



# Our Lady of the Wayside Catholic Church

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## SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2024

*Dear Parishioners, this weekend I would like to write to you about a significant upcoming change in the liturgical life of the Church in England and Wales. From the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent, we will be having a new 'Lectionary', that is the book which contains the Scripture readings for Mass and the Sacraments. This is part of the process which began in 2011 with the changes to the Roman Missal. The translation of the readings will change from the Jerusalem text to the English Standard Version-Catholic Edition and the Abbey Psalter for the psalms. It is hoped the new Lectionary will be more faithful to the original languages and where appropriate more inclusive. I do know from my experience with the Roman Missal of 2011, that for some of us this will be a welcome change, for others not so, but let us pray that the new translations will be an opportunity of renewal, particularly around our prayer and reflection on the scriptures. God bless, Fr Andrew.*

### Church Opening Times:

The church is open for private prayer from dawn to dusk

Parish Office Opening Times: Tel: 0121 744 1967

9.00am to 4.00pm Monday, Wednesday, Thursday. (Juliet)

9.00am to 4.00pm Tuesday. (Sue)

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Last week's second collection is for *Apostleship of the Sea* raised £741.46. Thank you for your generosity.

This week's second collection is for the **Saint Vincent de Paul Society** which helps the vulnerable, visits the lonely and campaigns for social justice. Thank you for your generosity.

**Collections: 14<sup>th</sup> July 2024: Gift Aid: £224.90 Loose: £478.65 Standing Orders: £870.00 Tap n' Go: £45.00 Total: £1618.55**

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mrs Michelle Ashley. She can be contacted at: [sg.olw.shirley@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.olw.shirley@rcaob.org.uk), or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or email: [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk), if you have any concern.



## ***Liturgical Schedule***

<p><b>Sat 20<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am</p> <p>5.30pm</p>	<p>Holy hour and Confessions</p> <p><b>Vigil Mass – Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Int. Sheila Sharkey</p>
<p><b>Sun 21<sup>st</sup></b> 10.00am</p>	<p><b>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Int. Derek Pass RIP</p>
<p><b>Mon 22<sup>nd</sup></b></p>	<p><b>No Mass</b></p>
<p><b>Tues 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 9.30am 6.00pm</p>	<p><b>Feast of St Bridget</b> Int. Ignatius Alfonso Reception into Church – Bridie Burke RIP</p>
<p><b>Wed 24<sup>th</sup></b> 12.15pm</p>	<p><b>Feria in Ordinary Time</b> Funeral Mass – Bridie Burke RIP</p>
<p><b>Thurs 25<sup>th</sup></b> 9.00am 9.30am</p>	<p><b>Feast of St James</b> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Int. Nannette Ffrench</p>
<p><b>Fri 26<sup>th</sup></b> 9.00am 9.30am</p>	<p><b>Memorial of Ss Joachim and Anne</b> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Int. Joseph O’Neil – Anniversary Int. Brian Giles RIP</p>
<p><b>Sat 27<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am</p> <p>5.30pm</p>	<p>Holy hour and Confessions</p> <p><b>Vigil Mass – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Int. James Smyth - Anniversary</p>
<p><b>Sun 28<sup>th</sup></b> 10.00am</p>	<p><b>Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Int. Ray and Bernie Hunt – 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary</p>

# Liturgical and Spiritual . . .

*Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while.*

Mark 6:31

**Our Lady's Candle.** This week it is lit for Creina Hearn.



RIP. Please remember in your prayers Bridie Burke and Margaret Brown who have died recently and all who mourn them. Bridie's Funeral Mass will take place on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July at 12.15pm and she will be received into Church the evening before at 6.00pm. Margaret's Funeral Mass will be on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> August at 11.00am and she will be received into Church the evening before at 6.00pm.

## Mass Times

**St Augustine's Mass times are:**  
Monday 9.30am, Tuesday 10.00am,  
Wednesday 11.30am, Thursday 10.00am,  
Friday 10.00am and 6.30pm.

