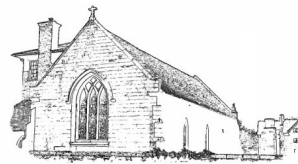


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**Times of Holy Mass and Intentions
(YEAR A Readings)**

- Sunday 23 August** **Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8.30 am ***Please email to book a place IN CHURCH** *The People of the Parish*
10.30 am Mass IN THE GARDEN *Private intention*
(No appointment necessary. **Please bring a chair**)
- Monday 24 August** **Feast of St Bartholomew**
11.00 am Mass IN CHURCH (No appointment necessary)
Michael Millard R.I.P.
- Tuesday 25 August** **Memorials of St Louis and St Joseph Calasanz**
Private Intention
- Wednesday 26 August** **Feat of Bl Dominic Barberi, Priest, Religious**
Private Intention
- Thursday 27 August** **Memorial of St Monica**
11.00 am Mass IN CHURCH (No appointment necessary)
Stan Robson R.I.P.
- Friday 28 August** **Memorial of St Augustine, Bishop,
Doctor of the Church**
Private intention
- Saturday 29 August** **Memorial of the Beheading of St John the Baptist,
Martyr**
10.00 am ***Please email to book a place IN CHURCH**
Private Intention
- Sunday 30 August** **Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**
8.30 am ***Please email to book a place IN CHURCH** *The People of the Parish*
10.30 am Mass IN THE GARDEN *Agostino & Sofia Salsano and families R.I.P.*

Anniversaries in August: Rev George Bishop (1768), Rev John Corne (1816), William Trafford (1829), Thomas Parkes (1872), Leo Herraty (1964), Elizabeth Grant (1987), Janet Arbuthnott (1989), Denis Grant (1990), Bunny Keenan (1995), Armando Agaran (2003), Joan Troy (2003), Barbara Mary Campbell (2012), Hilda Willetts (2017), Wendy Packwood (2017)

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In your prayers please remember parishioners and friends who are sick:

Michael Bird, Kathleen Clark, Denis Conway, Peter Handley, Lucinda Robinson,

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In your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of **Marie Packwood** who died recently and for **Jeannie Morrison** who will be buried here at Harvington this week.

May they Rest In Peace.



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Contributions to the Parish:

Weekly Offertory received for Sunday 16th August

Gift Aid Direct Debits	£426.00
Gift Aid Envelopes	£342.00
Loose cash	£1090.10

Whilst not being able to attend St Mary's in person, parishioners who normally use Gift Aid envelopes may wish to:

- save donations in cash until we return
- **or** write a cheque and deliver/post your donation along with the remaining Gift Aid envelopes for this financial year
- **or** set up a standing order using the form on the Diocesan website . Download, print, complete and sign by hand then send it for the attention of Amalia Costanzo, St Mary's RC Church, Harvington Hall Lane, Harvington Worcs. DY10 4LR
<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Handlers/Download.ashx?IDMF=90f11d7d-ebb4-4d07-b64e-9f38e324225b>

We are taking orders for **2021 CATHOLIC DIARIES [£3.30 each]**

- On the **outside** of an envelope please write '2021 DIARY, your name and contact details. (... or if sending via mail on a note inside the envelope)
 - **Inside** the envelope please place a cheque made payable to 'St Mary's, Harvington' or exact amount of cash.
 - Post by mail or through the letter box of the Priest's House to arrive by Sunday 23rd August.
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Do take another look at the emails sent out to all parishioners with details of these products. Two parishioners have very generously donated their time and their profits to give St Mary's the chance to benefit with much needed funds.

**COMMEMORATED and CELEBRATED
THIS WEEK**



Saint Bartholomew: born at Cana in Galilee; he was led to Jesus by the apostle Philip, and after the Lord's Ascension tradition has it that he preached the Gospel in India and suffered martyrdom.

Saint Louis: born in 1214, he became King Louis IX of France in 1236; he undertook Crusades to the Holy Land and was famed for humility and love of the Church. He died in Carthage in 1270.

Saint Joseph Calasanz: born in Spain in 1557, he went to Rome as a priest devoting great energy to the education of the children of the poor. He faced opposition but was finally vindicated by the Pope.

Blessed Dominic of the Mother of God: Dominic Barberi was born in Viterbo in 1792; he became a Passionist and travelled to England in 1841; here he worked tirelessly, establishing four Passionist houses and bringing many people into the Church by his preaching and writing; he received Blessed John Henry Newman into the Church. He died at Reading in 1849.

Saint Monica: born in North Africa in 233, she was the mother of Saint Augustine. Thanks to her patience and prayer, her husband was baptized; she also prayed for Augustine, living a wild life; he was eventually baptised in Milan in 387, but she fell ill and died at Ostia while going home to Africe.

Saint Augustine: born in 354, and thanks to the example and prayers of his mother Monica he became a Christian and was chosen as bishop of Hippo, in North Africa. Here his pastoral care, teaching and writings were exemplary. He died in 430, leaving many works, the most famous of which are his "Confessions".

<https://www.salfordliturgy.org.uk/Online%20Ordo%202015.pdf>

St John the Baptist, Martyr: For rebuking Herod Antipas for taking Herodias, his half-brother's wife, John was imprisoned. Rashly Herod promised Salome, Herodias' daughter, whatever she wanted after she had danced before him. Herodias told her to ask for John the Baptist's head.

<https://liverpoolsouthpastoralarea.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/Ordinary-Time-Week-21-2020.pdf>



THANK YOU everyone for patiently observing the guidelines that allow us to gather inside the church or in the garden at St Mary's.

- To comply with the '1 metre plus' advice for safe social distancing please:
 - maintain a **one metre distance** from members of other households and
 - **wear a face mask or similar face covering (these will not be provided, please bring your own)** and
 - **use the hand sanitiser provided on entry.**
- When planning any visit to St Mary's in the coming weeks please be aware, **we are unable to allow the use of the lavatory.**
- In order to track and trace, should a case of Covid-19 be found, **all visitors** to either the inside of St Mary's or the garden **will be asked to leave their name and contact details with us.** These will be held securely in accordance with GDPR rules.
- Everyone who attends Mass in the garden is asked to please
 - **not arrive before 10.00am**
 - **provide their own chair**, preferably with a low back to avoid blocking sight lines. Visitors may wish to stand or sit on the ground/their own rug or mat. For reasons of hygiene, **no parish seating will be provided.**
 - maintain the appropriate **distance from other 'households'**
- As space is limited, please book in to attend Mass **IN CHURCH** on **Saturday and Sunday** only. (stmarysrc.harvington@gmail.com).
- For these two Masses you will be allocated a place on a seating plan.
- For Masses in church on other days or in the garden there is no need to book advance.



EVERY DAY IS SUNDAY!

During these times of restriction, the obligation to attend Mass each Sunday is suspended. We are encouraged by the Church to stagger our attendance at Mass to include weekdays to avoid over-capacity on Sunday.