

22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time – Year B

First Reading

Deuteronomy 4:1-2.6-8

Moses said to the people: Now, Israel, take notice of the laws and customs that I teach you today, and observe them, that you may have life and may enter and take possession of the land that the Lord the God of your fathers is giving you. You must add nothing to what I command you, and take nothing from it, but keep the commandments of the Lord your God just as I lay them down for you. Keep them, observe them, and they will demonstrate to the peoples your wisdom and understanding. When they come to know of all these laws they will exclaim, No other people is as wise and prudent as this great nation. And indeed, what great nation is there that has its gods so near as the Lord our God is to us whenever we call to him? And what great nation is there that has laws and customs to match this whole Law that I put before you today?

[Psalm R]: *The just will live in the presence of the Lord.*

Second Reading

James 1:17-18.21-22.27

It is all that is good, everything that is perfect, which is given us from above; it comes down from the Father of all light; with him there is no such thing as alteration, no shadow of a change. By his own choice he made us his children by the message of the truth so that we should be a sort of first-fruits of all that he had created. Accept and submit to the word which has been planted in you and can save your souls. But you must do what the word tells you, and not just listen to it and deceive yourselves. Pure, unspoilt religion, in the eyes of God our Father is this: coming to the help of orphans and widows when they need it, and keeping oneself uncontaminated by the world.

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

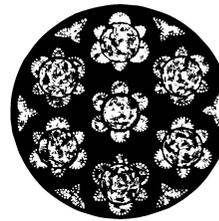
Gospel Reading

Mark 7:1-8.14-15.21-23

The Pharisees and some of the scribes who had come from Jerusalem gathered round Jesus, and they noticed that some of his disciples were eating with unclean hands, that is, without washing them. For the Pharisees, and the Jews in general, follow the tradition of the elders and never eat without washing their arms as far as the elbow; and on returning from the market place they never eat without first sprinkling themselves. There are also many other observances which have been handed down to them concerning the washing of cups and pots and bronze dishes. So these Pharisees and scribes asked him, 'Why do your disciples not respect the tradition of the elders but eat their food with unclean hands?' He answered, 'It was of you hypocrites that Isaiah so rightly prophesied in this passage of scripture: This people honours me only with lip-service, while their hearts are far from me. The worship they offer me is worthless, the doctrines they teach are only human regulations. You put aside the commandment of God to cling to human traditions.' He called the people to him again and said, 'Listen to me, all of you, and understand. Nothing that goes into a man from outside can make him unclean; it is the things that come out of a man that make him unclean. For it is from within, from men's hearts, that evil intentions emerge: fornication, theft, murder, adultery, avarice, malice, deceit, indecency, envy, slander, pride, folly. All these evil things come from within and make a man unclean.' This is the Gospel of the Lord.

The Mystery of Faith:

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.



The Reminder

Sunday 2nd September 2012
22nd Sunday
Year B

Holy Souls' Presbytery
 Frodingham Road
 Scunthorpe
 North Lincolnshire
 DN15 7TA

Holy Souls' Catholic Church

Mass Timetable for the Week		
Day	Time	Intention
Saturday 1st September 2012 <i>Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Holy Souls Polish Priest's Intentions Kathleen Powell RIP Theresa McIntyre Intentions
Sunday 2nd September 2012 <i>22nd Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Pat Hoban RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Monday <i>St Gregory the Great</i>	9.00 am	Peter Carton RIP
Tuesday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Peter Tran Van Sau, Phu, and Vinh RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday <i>Feria</i>	12.00 noon	Tommy Lydon RIP
Thursday <i>Feria</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Padraig Noone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Friday <i>First Friday</i>	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm Luddington 7.00 pm Polish	No Mass Polish Priest's Intentions No Mass Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 8 September 2012 <i>Birthday of Our Lady</i>	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Winterton 5.30 pm	Padraig Noone RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Kathleen Powell RIP Tony Taylor RIP
Sunday 2nd September 2012 <i>23rd Sunday</i>	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions John Flynn RIP
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</i> <i>Saturday 4.30-5.15 pm concluding with Benediction</i>	

Parish Clergy: Canon Edward Jarosz/Rev Deacon Bernard Croft
Tel: (01724) 842197 e-mail: [holysouls@btinternet.com](mailto:holy souls@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

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

Monday 3rd September

Reminder to PFC members of the meeting at 7.30 pm.

Friday 7th September

A memorial Mass for the late Fr Ken O’Riordan will take at St Mary’s, Derby at 7pm. St Bernadette’s hope to take a coach. For further details call 844895 asap.

Sunday 9th September:

The Parish Centenary Picnic will take place at St Augustine Webster School between 2.00 pm and 4.00 pm. Bring your own picnic food and seating, and we will provide hot drinks and entertainment for all the family including bouncy castle, face painting, and balloon modelling. All parishioners and their family and friends are welcome.

Day for Life Collection

Raised £326.44. Thank you very much.

Urgent Appeal

We have a desperate need for people to help clean the Church as numbers have dwindled. We are now relying on the goodwill of two ladies and it is obviously a struggle for them to get it all done. If you are able to lend a hand this Wednesday at 8am please come along and help.

RCIA

Interested in becoming a Catholic? A programme of preparation (RCIA) will begin at St Bernadette’s on Monday 17th September from 7.30 pm to 9.00 pm. If you are interested in taking part please let Fr Eddy know.

Plants!

If anyone is lifting or dividing perennial plants at this time of year and could spare some for the Church Car Park gardens, would they kindly leave them in the porch for the attention of Elaine Hemingway. Many thanks.

Dates for Your Diaries

Monday, 10th September:

Open Deanery Meeting, 7.30 pm at St Bernadette’s, to discuss the proposed changes to Sunday Mass times. If you did not get a copy of the proposals they can be downloaded from the parish web-site or collected from the sacristy.

Friday 26th - Sunday 28th October:

Deanery Residential Retreat at Ampleforth Abbey. Cost £110.00. Forms available at the back of Church.

Saturday, 17th November.

Day for Catechists - Exploring ‘new’ evangelisation in the Year of Faith - at the Becket School in Nottingham. Guest speaker Mr David Wells. Workshops and resources. See Fr Eddy for a booking form.

First Friday: An Apology

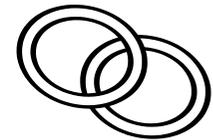
There is no Mass in English this Friday as Fr Eddy has to attend a meeting in London in connection with his Diocesan Interreligious Relations responsibilities. As well as the Polish Masses at 9.30am and 7.00pm there is Mass at St Bernadette’s at 8.00am.

Hospital

If you wish to receive a visit from a priest while in hospital, or know someone who wishes to receive a visit, you must explicitly request this. Neither Fr Eddy or Deacon Bernard have access to patient lists produced by the hospital.

Congratulations!

As mentioned last weekend we have had four weddings in our parish during the month of August.



We offer our congratulations and best wishes to:

Nicola Barker and Michael Smith, married on 11 August
Anna Grodzka and Alexandre Da Silva Tavares, married on 11 August
Christine Moore and Robert Nicholson, married on 24 August
Tomasz Wawrzyniak and Paulina Jarzemska, married on 25 August

We also welcome into our community:

Carmen Harvilikova, Karol Szylar, Sesilia Da Silva Tavares, and Kasper Smykowski, who have all been baptised in July and August.