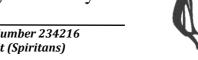
Ss Mary and Modwen's Catholic Church, Burton



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Parish Clergy

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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A 1st/2nd July 2023

Week 13 in Ordinary Time: Mass & Readings: Year A. Weekdays - Ordinary Time Year 1, Week 13. Psalter Week 1

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Saturday 1 st July	Mass 9:30am	Nwanunobi Family
Memorial of the Blessed		Intentions
Virgin Mary on Saturday	Vigil Mass 5:00pm - Tutbury	Pat Conaghan RIP
Sunday 2 nd July	Mass 9:00am	People of the Parish
Thirteenth Sunday in	Mass 11:00am	Deceased of the Smitoude
Ordinary Time		family RIP
_	Mass 6:00pm	Roy Vardy RIP
Monday 3 rd	Mass 9:30am	Thomas Ramsey RIP
Feast of St Thomas,		·
Apostle		
Tuesday 4 th	Mass 9:30am	Virginia Pioi Pilkington
Feria in Ordinary Time		RIP
Wednesday 5 th	Adoration of the Blessed	
Memorial of St Modwen,	Sacrament 10:00am	
Virgin	Mass 11:00am	Joe Waters RIP
Thursday 6 th	Mass 9:15am - St Modwen's	
Feria in Ordinary Time	Catholic Primary School	School Community
	Mass 9:30am	Lynn Wilson RIP
Friday 7 th	Mass 9:30am	Deceased of Markey family
Feria in Ordinary Time		
Saturday 8 th	Mass 9:30am	Monica Giles RIP
Memorial of the Blessed		
Virgin Mary on Saturday	Vigil Mass 5:00pm - Tutbury	Rene Groves RIP
Sunday 9 th	Mass 9:00am	Michael Chukwudi RIP
Fourteenth Sunday in	Mass 11:00am	Patricia Private Intention
Ordinary Time	Mass 6:00pm	People of the Parish

CONFESSION: We have Confession in the Parish every Saturday after 9:30am Mass and on request. Please avail yourself of the opportunity.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND OF OUR PARISH:

Mary Conway, Maya Whatton, Damian Walsh, Tony Mulcahy, Pat Lawton, Joe Emery, Sheila Chatterton, Carolyn Edge, Richard Waldron, Andrew Poyser, Sue Rose, Eileen Davis, Chris Morris, Sadie Blackford, Martin Routledge, Marilyn Gough, Dolly Rothwell, Justin Oguora, Emily Woodward, John Woodward, Shaji Augusthy, Margaret Hudson, Gordon Adams.

MASS ATTENDANCE: 381
OFFERTORY COLLECTION:

Offertory Collection for last Sunday: £641.34

BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT / SECOND COLLECTION:

Development Fund running total: -£10,543.13

Last Sunday Second Collection: Building and Development Fund: £148.28

This Sunday Second Collection: Peter's Pence

Next Sunday Second Collection: Apostleship of the Sea

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CENACLE GROUP: Our Cenacle Prayer group takes place every Wednesday at 7:00pm. Thank you to all participants and those intending to participate in the future. Parishioners are encouraged to join our Blessed Mother's Army. Those wishing to enrol still have the opportunity to do so. It is a privilege to be invited by our Blessed Mother to be part of her battle-ready army. There is a petition box in front of Our Lady's statue during Cenacle prayer. Bring your petitions to her; she is a great intercessor.

ST MOD'S TIDDLERS: Sessions run on Fridays from 10:00am to 11.30am in the Parish centre during school term time only. There is an assortment of toys on offer, crafts, messy play, mark making, stories and songs. Tea/coffee & biscuit for adults and a healthy snack for children but also a moment of prayer in church. A Parent/Guardian MUST be with their children at this group.

MASS OFFERING: Envelopes for Mass Offerings are available at the back of Church. Please take one and use for regular Mass offering. Include the donation for the Mass in the envelope and return to the Parish Office.

GIFTAID: If you are a UK taxpayer, please sign up to "Gift Aid" your offering/donations to the parish. If you "Gift Aid" your offering/donations it means the parish can claim back the tax you paid on your donation. This effectively increases your offering/donation by 25% and you don't have to do anything.

Without costing you extra, "GIFT AID" and YOU GIVE MORE! Please call at the Parish Office or see any of the priests after Mass.

HOME VISITATION: Fr Stan and Fr Arthur have started home visitation and would like to visit the home of all parishioners. It would be great if parishioners could indicate interest. Please feel free to contact the parish office to arrange a date for your home visitation.

ST MODWEN'S CELEBRATION: We will have our parish celebration of the feast of St Modwen on Saturday 15 July at 7:00pm. All are encouraged to bring some food to share with others. Please, come and let us celebrate together.

