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Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Sea Sunday)

13th July 2008

This week in St. Joseph's Parish

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| Sunday | 9.00 a.m. | Sunday mass – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time |
| Monday | 9.15 a.m. | Morning prayer from the Divine Office |
| | 7.00 p.m. | Mass – St. Camillus de Lellis, priest. Patron of healthcare workers. |
| Tuesday | 9.00 a.m. | Mass – St. Bonaventure, bishop and doctor. Born in Italy in 1218. |
| Wednesday | 9.15 a.m. | Parish mass in school (the Crossroads Mass for Year 6 leavers) |
| | 7.00 p.m. | Mass at St. Bede's School for the retirement of the Head, Mr. Challoner |
| | 7.00 p.m. | Bible study group |
| Thursday | 9.00 a.m. | Mass |
| Friday | 9.00 a.m. | Mass |
| Saturday | 10.00 a.m. | Mass, followed by confessions |
| | 6.15 p.m. | Vigil mass for Sunday |
| Sunday | 9.00 a.m. | Sunday mass – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time |

Sea Sunday collection today

The Apostleship of the Sea cares for those who live and work at sea, and addresses their pastoral and practical needs through port chaplains, ship visitors and seafarer centres. There will be a second collection today to support this work.

Readers

If you are a reader at mass and have not yet added your name to the list in the sacristy, please do so as soon as possible. New readers are most welcome. The new rota starts next week.

200 Club numbers available

A few numbers have now become available at a cost of £1 per week. If you are interested, please contact Alec or Margaret on 772365.

Pilgrimage to Rome – 2009

Sunday, 24th May – Friday, 29th May 2009

Prices are £559 for a double/twin room and £684 for a single, including return flights from Manchester to Rome, coaches, bed and breakfast, full day excursion and travel insurance. Booking forms are available from Father J. C. Wright, Holy Infant Presbytery, Baxendale Street, Astley Bridge, Bolton BL1 6QH (telephone: 01204 303871). Further details on the notice board.

Mass intentions received

Lately dead: Mary Easton

Anniversaries: Joseph Culshaw, Peter Holden

Birthday remembrance: Winnie Foster – 2 masses, Eileen Mears, Julia Kay (12th July)

Sick: Tom

Other intentions: Annie Grime, Gail Heys – 2 masses, the Yates family – 5 masses, thanksgiving for blessings received, sick relatives and friends, Brenda, Hilda and Clive – 2 masses, Margaret Lupton, thanksgiving to the holy family, St. Anthony and St. Jude, St. Martin, for a good interview, Our Lady of good remedy, for good results in exams, faithful departed – 2 masses, Julia Doran, Terry Harwood

The Angelus

At St. Joseph's we ring the angelus at noon and 6 p.m. every day. The idea of interrupting whatever we are doing at regular times of the day to say the angelus is to remind us that the whole of our lives should be part of this movement with Christ from birth, through life and death into eternal life with God. It's what we are made for.

***The angel of the Lord declared to Mary.
And she conceived by the Holy Spirit. Hail, Mary...***

***"Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
Be it done unto me according to thy word." Hail, Mary...***

***The Word was made flesh,
And dwelt among us. Hail, Mary...***

***Pray for us, O holy Mother of God,
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.***



Let us pray: Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ, thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by his passion and cross, be brought to the glory of His resurrection, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

... and don't forget...

Charity shop, 14th-20th September. To volunteer for sorting items or serving in the shop, please sign the list at the back of church.

Last week's collections

Offertory collection £595.29

Thank you

200 Club winners

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| 1 st prize | £40 | 15 | A. M. Byrne |
| 2 nd prize | £10 | 75 | David Buckham |
| 3 rd prize | £5 | 199 | Lillian Holden |

***There are unclaimed prizes for numbers
39 (C. Upton) and 60 (P. Wardle).***

Ministries

| | This week | | Next week | |
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| | Saturday | Sunday | Saturday | Sunday |
| Reader | B. Hughes | D. Beaton | A. Barker | A. Thompson D. Jarrett |
| Eucharistic Ministers | P. Wardle M. Saynor T. McIver R. Knowles A. Barker | D. Jarrett M. Alvarez J. Briggs R. Massey D. Forbes | A. Gibbs P. Ainscough K. Hine P. Wardle M. Saynor | A. Gordon D. Beaton G. Brindle D. Jarrett M. Alvarez |