ST GEORGE, BICKLEY NEWSLETTER 7th JULY 2024

14th SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME/ 6th AFTER TRINITY

TODAY AT 12.30 we baptize Laila Waite and Jude Regan. Please pray for them and their families.

PLEASE PRAY FOR FR JOSHUA POLLARD to be ordained priest at St Alban's, South Norwood at 5pm today by the bishop of Fulham. He will celebrate his First Mass tomorrow at 7pm. Fr Henry will be going, if you'd like a lift.

SUMMER CONCERT IN AID OF WELCARE IN BROMLEY Wednesday 17th July at 8pm at Christchurch URC in Tudor Way, Petts Wood, BR5 1QE. The Newstead Singers, with Alfie Beston on saxophone. Admission by programme £8.

THE DEDICATION FESTIVAL, when we celebrate the anniversary of the consecration of St George's, will be on Sunday 21st. The Bishop of Rochester will be the preacher at the 10.30 Mass. There will be a bring and share lunch afterwards, so please bring cold finger food and leave it in the hall before the Mass. There is a list at the back of church for you to indicate what you will bring.

WE NEED CLEANERS! Please can you join the Friday morning cleaning group? It is very sociable, and the more people we have the easier it is. We have coffee after the 9.30 Mass and then clean. If you can just offer half an hour once a month it would help. Please speak to Barbara Gregory.

THE PARISH PILGRIMAGE to the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham begins on Friday. Please pray for the participants, and if you want prayers said at the shrine, please speak to Fr Henry.

CONFIRMATION is the normal mark of full membership of the Church, by which we are admitted to Communion. Preparation will start soon. We shall have a confirmation service here in the autumn, so if you don't currently receive Communion, but would like to, please speak to Fr Henry.

PLEASE ADVISE FR HENRY of any changes to the sick list.

SERVICE TIMES THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 9th 9.30 Mass *Hoses 8; 4-7, 11-13. Matthew 9; 32-38.*

Wednesday 10th 9.30 Mass Hosea 10; 1-3, 7-8, 12. Matthew 10; 1-7.

Thursday 11th 9.30 Mass (ST BENEDICT)

Proverbs 2; 1-9. Matthew 19; 27-29.

1.30pm St George's School Leavers' Service.

Friday 12th 9.30 Mass *Hosea 14; 2-10. Matthew 10; 16-23.*

Saturday 13th 9.30 Mass & Rosary (St Henry) *Isaiah 6; 1-8. Matthew 10; 24-33.*

NEXT SUNDAY: Fifteenth of the Year (Trinity 7)
8.00 Low Mass (traditional rite)
10.30 Sung Mass with Children's Church

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

THOSE IN NEED: HM The King, The Princess of Wales, Derek Attwell, Janet Aves, Ted Bennett, Sylvia Braybrooke, Ron Carpenter, Julie Couldridge, Linda Courquin, Beatrice Dadson, Stephen Dakin, Sandra Donohue, James Dowling, Roger Edwards, Stuart Esk, Barry Foskett, Jan Good, Antonia Gowers, Elaine Greasley, Alison Hadfield, Mary Huggins, Tim Hydes, Catherine Jones, Ralph Jones, Marie Kerrigan, Esther Knight, Elsie Neill, Pauline & Mervyn Norris, Nelly Oakeshott, Lee Ramsey, Lyn Ramsey, Scott Ramsey, Shannon Sheridan, Jenny Smith, Rosemary Spear, Michael Turner, Joan Turpin, Elaine Warner & family, Ann-Louise Whittaker, Laila Williams, Anne, Dan & Jess, Ingrid & Jeremy.

RECENTLY DEPARTED: Matija Sarkic, Peter Ernst, Susan Howkins, Lili Holmes.

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