosary & Exposition: Weds 2pm
Novena: Thurs 1-2pm
Exposition: Sat 10.30am-12pm
St Anselm:
Prayer Group
& Exposition: Tues 7pm

Masses & Services 3rd/4th August 2019
18th Sunday of the Year

Saturday	5.30pm (Sacred Heart)	Eddie Farmer R.I.P.
Sunday 4 th	8.00am (St Anselm) 9.15am (Our Lady) 10.30am (Sacred Heart)	For the parish Charles & Teresa Padbury (Foundation Mass) For the parish
Monday	9.30am (Sacred Heart) 7.00pm (Our Lady)	Patsy Dobson (in hospital) No 7pm mass today
Tuesday	9.30am (Sacred Heart) 7.00pm (Our Lady)	Priest's intentions Evelyn Dukhie RIP
Wednesday	9.30am (Sacred Heart) 5.00pm (Sacred Heart) 7.00pm (Our Lady)	Eddie Farmer RIP Reception of Eddie Farmer R.I.P. For the sick
Thursday	11.00am (Sacred Heart)	Funeral of Eddie Farmer R.I.P.
Friday	9.30am (Sacred Heart)	Hilary & David Helm (Golden Wedding)
Saturday	10.00am (Our Lady) 5.30pm (Sacred Heart)	Ivane Damiem Bryan & Exposition Mark Cooke RIP
Sunday 11 th August	8.00am (St Anselm) 9.15am (Our Lady) 10.30am (Sacred Heart)	For the parish Jan & Anastazja Wieliczko (Foundation Mass) Hilary & David Helm (Golden Wedding Anniversary)

Feastdays: Tuesday – Transfiguration of the Lord, Thursday – St Dominic, Friday – St Benedicta of the Cross, Saturday – St Lawrence

Anniversaries: Albert Veldman, Margaret Craffy, James Molinary, Thomas McDonald, Ann Culhane, Francis Duffy, Norah Matthews, Francis Rooney, Andrew Travill, John Rigel, Margaret Bunting, Darren Teirney, Charles Bliss, Victor de Banke, Ellen McKie, Hilda Osborne. R.I.P.

Please pray for all our sick: Rachel Crane, Philomene Crizzle, Vicki Plant, Joan Kelly, Patricia Harris, Neal Peckham, Pam Boshell, Margaret Whitlock, Stan Everitt, Victor Stapleton, Sheryl Haynes, Edwina Julie, Isobel McArthur, Sarah Robinson, Leo Bell, Kath Scholtz, Mary Stanton, Tony Southwell, Jasmine Cross, Petra Barreau, Deirdre Donovan, Tony Bull, Teresa Brown, Laura Sheehy, Audrey Glover and Thomas Slaven.

Gillian Brockway, Mary Percival, Felicidade Hatcher, Betty Picknell, Sonia Borucki, Dennis Williams, Bernard Johnson, baby Ellis, Angela Kingsley, Pat & Jerry Green, Tessa Toolaram, Mary Huntley, Anne-Marie Cox, Ann Kelk and Lisa O'Connor.

Pope Francis' Special Intention. August: That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth".

Next Week's Liturgy of the Word: Wisdom 18:6-9, PS. 32:1.12.18-20.22.R.v12, Hebrews 11:1-2.8-19, Luke 12:32-48.

Last week's collection: Sacred Heart: £428.93 (and £475 from standing orders)
2nd Collection for St Patrick's Mission Society: £676.95
Our Lady: £284.80 **St Anselm:** £228.00 (and £85 from standing orders)
2nd Collection for St Patrick's Missionary Society: St Anselm: £136.00

Sacred Heart Readers and Eucharistic Ministers for next week:

Saturday 10th August 5.30pm **Sunday 11th August 10.30am**
Readers: C Chaplin Sleet/Merriman team
Eucharistic Ministers: Alice S Watts

Sacred Heart Tea & Coffee after Mass: There will be tea and coffee after 10.30am Mass today. Please note: no refreshments during the month of August however normal service will resume on Sunday 1st September.

Eddie Farmer R.I.P. The mortal remains of Eddie Farmer will be received into Sacred Heart Church on Wednesday 7th August at 5pm. His funeral will be on Thursday 8th August at 11am.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR:

Theme: 'Watch and be on your guard against Avarice (greed) of any kind.....'

