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.

77:3~4.23~25.54 Ps:

[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.

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



The Reminder

(NRCDT Registered Charity No 1134449) Holy Souls' Presbytery, Frodingham Road, Scunthorpe, DN15 7TA

Sunday, 2nd August 2015 **Eighteenth Sunday - Year B**

Timetable for the Week		
Day	Time	Intention
Saturday 1st August 2015 St Alphonsus Liguori	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Roxby 5.30 pm	Christine Flatley RIP Polish Priests Intentions Deceased Reynolds Family Elena Ripley RIP
Sunday 2nd August 2015 18th Sunday	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	Christine Lisle RIP Polish Priest's Intentions People of the Parish
Monday Feria	9.00 am	Domenico DiMiele RIP
Tuesday St John Vianney	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Maureen Rubaro RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Wednesday Feria	12.00 noon	Intentions of Antoni & Waclawa Dlochy
Thursday ~ The Trans- figuration of the Lord	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish	Intentions of Mary & Bill Egan Polish Priest's Intentions
First Friday Feria	9.00 am 9.30 am Polish 7.00 pm Luddington 7.00 pm Polish	Anne Guilfoyle RIP Polish Priest's Intentions Bill Heatley RIP Polish Priest's Intentions
Saturday 8th August 2015 St Dominic	9.30 am 10.30 am Polish 5.30 pm Roxby <i>No 5.30 pm Mass</i>	Mary McFadden RIP Polish Priests Intentions Deceased Reynolds Family ~
Sunday 9th August 2015 19th Sunday	9.30 am 4.30 pm Polish 6.30 pm	People of the Parish Polish Priest's Intentions Patrick & Mary Mahoney RIP
Confessions	Saturday 11.00 am to 12 noon; 4.30 pm to 5.00 pm	
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	Wednesday - 11.00 to 12 noon Saturday - resumes 22nd August 2015	

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Scunthorpe General Hospital ~ For the ministration of a Catholic priest contact Fr Eddy Jarosz or Fr Benedict Abuo on (01724) 842197

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This Week

Mary McBride RIP

who used to live in Burke Street and was a parishioner for many years before she moved back to Ireland, died on 3 July 2015 in Co Tyrone at the age of 86. May she rest in peace.

Fr George Tyc

will be returning to Poland during the coming week. He wishes to express his thanks to all parishioners who have made him feel very welcome at Holy Souls whilst he has been supplying for Fr Wlodzimierz Pajak. We welcome back Fr Wlodzimierz and we hope that he has had a restful and refreshing holiday.

<u>Welcome</u>

This Sunday we welcome Deacon Daniel Palmer who will join us for the 9.30 am Mass.

Schedule of Masses in August

For the weekends of 8th/9th and 15th/16th August Masses in Scunthorpe and Ashby will be as follows:

Saturday, 6.30 pm St Bernadette's Sunday, 9.30 am Holy Souls Sunday, 10.30 am St Bernadette's Sunday, 6.30 pm Holy Souls

Afternoon Tea Event at 'The Well'

On Saturday 8th August with live music and Kevin Whitby speaking about his recent time in Nepal. Price is £7.50 a head and booking is essential. Please ask any member of staff at 'The Well' (formerly Kings Christian Bookshop), 74/78 Frodingham Road, for more details.

Forthcoming visitors

During August we will welcome some visitors to our parish. On Sunday 9th August Fr Jonathan Rose will celebrate the 9.30 am Mass for us. On 22nd/23rd August Fr Colum Kelly will celebrate all the Masses and make an appeal on behalf of the Apostleship of the Sea.

The Forge

Pete Tedde, Support Worker at the Forge Project, and his friend James McNamara, are walking from Lucca in north-east Italy to Rome (260 miles) over three weeks in August. They are walking to raise awareness of the many people in Scunthorpe who are homeless and to raise money for The Forge Project. Anyone wishing to sponsor them can do so by either donating on the Forge Project website www.theforgeproject.co.uk, https://www.justgiving.com/Pete-Tedde/ or by pledging on the sponsor forms available at the back of church.

Assisted Suicide

On Friday 11th September, the House of Commons will debate and vote on a Bill to legalise assisted suicide. Please contact your MP, urging them to attend the debate and vote against the Bill. You can send an e-mail to your MP via the Catholic Bishops' Conference website (www.catholicnews.org.uk/assistedsuicide) or send a letter by post addressed to your MP at House of Commons, London SW1A OAA.

Why? Course

This three session DVD based course provides an introduction to the Catholic faith. It is suitable for those who wish to refresh or update their knowledge of the faith and also for those who wish to consider the possibility of being members of the Church. For those seeking to become Catholics the Why? Course will be the beginning of the RCIA programme which will then continue after the October Half Term. Sessions will take place on Wednesdays 23rd September, 7th October and 14th October and will run from 7.30 pm to 8.30 pm.

Proclaim '15

A Diocesan day focusing on evangelisation (following on from the national initiative Proclaim '15) on 17th October at Christ the King School in Nottingham. Our new Bishop will be giving an address. There will also be a selection of workshops: School/Church Links, Crossing the Threshold, Welcome Church, RCIA Updated, Team Work, Social Media. If you are interested in attending please see Fr Eddy.

Ampleforth Retreat

Weekend of 23rd to 25th October. An opportunity to spend a weekend at Ampleforth Abbey enjoying the countryside, sharing in the life of the monastery, and taking part in a retreat led by one of the monks. Cost £119 or £130 for en-suite room. Please pick up a booking form from the sacristy.

Andrew White The Vicar of Baghdad

Will be speaking at Scunthorpe Baptist Church on Thursday 29th October at 7.30 pm about his experiences in Baghdad. The event is free of charge but admission is by ticket only and tickets can be obtained from: http://andrewwhitetoscunthorpe.

eventbrite.co.uk Early application is advised as the organisers expect a large attendance.

World Youth Day

The next gathering of young people from across the world will take place in Krakow in Poland in July 2016. The Diocese of Nottingham is planning to take a group and further details will be available soon. Participants need to be between the ages of 18 and 25 at the time of travel.