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Please contact Fr Philip through the relevant Parish Office; thank you.

[St Michael's Hall Hire: Do you know a group who would like to hire our Hall?](#)

[If so please contact 01666 502854 for further details.](#)

ASSUMPTION-TIDE SUMMER BARBEQUE FOR BOTH PARISHES

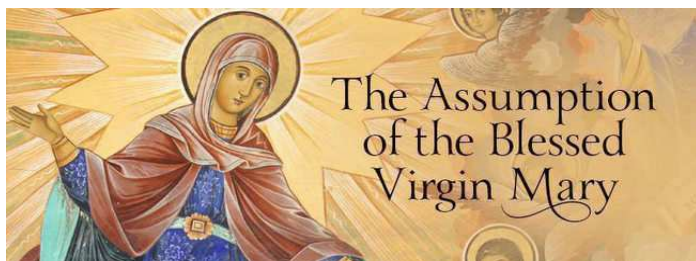
Sunday 14th August; Solemnity of The Assumption of Our Blessed Virgin Mary. PARISHES JOINT SUMMER BBQ, FROM NOON. Please join us for a wonderful afternoon.

We will need offers of help to set up including erecting gazebos, clearing up and washing up., There is a list at the back of church for you to sign up; there is a list for names to include numbers of those that you are bringing with you, and a list for offers of salads and desserts. Most of all we need your support and help in making this an enjoyable afternoon. Thank you.

VOLUNTEERS TO SUPPORT PARISHIONERS LOCALLY

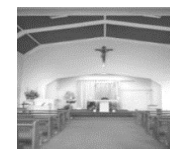
During Tetbury's synodal meetings earlier in the year, it was agreed that we would try to organise a small team of volunteers, who were willing to visit fellow parishioners in need of support. This might be during periods of loneliness, isolation, illness, and possibly emergencies, such trips to hospital or GPs. A meeting will be held at St Michael's with those interested to determine the scope of what is being offered, so that both volunteer and recipient are clear about what is expected. Volunteers will need Baseline Personal Security Standard (BPSS) vetting. Both men and women are encouraged to participate in this initiative. If you are interested in volunteering, please leave your full name, and telephone number on the list in the porch at the back of St Michael's.

ST PETER'S 100 CLUB: July Winners; £30 164; £20; 160; £10 28



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SUNDAY XIX 'THROUGH THE YEAR' – ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

Sat 6th Aug 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's (Stefan Palarz RIP)
Sun 7th Aug 9.00am Mass in St Michael's
11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)
1.00pm Baptism Marley Chambers
2.00pm Baptism Jimmy and Carolina Mcdonagh

WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Mon 8th Aug St Dominic
Fr PHILIP'S DAY OFF & PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tue 9th Aug ST THERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS, Co-patroness of Europe (Feast)
9.30am Mass in St Peter's

Wed 10th Aug ST LAWRENCE OF ROME (Feast)
10.00am Mass in St Michael's

Thu 11th Aug St Clare of Assisi
9.30am Mass in St Peter's (Sue and Frank Morgan RIP)

Fri 12th Aug St Jane Frances de Chantel
9.30am Mass in St Peter's
12.00 Noon Funeral Rite in St Peter's followed by burial at Chesterton Cemetery for Margaret 'Peggy' Hanafin

Sat 13th Aug Our Lady on Saturday
9.30am Mass in St Peter's



TRANSFERRED SOLEMNITY OF OUR LADY'S ASSUMPTION

Sat 13th Aug 6.00pm Mass in St Peter's
Sun 14th Aug 9.00am Mass in St Michael's
11.00am Mass in St Peter's (Pro Populo)
12.00 Noon JOINT PARISH BBQ

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILLATION: CONFESSIONS

In St Peters: Saturday 5.15pm to 5.45pm
In St Michaels: Wednesday 10.45am to 11.15am & by Appointment; please ring to arrange. Thank you

WELCOME We welcome Parishioners and visitors to this celebration of Mass.

MASS PROPERS

Entrance Antiphon Look to Your covenant, O Lord, and forget not the life of Your poor ones for ever. Arise, O God, and defend Your cause, and forget not the cries of those who seek You.

First Reading Wisdom 18:6-9 *You made us glorious by calling us to you*

Responsorial Psalm Happy are the people the Lord has chosen as His own.