Jesus warn his followers against the dangers of greed, which can lead us to misplace our trust. The Church reminds us of the tenth commandment, which forbids greed and the desire to amass earthly goods without limit. (CCC#2536). We usually seek wealth and riches for security, but Jesus warns us against the excessive desire for material wealth. This desire would not only let us down but will also lead us to get our priorities wrong.

In the parable of the rich farmer, Jesus depicts a man who thinks that life is all about riches. Once he has more than enough, he thinks that his life is complete and he has nothing more to worry about. He places his trust in his wealth to make him happy. His wealth leads him to think that life is nothing more than eating and drinking and being comfortable with material goods. His wealth made him forget about his responsibilities to his neighbour and to God.

We often have our priorities wrong when we perceive our jobs, our status or our money as more important than our family, our friends and our relationship with God. Although we need money for the essentials of life, acquiring money is not the essence of life. In the hustle and bustle of life, it is very easy for us to get our priorities in life wrong – thinking in terms of what looks good, what appears attractive on the surface.

Life is far richer than material things. Let us love people and use things.

Our Lady's & St Anselm First Holy Communion 2019/20. The registration forms will be available throughout September. There will then be a welcome meeting late September/early October (date to be confirmed). If you have any questions, contact Lorraine in the parish office.

Sacred Heart First Holy Communion 2019/20. Please note that registration for First Holy Communion will be after 10.30am Masses on 8th and 15th September 2019. This will be for children in year 3 and above. To avoid overcrowding, numbers will be limited and so it will be on a first come, first served basis.

CAFOD at Sacred Heart - Contributions from envelopes from 11/5 – 14/7 amounted to £311, of which £90 was gift aided, giving another £22.50. We are now supporting a new project. In over 50 years of conflict in Columbia more than 280,000 people have been killed, many of these children. People living in the Magdalena Medio region are tired of being caught between government forces, guerrillas and paramilitaries. Working with our local partner PDP (Programa de Desarrollo y Paz – Peace and Development Programme), and with your regular support, people living in this region plan to educate and empower young people to resolve conflict peacefully. For more details and updates please see the CAFOD board in the porch.

Vision 20/20. As the summer holidays are here, The Youth Group will next meet in September (dates to be confirmed). Special thanks to Patricia, Estelle, Anna and Beth for all their help and support. We continue to pray for all our young people.

Sacred Heart pilgrimage to Lourdes. 23rd-30th August 2019. There are still some places available. We would love to have you with us! If you are interested in joining us on this fun and faith filled pilgrimage, please do see Wendy for a booking form.

Sacred Heart Wheelchairs – The parish wheelchairs have now been serviced ready for the parish pilgrimage to Lourdes. This means that they are not available for use until after the group returns on 30th August.

Lourdes Candle and intentions. Our Lourdes candle is now up in the porch ready to receive your intentions for Lourdes! Each petition is £2 and the money goes towards the purchase of a large candle. While in Lourdes we will hold a ceremony (livestreamed on the Facebook page) where the candle is blessed and all the names and intentions are read out. Please do add your intentions so you can travel with us to Lourdes in this special way.

Sacred Heart Children's Liturgy of the Word. We will look forward to welcoming the children back in September. We hope you all have a great summer break!

Mass for Victims & Survivors of Abuse, their families and supporters. At St Mary's in Woburn Sands at 12 noon on 12th October 2019. All victims and survivors of abuse, their families and supporters are invited to this Mass. There will be light refreshments after the Mass.

Individual Meetings for victims and survivors of abuse with Bishop Peter. Bishop Peter is offering to meet with victims & survivors, families & supporters on a bimonthly basis. For more details or to book a meeting with the Bishop, contact the safeguarding office on 01604 723514.

Prayer for a new Bishop. This will be said together with the bidding prayers during Mass:

Lord God you are our eternal shepherd and guide. In your mercy grant your Church of Northampton a shepherd who will walk in your ways and whose watchful care will bring us your blessing.

Lord, bless us with the fullness of your love. Give us the joy of having a shepherd to lead your Church of Northampton who will be pleasing and acceptable to you.

Lord, in your love for us, give us the joy of receiving a shepherd who will be an example of goodness to your people and will fill our hearts and minds with the truth of the gospel.

Mary Immaculate – Pray for us. St Thomas of Canterbury – Pray for us.