

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading

Amos 7:12-15

Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, said to Amos: Go away, seer; get back to the land of Judah; earn your bread there, do your prophesying there. We want no more prophesying in Bethel; this is the royal sanctuary, the national temple. I was no prophet, neither did I belong to any of the brotherhoods of prophets, Amos replied to Amaziah. I was a shepherd, and looked after sycamores: but it was the Lord who took me from herding the flock, and the Lord who said, Go, prophesy to my people Israel. **The Word of the Lord.**

Ps: 84:9-14

[R] *Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help.*

Second Reading

Ephesians 1:3-14

Blessed be God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with all the spiritual blessings of heaven in Christ. Before the world was made, he chose us, chose us in Christ, to be holy and spotless, and to live through love in his presence, determining that we should become his adopted sons, through Jesus Christ, for his own kind purposes, to make us praise the glory of his grace, his free gift to us in the Beloved, in whom, through his blood, we gain our freedom, the forgiveness of our sins. Such is the richness of the grace which he has showered on us in all wisdom and insight. He has let us know the mystery of his purpose, the hidden plan he so kindly made in Christ from the beginning to act upon when the times had run their course to the end: that he would bring everything together under Christ, as head, everything in the heavens and everything on earth. And it is in him that we were claimed as God's own, chosen from the beginning, under the predetermined plan of the one who guides all things as he decides by his own will; chosen to be, for his greater glory, the people who would put their hopes in Christ before he came. Now you too, in him, have heard the message of the truth and the good news of your salvation, and have believed it: and you too have been stamped with the seal of the Holy Spirit of the Promise, the pledge of our inheritance which brings freedom for those whom God has taken for his own, to make his glory praised. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit Lord and they are life: you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

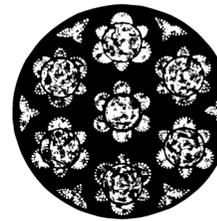
Gospel Reading

Mark 6:7-13

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out in pairs giving them authority over the unclean spirits. And he instructed them to take nothing for the journey except a staff - no bread, no haversack, no coppers for their purses. They were to wear sandals but, he added, 'Do not take a spare tunic.' And he said to them, 'If you enter a house anywhere, stay there until you leave the district. And if any place does not welcome you and people refuse to listen to you, as you walk away shake off the dust from under your feet as a sign to them.' So they set off to preach repentance; and they cast out many devils, and anointed many sick people with oil and cured them. **The Gospel of the Lord.**

The Mystery of Faith:

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.



The Reminder

Sunday 15th July 2012
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Holy Souls' Presbytery
 Frodingham Road
 Scunthorpe
 North Lincolnshire
 DN15 7TA

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

Mass Timetable for the Week

Day	Time	Intention
Saturday 14th July 2012 <i>Feria</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Mary Egan (Snr) RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish Sadie & John Galloway RIP
Sunday 15th July 2012 <i>15th Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	John Clarke RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Simon Smith's Intentions
Monday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am	Deceased members of The Clarke Family
Tuesday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	In Thanksgiving Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday <i>St Benedict</i>	12 noon	Peter Carton RIP
Thursday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Barry Fagan RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 11.00 am Winterton	Audrey Smith RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Requiem Kathy Powell RIP
Saturday 21st July 2012 <i>Our Lady's Saturday</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Padraic Noone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Anita Taylor RIP Ellen & Marina Featherstone RIP
Sunday 22nd July 2012 <i>16th Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions Intentions of Ann Gilfoyle
Rosary	<i>20 minutes before Mass Monday to Saturday</i>	
Confessions	<i>Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm</i>	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	<i>Wednesday 12.30-1.30 pm concluding Benediction Saturday 4.30-5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i>	

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Scunthorpe General Hospital – For the ministrations of a Catholic priest contact Fr Eddy Jarosz on (01724) 842197

Welcome

Welcome to any visitors this weekend. Please come and join us in the Parish Hall for tea and coffee after the 9.30 am Mass.