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19 *Abraham looked forward to a city founded, designed and built by God*

Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia! Blessed are You, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for revealing the mysteries of the kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

Holy Gospel. Luke 12:32-48 *You too must stand ready*

Communion Antiphon. O Jerusalem, glorify the Lord, who gives you your fill of finest wheat.

MARGARET 'PEGGY' HANAFIN RIP Please pray for Margaret (Peggy) Hanafin, who passed away recently; the details of her funeral are on Friday as noted on the front of this newsletter.

FOODBANK FOR CIRENCESTER, TETBURY AND FAIRFORD - HELPING LOCAL PEOPLE IN CRISIS

Cirencester Foodbank operates across the South Cotswolds, including Tetbury and surrounding areas, Supporting individuals and families. To access Foodbank Support, one needs to Obtain an online voucher. Referrals to the Foodbank are available from Citizens' Advice, P3, GP Surgeries, churches, schools, mental health teams, Social Services, Town and District Councils etc. Clients are contacted by the Foodbank to arrange delivery of a food parcel directly to their homes. In Tetbury, because of Covid, this arrangement replaces the previous Distribution Centre, though it is anticipated that a new support centre will open in the not-too-distant future. A food parcel contains enough food for a three-day period. Toiletries, cleaning materials, baby food, nappies and pet food are also available. The Foodbank's teams will signpost clients with additional needs to the referral agencies. The aim of the Foodbank is not to be needed. However, until that point is reached, monetary and food donations, essential toiletries and cleaning products, as well as support with the work are all very much appreciated. Donations points for non-perishables items are available at Tesco in Tetbury, and in Cirencester at Tesco Extra and Waitrose. For a list of items most in demand, please check out: www.cirencester.foodbank.org.uk Currently, urgently needed food and other items included long-life juices, baby wash/shampoo and laundry detergent. The Website also explains how to make financial donations to meet the Cost Of running the Foodbank. Volunteering opportunities and other information about the Foodbank's excellent work also on its website, or call 01285 896360. Thank you for all your ongoing support.

RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE IN CLIFTON: The relics of St Bernadette are visiting each of the Catholic Cathedrals in this country this year. The timetable for the Clifton visit is below. We have to give numbers of pilgrims and of the sick for anointing in by 8th August. This will be a unique opportunity to experience the special gifts and charisms of Lourdes. Please join us for this special experience.



Saturday 11th September Afternoon	Sunday 12th September Morning
2:00pm Welcome & Entrance Procession	8:00am Devotion and revering of the relics.
3:00pm Water Liturgy	8:30am Lauds
4:00pm Rosary	9:30am Sunday Mass, Followed by the Farewell Liturgy. The relics will leave at 11:00 am.
5:00pm Mass with Anointing of the Sick	<i>Clearly, the Cathedral invites all and as many pilgrims as possible and will make them very welcome. It would like to attend, please let the Office know.</i>
6:30pm Torchlight Procession with Statue	
8:00pm Rosary	
08:45pm Compline	
09:00pm Close	
<i>The Bl. Sacrament will be exposed from around 2:45 onwards, except during Mass.</i>	

YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS (YCA) WEEKEND ON THE THEME: "THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS, PRAYER AND THE VENERATION OF HOLY RELICS"

On the weekend 7th-9th October 2022, YCA is running a retreat at Douai Abbey with the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge who will be holding Gregorian Chant workshops. There will also be Marian Devotions, Sung Masses, Confession, talks (and socials). Prices start from £12 (come for the day) and £55 per person per night (residential). For information, see the poster on our noticeboard. Otherwise, please see: youngcatholicadults.latestnews.blogspot.co.uk/ or youngcatholicadults.co.uk. Booking can be found at bookwhen.com/youngcatholicadults-douai2022



MASS FOR THOSE WHO DIED DURING THE PANDEMIC

The past three years have been very difficult for all of us, mainly due to the virus COVID 19, with injections, lockdown, and no socialising outside our 'bubble'. Although we have come out of the worst of it and gradually things are getting better, we still have to be careful. For those who have lost their lives during the Pandemic, Fr Philip will be offering a Mass in St Michael's church on **Saturday 10th September at 10.30am** We hope that you will join us for this special Mass and remembering those who are no longer with us. There will be refreshments afterwards.