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God's grace is enough.

We are called to proclaim the kingdom of God to all people in every situation in which we find ourselves. Whether they listen or not, we are still to live out our lives to the full in witness to God's Spirit that has been given to us. Jesus was himself rejected by his own people in his home town, so we can expect rejection too. God's power is at its best in our weakness

Readings *Sundays Year B ~ Ordinary Time ~ Psalms Week 2*
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time
8th July 2018

Entrance Antiphon	<i>Your merciful love, O God, we have received in the midst of your temple. Your praise, O God, like your name, reaches the ends of the earth; your right hand is filled with saving justice.</i>	
First Reading	<i>The sons are defiant and obstinate and they shall know that there is a prophet among them.</i>	<i>Ezekiel 2:2-5</i>
Responsorial Psalm	<i>Our eyes are on the Lord till he shows us his mercy.</i>	<i>Psalm 122</i>
Second Reading	<i>I shall be very happy to make my weaknesses my special boast so that the power of Christ may stay over me.</i>	<i>2 Corinthians 12:7-10</i>
Gospel Acclamation	<i>Alleluia, alleluia! The Word was made flesh and lived among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God. Alleluia!</i>	
Gospel	<i>A prophet is despised only in his own country.</i>	<i>Mark 6:1-6</i>

Mass Times and Intentions

Saturday	7th July		6:00 pm	Parishioners
Sunday	8th July	14th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.30am	Rosemary Sheen R.I.P.
Monday	9th July	<i>Feria</i>	9.15am	Dorothy Rose R.I.P.
Tuesday	10th July	<i>Feria</i>		No Mass
Wednesday	11th July	<i>St Benedict</i>	7:00pm	Holy Souls
Thursday	12th July	<i>Feria</i>	10.00am	Peter Derricourt R.I.P.
Friday	13th July	<i>Feria</i>	9.15am	Mass in school
Saturday	14th July	<i>Feria</i>	10.00am	Personal Intention
Saturday	14th July		6:00 pm	Colin Smith R.I.P.
Sunday	15th July	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.30am	Parishioners

Morning or Evening Prayer will be said 15 minutes before all weekday Masses.
 The Prayer Group meets every 'term time' Tuesday morning at 10am in the Garden Room
 Confessions are before Mass on Wednesday 6.00-6.30 pm and Saturday at 10.30-11.00am

Sick and Housebound – Please pray for Michele Bendall

Faithful Departed – please pray for Edward Gunton, Gertie Flatman, Rosemary Sheen, Kathleen Ansbro, Karel Nitsche, Bridget Joyce, Patrick Healy, Bishop Michael Evans, Giuseppina Ward, Colin Smith, Florence Gunton, Daphne Youngman, Mary Chapman, Stanislaus Scrutton, Evelyn Howes, Dorothy Sillett, William Lowe, Winifred McGuire and all whose anniversaries occur around this time.

The loveliest masterpiece of the heart of God is the heart of a mother.

St Therese of Lisieux

Sick List: Postcard-size slips are available in the porch for submitting details of those who would like to be on the sick list in the newsletter.

Youth Survey: If you have forgotten to return the survey form given out to young people last weekend, they can be dropped through the letterbox at the presbytery or handed to Fr David.

DVD/Discussion Evenings: The last of this year's sessions takes place in the Garden Room at 7.00pm on Thursday of this week, July 12th.

Parish Barbecue: This annual event takes place after the morning Mass on Sunday July 15th. All are welcome to attend. Food will be served from 12.00. Please bring your own drinks and if you wish, please bring a salad or dessert to share.

Saturday July 21st: Tea and coffee will be available in the Garden Room after the evening Mass.

Thursday July 12th: Please note that the morning Mass on this day will be at 10.00am (not 9.15). It will be celebrated by Fr Gervase from Douai Abbey.

Benedictine Meeting is on Thursday 12th July in the Garden Room from 10.00 – 15.00, starting with Mass at 10.00am.

The UCM meeting is on Tuesday 10th July at 10.45am in the Garden Room with a talk on the Titanic by Francesca Woodyard.

Recycled newspapers/magazines: We have received £91.91 for the recycled newspapers/magazines. The money will be donated to the Christina Thomas fund.

To mark the 480th Anniversary of the Dissolution of Walsingham Priory there is to be a Lecture given by Fr Michael Rear in the Church of the Annunciation, Walsingham, at 2pm on Saturday 4th August - 'Walsingham's Darkest Hour: The King's pleasure is that the Priory of Walsingham shall be dissolved' - followed by Vespers for the Feast of the Compassion of Our Lady from the 15th century Walsingham Breviary sung in the Abbey Grounds at 3:30pm.

Divine Office: Morning or Evening Prayer from the Divine Office is usually said fifteen minutes before weekday Masses. We use the black books on the bookcase at the back of church and the page number(s) will be on the hymn board. The words for the Benedictus and Magnificat are on the inside back cover of the book. If the board says 'sheet' you will find this attached two or three pages from the back of the book. If coming to weekday Mass, do come a little early and join us in this great prayer of the Church.

General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR): To ensure that we comply fully with these new regulations, which came into effect on May 25th, the Diocese has asked that every parishioner, 16 and over, complete one of the forms left in the porch.

Collections: 30th June /1st July £812.50
Many thanks

Coffee mornings: Just wanted to say a big thank you for all the support we have had with the Monday coffee mornings. We have now donated £500 to e.a.c.h and we are sponsoring a "pave the path brick with St. Walstan R.C. engraved on it. The brick will be lining the garden path in the new hospice, "The Nook". Thank you again. Honor.

Baptism Class: The next session for parents wishing to have their children baptised will take place in the Presbytery (behind the church) from 3.30 to 4.30pm on Saturday July 21st. Further details from Fr David or Deacon Bill.

National Grandparents Pilgrimage: Sunday 22nd July 2018, Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. Everybody welcome to honour & thank Grandparents alive & dead for all they have done for us down through the ages. A day of Faith and Fun for all the family.

The Norwich fraternity of the Secular Franciscan Order invite you to join a Norwich Pilgrimage Walk on Sunday July 22nd at the Catholic Cathedral with a 'bring your own' picnic lunch at 12.30 in the Narthex garden, we will start walking at 13.30 from the Narthex to Mother Julian's shrine, have a time of prayer and a short talk, and then continue on to the Anglican Cathedral for evensong followed by tea in the Hostry.

Journey in Faith: Anyone who is interested in finding out more about joining the Catholic Church is invited to an informal meeting in the Presbytery (behind the church) at 7.30pm on Wednesday July 11th. If you would like to know more, please speak to Fr David.

Diocesan Summer Camp for children ages 8-14, Friday August 24th-Monday 27th, at Moreton Hall School, Bury St Edmunds. Further details on www.facebook.com/diocesansummercamps Fr David has booking forms.

School Masses – Summer Term 2018
13th July, 20th July

All items for the newsletter may be left at the presbytery (marked clearly "for newsletter" along with the date, and your name), or email newsletter@stwalstans.com. For all forms of communication, please provide a telephone number on which you can be contacted. The deadline for items to be included in the newsletter is Wednesday 6pm