18th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

First Reading

Exodus 16:2~4.12~15

The whole community of the sons of Israel began to complain against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness and said to them, Why did we not die at the Lords hand in the land of Egypt, when we were able to sit down to pans of meat and could eat bread to our hearts content! As it is, you have brought us to this wilderness to starve this whole company to death! Then the Lord said to Moses, Now I will rain down bread for you from the heavens. Each day the people are to go out and gather the days portion; I propose to test them this way to see whether they will follow my law or not. I have heard the complaints of the sons of Israel. Say this to them, Between the two evenings you shall eat meat, and in the morning you shall have bread to your hearts content. Then you will learn that I, the Lord, am your God. And so it came about: quails flew up in the evening, and they covered the camp; in the morning there was a coating of dew all round the camp. When the coating of dew lifted, there on the surface of the desert was a thing delicate, powdery, as fine as hoarfrost on the ground. When they saw this, the sons of Israel said to one another, What is that? not knowing what it was. That said Moses to them is the bread the Lord gives you to eat. **The Word of the Lord**.

Ps: 77:3~4.23~25.54

[R]: The Lord gave them bread from heaven.

Second Reading

Ephesians 4:17.20-24

I want to urge you in the name of the Lord, not to go on living the aimless kind of life that pagans live. Now that is hardly the way you have learnt from Christ, unless you failed to hear him properly when you were taught what the truth is in Jesus. You must give up your old way of life; you must put aside your old self, which gets corrupted by following illusory desires. Your mind must be renewed by a spiritual revolution so that you can put on the new self that has been created in God's way, in the goodness and holiness of the truth. **The Word of the Lord.**

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord. No one can come to the Father except through me. Alleluia!

Gospel Reading

John 6:24~35

When the people saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into boats and crossed to Capernaum to look for Jesus. When they found him on the other side, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered: 'I tell you most solemnly, you are not looking for me because you have seen the signs but because you had all the bread you wanted to eat. Do not work for food that cannot last, but work for food that endures to eternal life, the kind of food the Son of Man is offering you, for on him the Father, God himself, has set his seal.' Then they said to him, 'What must we do if we are to do the works that God wants?' Jesus gave them this answer, 'This is working for God: you must believe in the one he has sent.' So they said, 'What sign will you give to show us that we should believe in you? What work will you do? Our fathers had manna to eat in the desert; as scripture says: He gave them bread from heaven to eat.' Jesus answered: 'I tell you most solemnly, it was not Moses who gave you bread from heaven, it is my Father who gives you the bread from heaven, the true bread; for the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.' 'Sir,' they said 'give us that bread always.' Jesus answered: 'I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never be hungry; he who believes in me will never thirst.' 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 5th August 2012 18th Sunday Year B Holy Souls' Presbytery Frodingham Road Scunthorpe North Lincolnshire DN15 7TA

	Mass Timetable for the Week		
	Day	Time	Intention
Holy Souls' Catholic Church	Saturday 4th August 2012 St John Mary Vianney	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Clarke Family RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Kathleen Powell RIP Hilda Riley RIP
	Sunday 5th August 2012 18th Sunday	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions Padraig Noone RIP
	Monday ~ The Trans- figuration of Our Lord	9.00 am	Mary Egan (Snr) RIP
	Tuesday ~ Sts Sixtus II Pope & Comps	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Mr & Mrs Watson's Ints Polish Priest's Intentions
	Wednesday St Dominic	12 noon	Deceased relatives of Annie Doherty
	Thursday ~ <i>St Theresa</i> <i>Benedicta of the Cross</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Clarke Family RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
	Friday St Lawrence	<i>No 9.00 am Mass</i> 9.30 am Polish	- Polish Priest's Intentions
	Saturday 11th August 2012 St Clare	<i>No 9.30 am Mass</i> 10.30 am Polish 1.00 pm Wedding 3.00 pm Nuptial Mass 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	- Polish Priest's Intentions Michael Smith & Nicola Baker Alexander Tavares & Anna Grodzka Padraig Noone RIP John Patrick Byrne RIP
	Sunday 12th August 2012 19th Sunday	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Tavares & Grodzka Families Ints Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
	Rosary	20 minutes before Mass Monday to Saturday	
	Confessions	Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm	
	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Wednesday 12.30-1.30 pm concluding Benediction Saturday 4.30-5.15 pm concluding with Benediction	

Parish Clergy: Canon Edward Jarosz/Rev Deacon Bernard Croft *Tel: (01724) 842197 e-mail: holysouls@btinternet.com* Parish website: www.holysoulsscunthorpe.co.uk Diocesan website: www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk Polish Chaplain: Rev Wlodzimierz Pajak, *Tel: (01724) 855698* Parish Hall Bookings/Enquiries: 07542 715929

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

<u>Welcome</u>

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.

Dates for Your Diaries

Sunday 9th September: Parish Centenary Picnic

Monday 20th August:

Deanery Pilgrimage to Fountains Abbey, North Yorkshire takes place on Monday 20th August and links up with the Leeds Diocesan Pilgrimage for a celebration of Mass in the Abbey grounds. A coach will leave St Bernadette's at 8.00 am and return at about 6.00 pm. The cost is £10 and this includes transport and admission to the Abbey. There will be stops for refreshments including a visit to the Wetherby Whaler on the return journey for a fish'n'chip tea (full menu selection available). If you would like to go please collect a leaflet from the Sacristy to be returned either to the Sacristy or directly to St Bernadette's.

Friday 7th September:

Bishop Malcolm will preside and preach at a Memorial Mass for Fr Ken O'Riordan RIP at St Mary's Derby at 7.00 pm. All welcome.

Monday, 10th September: Scunthorpe Deanery meeting at St

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Monday, 17th September:

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults programme begins St Bernadette's from 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm. 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 on his return.

Friday 26th ~ Sunday 28th October: Deanery Residential Retreat at Ampleforth Abbey. Cost £110.00.

Friday 16th November:

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

Monday 18th ~ 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 website.

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

Stich and Chat

Stitch and Chat takes place in the hall every Wednesday 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm. All welcome.

Seasons of Faith

An Ecumenical Day of Reflection led by Fr John Daley IC. A choice of two dates is available: Saturday, 15th September 2012 at Holy Trinity Community Centre, Newark, or Saturday, 22nd September 2012 at Sacred heart Convent, Rearsby. Both days start at 10.00 am with coffee and conclude at 4.00 pm. The cost is £12 for the day which includes a light lunch (soup and roll). To book a place or for further de-

To book a place or for further details please contact Monica Purdue on 0115 993 9235 or email monica.purdue@ntlworld.com

Day for Life Collection

This collection will be delayed until after Fr Eddy returns from his holiday. Reminder Items

If you have any articles for inclusion in the Reminder, please leave them in the Sacristy or email holysouls@btinternet.com

The Forge

Have an urgent need for tinned meat, tinned veggies eg carrots, potatoes etc (but not baked beans/ spaghetti/peas/tomatoes), any size longlife milk, rice pudding, sandwich spreads, to make up food parcels. If you can donate any of these items, please drop them off at The Forge or in the Sacristy.

Deacon Bernard

Would like to thank everyone for their kindness, prayers and Mass cards during his recent "set back".

And finally . . .

These sentences (with all the bloopers) actually appeared in Church bulletins or were an-nounced in church services:

- "At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be 'What Is Hell?' Come early and listen to our choir practice."
- "Potluck supper Sunday at 5:00 pm prayer and medication to follow."
- "A bean supper will be held on Tuesday evening in the church hall. Music will follow"