**** This Week ****

Book & Jigsaw Fair

Takes place this Sunday, after all Masses this weekend, in the Hall. Donations of books in good, clean condition gratefully received.

Stich and Chat

“Fish and Chip Babies”
Knit-along - Saturday 21st July
1:30 to 5:00 pm
Parish Hall

Scunthorpe Deanery Sunday Mass Times

Please read the leaflet and make a note of the meeting which will be held at St Bernadette's Church Hall on Monday, 10th September 2012. Your thoughts and comments will be very welcome.

RCIA

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic or do you know of someone else who might be? The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults programme will begin after the summer holidays and will take place at St Bernadette's on Monday evenings. This programme will be a joint programme for Holy Souls, St Bernadette's and perhaps other Deanery parishes. For more information please contact Fr Eddy.

Baptism of Children

If you have any questions about the Baptism of children please speak to Fr Eddy or Deacon Bernard. Before agreeing to a Baptism there must be a well founded hope that the child will be brought up in the Catholic faith. This is best demonstrated by the faithful participation of the parents in Sunday Mass. If you live outside the parish you will also need the permission of your own Parish Priest. Unless you are already known to Fr Eddy or Deacon Bernard we ask that you give three months notice before a Baptism so that we can have an opportunity to get to know you and to offer some appropriate catechesis and preparation.

Dates for Your Diaries

Monday 20th August.

Deanery Pilgrimage to Fountains Abbey, North Yorkshire

Sunday 9th September:

Parish Centenary Picnic

Friday 26th to Sunday 28th October:

Deanery Residential Retreat at Ampleforth Abbey

Friday 16 November:

An evening with Garth Hewitt in concert on behalf of the Amos Trust

Monday 18th to Friday 22nd February 2013:

Deanery Pilgrimage to Rome - places still available. If you would like a booking form please collect one from the sacristy or download one from the downloads section of our Parish web-

site.

Details of all the above events will be given at the appropriate time, but you may wish to mark your diaries in good time.

Second Collections

Peter's Pence - £308.90.

Apostleship of The Sea - £357.32.

Many thanks for your generosity.

Supper Night

Thanks to those who supported the recent Fish and Chip Supper Night and Quiz. The winning team received £10 to donate to their chosen charity and chose The Forge. The raffle raised £50 towards the postage costs of the knitted vests and hats for the 'fish and chip' babies.

A Message from our Seminarian - Jonathan

My month is almost over now at Holy Souls'. I came to your Parish not knowing what to expect but I needn't have worried. From day one the warmth of welcome that I have received has touched me enormously and now is my chance to say a big thank you to you all for making me feel so welcome here in Scunthorpe. So often, when you are studying in Seminary, everything appears very theoretical. When I left Rome I think I can honestly say I was feeling a little dry in my vocation. Coming to Holy Souls' has reignited my calling. Much of this is to do with the kindness, generosity and warmth that I have experienced since coming here. It has been a month of little tastes into what the role of Parish ministry might involve for the future and has reminded me again that it is the people whom one is called to serve that lie at the heart of the priestly ministry. The love that you have for your Church is very tangible and this is seen in the welcome that you give to visitors to your community. It has been enormously uplifting to have the chance to worship with you day by day and to be a part of this community for the past month. It has also been a great privilege to have the opportunity of meeting many of you at Parish events or whilst out visiting. My time may have been short at Holy Souls' but I shall never forget this enriching experience. Thank you for making me feel so welcome. I shall continue to pray for you and for your Parish; please also keep me in your prayers as I continue to explore the sense of vocation to the priesthood. I would also like to take this opportunity of thanking Fr Eddy and Deacon Bernard for arranging such an interesting and rewarding pastoral placement. I feel sure our paths will cross again before too long. My thanks and warmest best wishes. Jonathan.