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Saturday, 9th July 2022

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR C

1800hrs Mass Intention: Veterans Associations

Entrance Hymn: 831

Offertory Hymn: 926

Communion Hymn: 659

Recessional Hymn: 721

Kyrie: Said

Gloria: Said

Sanctus: Said

Acclamation: Said

Great Amen: Said

Agnus Dei: Said

The obligation for the faithful to attend Holy Mass on a Sunday or Holy Day of Obligation has been reinstated. Pastoral consideration for the vulnerable and those isolating is imperative and appropriate dispensations remain in place for them.

WELCOME EVERYONE

Please observe sensible precautions when entering and leaving the Cathedral by sanitising your hands. Face coverings are no longer mandatory, but may be worn as a matter of personal choice.

For our celebration today you will require a Mass Sheet, a hymn book and a copy of any Mass Settings that we are using, all of which are available from the Welcome Team.

The children will go to their liturgy with the Catechetical Team following the introduction to the Mass and return at the offertory. After Mass refreshments are served at the back of the Cathedral.

MINISTRIES TODAY

Welcome Team: Mrs P Brooks; Mrs O Beattie

Readers: Mrs S Cole; Mrs N Francis-Crerar

Children's Liturgy Lead: Mrs R Nash

THIS WEEK

The Cathedral is open every working day from 1000hrs - 1600hrs

Mon 11th July: *St Benedict, abbot*

Tue 12th July: *Feria of Ordinary Time, Week 15, Year II*

Wed 13th July: *St Henry*

1145hrs – Midday Prayer (Psalter Week III)

1200hrs – Holy Mass (Zoom available)

School leavers

Thu 14th July: *St Camillus de Lellis, priest*

Fri 15th July: *St Bonaventure, bishop, doctor*

1400hrs – Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

1545hrs – Holy Communion Outside of Mass

Sat 16th July: *Our Lady of Mount Carmel*

1100hrs – Holy Baptism: **Jemima Critien**

NEXT SUNDAY

Welcome Team: Mrs M Allen; Mrs L Orme

Readers: Mr T Banda; Mrs J White

Children's Liturgy Lead: Ms D Underwood

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Please keep the military personnel of our Armed Forces, together with their families and support staff in your personal intercessions.

HONOURING SERVICE

Tomorrow Sunday, 10th July the RASC/RCT Association annual service will take place in the Cathedral at 1100hrs. Two new Branch standards will be dedicated and two Branch standards of groups that have closed will be laid-up. Everyone who wishes to be present will be most welcome.

LIVESTREAMING LITURGIES

Saturday's Mass Invitation Zoom details – ID: 858 9068 4625

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85890684625?pwd=FxAYAy8gW6gBhdkqyq8sMXOo1T0qJJ.1> Passcode: 420631

Sunday's Services Invitation Zoom details – ID: 833 7234 0742

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83372340742?pwd=tCPswL5jo6CoqMJtXbcSokZIJ7011O.1> Passcode: 341283

Wednesday's Mass Invitation Zoom details – ID: 837 3053 2569

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83730532569?pwd=bkzJkx8TjgCZoH-LfIBcVqpMBHk_dQ.1 Passcode: 425592

WEEKEND COMMEMORATION

Tomorrow is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them, we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. The day's retiring collection is for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea), the Catholic Church's official maritime welfare agency, supporting seafarers both practically and spiritually. Donations may also be made by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to give £5 and further information about the organisation is available at: www.stellamaris.org.uk For an appeal talk from Bishop Paul, and a video showing what Stella Maris does, go to: www.stellamaris.org.uk/SeaSunday

CELEBRATING FAITH

Tomorrow Sunday, 10th July we will welcome the family and friends of Louis Michel Addai Richard Amechi Badu-Boateng at 1300hrs as we seek to inaugurate him into membership of the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism. The Zoom details will be the same as for the RASC/RCT Annual Service given above.

PAPAL PRODUCTION

Pope Francis has released his prayer intention for the month of July, and urges everyone to pray for the elderly, so that they may be 'teachers of tenderness'. As the Church gears up to celebrate the Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly on Friday, 24th July, the Holy Father is calling on Catholics to pray throughout the month for the elderly. The full text of his comments are on the noticeboard and Bishopric website, while the video is available at: www.youtube.com/watch?v=grvXTu-A8o

AND FINALLY ...

... how glorious it would be to be able to dream of a better tomorrow, where chickens can cross the road and not be questioned about their motives.

With every blessing
Fr Nick