

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

13TH JULY 2025: Mass Time

Sunday 13 TH JULY	11:00 AM	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Cath and Jerry Darragh +
Tuesday 15 TH JULY	9:30 AM	MEMORIAL OF SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH	Tony Williams +
Sunday 20 TH JULY	11:00 AM	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Czeslawa and Bernard (Godparents) INT



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Please feel free to contact Fr. Nnam Di Obi to arrange confession

If Father Obi is not available and a priest is required urgently, please call:
St. Mary's: 01793 535089/ Holy Rood: 01793 522062/St. Peter's: 01793871167

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St Joseph's Catholic Church, Wroughton

We welcome visitors and anyone who is visiting us for the first time.

We pray for God's special blessing on you.

We wish you a very Happy and Holy worship with us.



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Readings	:	Sunday Mass Cycle C: Ordinary Time Week 15 Year 1.
Eucharistic Prayer	:	Psalter 3 (or at Priest Choice)
Entrance Antiphon	:	As for me, in justice I shall behold your face; I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.
First Reading	:	Deuteronomy 30:10-14
Psalm Response	:	Seek God, you who are poor, and your hearts will revive.
Second Reading	:	Colossians 1:15-20
Gospel Acclamation	:	Alleluia, alleluia. Your words, O Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.
Gospel	:	Luke 10:25-37
Communion Antiphon	:	The sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for her young: by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God. Blessed are they who dwell in your house, forever singing your praise.

THIS SUNDAY'S READINGS

1st Reading

The word is very near you, so that you can do it.

2nd Reading

All things were created through him and for him.

Gospel

Who is my neighbour?

Orderliness makes life a little less stressful. It takes good leadership and followership to manage the chaos when it does happen.

If Moses had a unique leadership skill, it would have been his constant encouragement of the people to listen to the one and only trustworthy voice of order - the Lord God.

But this law he says is not far from us. It is in our hearts and minds and on our lips.

St Paul acknowledges God's closeness to us in the person of Jesus Christ – the true image of the unseen God.

In the Gospel, Jesus explains the practical observance of God's law in the love of God and our neighbour.

But who is my neighbour? What do they look like? What's their religion? What's their status? What's their address and postcode? According to the story of the good Samaritan, my neighbour is anyone in need of my love and compassion.

SECOND COLLECTION: 13th JULY – STELLA MARIS (SEA SUNDAY)

The Catholic Church's maritime charity—invites parishes and communities to pray for those who work at sea and to support the charity's work providing practical, pastoral and spiritual support to seafarers, fishers and their families in ports across the world.

This Sea Sunday, the Church gives thanks for the indispensable role seafarers and fishers play in all our lives and prays for their protection, health and peace of mind.

SAINT JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL COLLEGE , LAY CHAPLAIN VACANCY – Could you or someone you know have a calling to support the Catholic life and mission of our local secondary school? Saint Joseph's Catholic College, Swindon have an exciting vacancy for a Lay Chaplain effective to start from September 2025. The role is fulltime and during term times only, but we'll also consider candidates interested in parttime and flexible working options. Please see the Eteach link www.eteach.com/job/lay-chaplain-1498725 for the full recruitment pack or contact our HR team for further information at HR@stjosephscollege.net or by phone on (01793) 236053. We are happy to arrange an informal visit in advance of applications too. Deadline for applications is Monday 22nd September.

GLASTONBURY PILGRIMAGE: The annual Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Glastonbury, will take place on Sunday 7th September. The theme for this year's Pilgrimage is "Mary, Woman of Hope." For more information there is a poster on the notice board.

THE BIBLE ALIVE: Our friendly Bible Alive group is meeting this Wednesday, 9th July at 2:30 PM in the Parish Room, and we'd love for you to join us. This week, we'll each be sharing a favourite Bible verse or psalm and saying a few words about why it's special to us. It's always encouraging to hear how God's Word speaks to different people — and who knows, you might come away with a new favourite verse of your own. Whether you'd like to share or simply listen, you'll be very welcome. **If you have any questions, feel free to contact Diana on 0781 394 0076.**

LAUDATO SI' : Laudato Si', Care for Our Common Home. Our new group is meeting today after Mass in the Coffee Room to get to know each other better and share a few ideas. You are welcome to join us. If you are interested, but can't stay, text **Brian on 07989 667106.**

DIOCESAN ANNUAL FORMATION DAY: The diocesan annual formation day will be held on the **11th October at St Brendan's College, Brislington**, with Mgr. John Armitage (Parish Priest, Former Rector of the National Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham and Master of the Guild of Our Lady of Ransom) as a keynote speaker. Anyone who has heard Mgr. John speak before knows what an inspiring and gifted priest and speaker he is. He will be reflecting on the theme of 'Being an Evangelist: the tools required to be a joyful witness of Jesus'. In addition, there will be several workshop options for people to attend. There will be more information in the Autumn but please put the date in your diary.

TEA & COFFEE : Tea & Coffee will be served in the Parish Hall after mass on Sundays and Tuesdays.

PARKING: At busy times, such as Sunday Mass, do consider parking in the free public car park in the Ellendune Centre, when the Church car park is full. Please keep the roads and pavements near the Church clear and avoid blocking people's residence and shops.

PARISH ACCOUNT DETAILS

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Anniversaries: *We pray for the dead, and those who have died recently and all whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.*

Diocesan Prayer Link: *Our Lady & St Alphege, Bath/ St Joseph, Peasedown St John*

Pope's Message: Pope Leo XIV urges all catechists to renew their desire to evangelise and share the Gospel with fresh enthusiasm. He also reminds us that peace is a fundamental right for every person and nation. Let us be true messengers of faith and peace.