NEW OFFERTORY AND GIFT AID ENVELOPES: Please your new offertory and Gift Aid envelopes starting **6**th **April** 2023 are ready for collection at the parish office. The envelopes will also be available for collection in the Parish centre after 9:00am and 11:00am Masses on Sunday. Thank you for your generous giving and support for the Parish. God bless.

200 CLUB: The winners for MAY 2023 are:

 1^{st} – 92 – Mr M Simpkins, 2^{nd} – 27 – Mr D Scattergood, 3^{rd} – 154 – Mr D Jennings. Your cheques will be posted out to you very soon.

There are still quite a few numbers available, if you would like to take on an additional number or join the 200 Club if you are not already a member. Please place your money securely in a sealed envelope and marked with your name & number (if possible) and post/hand in at the Presbytery. Thank you. Margaret

SUMMER CAMP: The Kenelm Youth Trust are running a Summer Camp 13th-17th August for young people across the diocese aged 12-18 at our diocesan retreat centre - Alton Castle in Staffordshire! It is a fantastic opportunity that includes outdoor activities, a day trip, a trip to Alton Towers, Prayer, input & daily mass. It is always an incredibly popular event, and young people come back year after year! There are also bursaries available for young people from our diocese! To find out more, or to sign up, head to: www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/summer-camp

SOUP KITCHEN: Huge thanks to parishioners for the generous donations of soup and beans. We are running short of a few tins of baked beans, Oxtail, and vegetable soup so would be grateful if you could spare even one tin which can be placed in box at back of church. We are welcoming over 20 people through the doors each week. Thank you and God bless. Elaine and the team.

HEDNESFORD PILGRIMAGE, SUNDAY 2 JULY: This Sunday 2 July we invite you to join the Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes in Hednesford from 1pm - Rosary 3pm - Mass with the Anointing of the Sick 4pm.

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY:</u> Volunteers are needed to help run children's liturgy for the 9:00am and 11:00am Masses on Sundays. If you would want to help, please speak to Fr Stan or Fr Arthur. God bless.

SUPPORTING YOUR PARISH: You have asked us how you can continue giving to your parish. Your parish, St Mary and St Modwen, still greatly needs your support. We do though recognise that many parishioners may be struggling financially, and there is no expectation to give where you are unable to do so. You can donate via standing order or single donation. God bless.

FOODBANK: We encourage parishioners to contribute food items for those struggling with the cost of food. Please bring the items to church.

APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA: Sea Sunday is Sunday 9th July. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris (formerly called Apostleship of the Sea) to continue its important work - so please give generously. Thank you.

Next Sunday's Rota – 9th July 2023				
	9:00am Mass	11:00am Mass	6:00pm Mass	
Reader	MaryAnn Imhoagene	Rosemary Scott	Paul Bowen	
Eucharistic Minster	Gerry Gough	Pat Molloy	Bill Moloney	
Tea & Coffee	Mary Bird & Colette Kirkland	Rosemary Scott & Cecelia Denham	Jomy John & Children	
Stewards	Mary Ann Imhoagene	Paul Moon & Gary Redfern	?????	
Church Cleaning – Week Commencing				
9 th July	??????			

ST MODWEN'S NURSERY: Has a limited number of 15 and 30 hour places for September 2023. The school is rated as "Good" - Ofsted 2019. Please call St Modwen's Catholic Primary School (01283 247560) to arrange a visit or visit the website for more information on how to apply www.st-modwens.staffs.sch.uk.

BISHOP STEPHEN WRIGHT APPOINTED BISHOP OF HEXHAM AND NEWCASTLE: Prayerful congratulations to our Auxiliary Bishop Stephen Wright, who was appointed the Fifteenth Bishop of the Diocese of Hexham and Newcastle on Wednesday 14 June by Pope Francis. He will be installed in Newcastle as the new Bishop on Wednesday 19 July. Please keep Bishop Stephen in your prayers as he prepares to take on this role. **Those who would need help with ticket could, please, contact Bishop Stephen.**

11:00AM MASS THIS SUNDAY: We welcome our children from St Modwen's Catholic Primary School who will facilitate the 11:00am Mass this Sunday. They will do the readings, bidding prayer, offertory collection/procession at Mass. Please, let us support and encourage them.

<u>POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JULY – For a Eucharistic life:</u> We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

PETER'S PENCE: The Peter's Pence Collection takes place this Sunday, 2 July, being the nearest to the feast of SS Peter and Paul. Peter's Pence is a worldwide collection that supports the activities of the Holy See through which Pope Francis governs the Church and exercises his charitable works. It is an offering that may be small, but is of great symbolic value: it expresses the sense of belonging to the Church, and love and trust in the Holy Father. It is a concrete sign of communion with him, as Peter's Successor, and also of solidarity with the most needy, for whom the Pope always cares. With your donation, you support the Pope's mission, which embraces the whole world: from the proclamation of the Gospel to the promotion of integral human development, education, peace, fraternity among peoples and charitable works in aid of people and entire populations, thanks also to the activities of service carried out by the Holy See every day. Please give generously.