

## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR WEEK COMMENCING 2nd AUGUST 2009

**Sunday, 2 August, 2009 – Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time – Green**

**5.30 pm** (Saturday) BOB HOGDON, R.I.P. Toby O'Sullivan

**10 am** Inc. Childrens Liturgy FRANKIE HOUCHIN, R.I.P. Foundation

**Monday, 3 August, 2009 – Feria – Green**

**NO MASS TODAY**

**Tuesday, 4 August, 2009 – St. John Mary Vianney, Patron of Priests – White**

**4.30 pm EXPOSITION**

**5 pm** SR. MARION (DoJ), SR. HANNAH(DoJ) & SR. KATHLEEN (OSU)

**Wednesday, 5 August, 2009 – Feria – Green**

**10 am** ALBINO & ANTONIA RIZZO, R.I.P. The Family

**Thursday, 6 August, 2009 – The Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ – White**

**9.30 am** RICHARD JONES, R.I.P. Teresa Jones

**10 am** EXPOSITION

**Friday, 7 August, 2009 – Feria – Green**

**NO MASS TODAY**

**Saturday, 8 August, 2009 – St. Dominic – White**

**10 am** KENNETH SMITH, R.I.P. Jenny Newton

**10.45 am & 4.45 pm** Confession

**Sunday, 9 August, 2009 – Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time – Green**

**5.30 pm** (Saturday) VERONICA HATCH, R.I.P. V. & R.A. Bone-Knell

**10 am** JEAN SALER, R.I.P. Avril Mobin

*Baptism of Poppy Williams during the Mass (No Childrens Liturgy today)*

### Your Prayers are asked for:

*The recently deceased: Derek Opie, Eileen Bonser, May they rest in peace.*

*The sick: Kate Aldous recovering at home, Margaret McSweeney, Michael Oakley, Jessica Bright, Louis Clark, Geoff Shawcase, Carole French, Archbishop Kevin, Teresa Rowan, Sister Anna, Eva Brewer, Pat Whaley, Len Lane, Peg Bunnage, Joyce Doyle, Canon Clements, Victoria, Win Thilman, Theresa Daniels who underwent surgery last week.*

*Sean McNiff back from Afghanistan, thanks you for your prayers; remember our forces still there.*

### MASS ATTENDANCES

#### Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Saturday (25 July) 5.30 pm 60

Sunday (26 July) 10 am 94

### PARISH INCOME

Weekend of 25 & 26 July

Offertory Saturday £131.66

Sunday £113.90

### Anniversary this week:

Frances Houchin (2004), George Rivers (1997),

Arthur Wilkening (2002), Ethel Mackins (1997),

Roma Bovington (1999).

**THE YEAR FOR PRIESTS – 19th June 2009 to 19th June 2010 has been declared by Pope Benedict to be a year of special prayer for Priests and the Priesthood – remember our current priests and pray for new vocations.**

**Young people 8 years to 19 years old pick-up a questionnaire about what you want to have in the Mass and in the Parish for YOU – (Mums & Dads can help you if YOU want!)**

# PETRINEWS

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## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B), 2 August, 2009

*Bread from Heaven:* The Sunday Missal tells us this week: **Through Christ we have undergone what St. Paul calls a spiritual revolution and we can no longer be satisfied with material things. We need the food that comes from heaven, the bread of life we receive at this Mass.**

As if by some divine providence the message of the readings today focuses on the taking of what Exodus describes as the Bread of Heaven, and is referred to in the Psalm and the Holy Gospel. Apt as last weekend we began to instigate the safety measures as outlined from the Diocese. So, during this current flu pandemic the following conditions for the reception of Holy Communion will be maintained:

**SACRED HOST IN THE HAND ONLY** (No delivery of the host directly on the tongue)

**NO COMMUNION FROM THE CHALICE**

### DEANERY LOOKS TO 2010 (9th -23rd May)

Plans have been started for next year's two week "Celebration of Faith" in May 2010. Members of St. Peter's planning team will join with other parishes members for a half day on Saturday, 12 September starting at 9.30 am. The venue still has to be arranged.

### Two Parish Events need your help:

1. **The Christmas Fair.** We should start thinking about organising this now. If you are able to help in either the organisation or working on the day then please put your name on the list in the porch or hall.

2. **St. Peter's Centenary Celebrations.** Our 100th birthday as a Parish takes place next year in June. If you can help add your name to the list in the porch or hall.

### PARKING RESTRICTIONS OUTSIDE URSULINES

KCC Highways are planning Yellow Lines along both sides of the Canterbury Road between St. Peter's and King Ethelbert's School. Ursuline parents this will affect parking and dropping-off. See notice in Hall.

### PIE 'N' MASH GET TOGETHER

Churches Together in Westgate, Westbrook and Garlinge. **Tuesday, 1 September at 5 pm.** The local Christian community here in Westgate are holding a social event with a "Pie and Mash Supper" including desert for £6.50 per person at

Pavs Cafe, St. Mildred's Bay, Westgate. There will be a raffle and people can purchase drinks at the venue if required. Vegetarian option available. Ticket from Phil or Rosemary. Everyone is welcome, including your non-christian friends. Raffle prizes welcomed!

### DIARY DATES

- Next Sunday, 9 August – the Baptism of Poppy Williams at 10 am Mass.
- Sunday, 16 August – ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY. Procession of Our Lady after 10 am Mass.
- Saturday & Sunday, 26/27 September. Sister Angela Cronin, OSU, speaks about HARVEST FAST DAY – Cafod.
- Saturday & Sunday, 3/4 October – our Harvest Festival.
- Saturday, 10 October, 2009. Visit of the Relics of St. Theresa of Lisieux at Aylesford. There are Deanery coaches, £10. With, to date, over 135 Deanery names, an additional coach has been booked but seats are quickly going, the list closes this weekend. **Those who have agreed to go should pay their money this or next weekend please.**
- Thursday, 17 December – ANNUAL CAROL CONCERT with Whitstable Brass Band at 7.30 pm.

**Tea & Coffee after Sunday 10 am Mass – Come along it's ONLY 20p a drink!**

**THANK YOU & AU VOIR . . . Today (Sunday) we say a heartfelt thank you to Fr. Brian McMahon who has, with his unique humour, cared for our spiritual needs during Fr. John's holiday.**