**St George and Teresa 10.00am Daily.**

**Please check their websites for any changes to Mass times.**



## New Confessional



The church's new Confessional is accessed via the left - hand door of the Sacristy. We have had installed a 'traffic light' system which is operated by Father Andrew within the Confessional. These lights, when illuminated, can be seen inside church to the left of the Sacristy door.

When the light is green, please enter. If the Confessional is in use, the light will be red.

## Music at The Wayside

Do you love singing?  
Do you play an instrument to a reasonable standard?  
Do you want to serve the Lord in music?

If you answered 'Yes!' to any of those questions, then why not join up with our Parish Music team?

We are a friendly bunch who prayerfully prepare the music for upcoming Masses - but we also have fun socially too.

...and we are *always* looking for more enthusiastic singers and musicians to swell our ranks!

For more details, please contact Chris on 07544-549000

## 10am Mass during August.

As we are aware every Sunday we are blessed with wonderful music and liturgy. So, our musicians can have a well-earned rest the music at 10am Mass during August may be slightly less or cut down. Many thanks.

## Hong Konger Journey in Faith:

Next meeting 7.00pm on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July, in St Aidan's Chapel.

Email: John Nolan. johnfpnolan@gmail.com

Divine Mercy Prayer Group:

Meets every Monday evening at 6:45pm in St Aidan's Chapel.



## Pastoral and Social Outreach . . .

**SVP:** The SVP offers confidential practical support for anyone in need. Please email [svpshirley@gmail.com](mailto:svpshirley@gmail.com).

**SVP Food Bank.** We now have storage in the parish for the food bank, however we need to build up our stock, so we would like :- cereals, tinned beans, spaghetti hoops, tinned tomatoes, tinned meats, tea, coffee, pasta sauces, washing up liquid, toilet rolls. Thank you for your generosity.

### **Own My Life Employability Course**

Our Lady of the Wayside is looking for a minimum of eight women, who are currently unemployed and wishing to find employment, to pilot a new six week Own My Life Employability course. Using interactive resources, this course will meet for 90 minutes weekly, for six weeks, to address the specific employability needs that women face.

If you, or any women you know, might be interested, please email [tberenshtain@gmail.com](mailto:tberenshtain@gmail.com) or call Tanya on 07977 209 569.

**PYX**  
**If you have a pyx which you no longer use, could you please return it to church.**

**Thank you.**



### Lectionary



With the introduction of the new lectionary at the beginning of Advent, we are hoping to purchase a number of the new addition of 'The People's Missal' books for parishioners to buy from our piety stall.

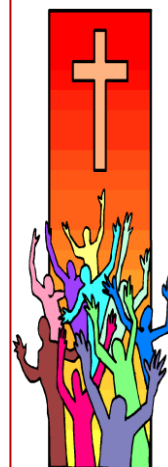
**Donations Update - Deacon Sean would like to thank parishioners for supporting any of his book writing projects. Profits generated from sales have now exceeded £9,000 with donations being made to CAFOD, The Father O'Mahony Memorial Trust, Father Hudson's Care, the Parish SVP group and Our Lady of the Wayside School. Most of the books will continue to be available from Amazon. Many thanks for all your continued help, encouragement and support. God Bless, Deacon Sean.**

Parish Youth Group:

Our Parish Youth Group has finished for this academic year and will return in September.

Many thanks to our wonderful volunteers for their time and effort in creating a safe and fun environment for our children.

If you would like more details about our parish youth group, please contact Ray McNally on 07827 894446 or email [ray@extendaline.com](mailto:ray@extendaline.com).



### **Church Cleaning**

*Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August, at 10.00am.*

All are welcome.



**Our Lady of the Wayside Catholic Primary School, Shirley, B90 4AY** currently have Reception school places available for September 2024 intake. Please contact the school on 0121 744 6852 to arrange a tour or visit - <https://www.solihull.gov.uk/Schools-and-learning/School-admissions>