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Fr. Paul writes:

Life has its surprises for all of us and I got one last week! I was asked by the rector of our seminary if St. Gregory's would like to have a Deacon at the weekends. Much in the same way as we had Deacon Daniel last year. I immediately said "YES, PLEASE!" So at the 10am Mass today we will be welcoming Deacon Peter McLaren. I'll leave him to introduce himself at Mass and afterwards but leave you with three facts of his life. He originates from Scotland but has lived most of his life in Wales, he has been a Deacon for 10 years and he is a granddad!!

NOTICES

National Appeal for the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham

The Bishops of England and Wales have called for a once-off appeal for the National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham. It is happening in most parishes this weekend but with all our celebrations last weekend notice was forgotten so we shall be one week out—but better late than never. The collection will be taken at St. Gregory's after all Masses next weekend. Please be generous.

The Gospel according to Matthew

From 27th November the Gospel readings on Sundays will be from St. Matthew's account. Would you like to know more about Matthew and his Gospel? Come along to the four sessions on Mondays 3rd /10th /17th/31st at 7.30pm led by Fr. Peter Burrows. We are being joined by parishioners of St Mary's, (Church of England), The Fairway. Those taking part will be asked to contribute £10 for the whole course or £3 per session.. There is a list in the Porch for people to sign up.

Needed

Our volunteer gardeners are in need of help! Could you give them a hand and help keep the small areas outside the Presbytery in good order. It's a seasonal job and not onerous. Offers to Fr. Paul or Gillian as soon as possible.

Children's Liturgy

As per recent changes, the children's liturgies will now be the same at both the Saturday 5.30pm and Sunday 10am Mass, both groups catering for **Reception to Year 3**.

Pilgrimage to Poland

There will be a meeting for all those coming to Poland on **TUESDAY 18th OCTOBER** in the Parish Hall at 7.30pm

SVP News

The theme of Week 4 of the UK's SVP Awareness Month is 'Sickness - Who Cares?'. You will, no doubt, know by now that the SVP Awareness Month reminds us that, as Christians, we are all asked to take responsibility for identifying and addressing need whenever and wherever we see it. If you, or anyone you know, is suffering from sickness then please know that your SVP team is always here to help. Do not hesitate to contact Gillian or Paul O'Regan - Mob 07563 775777 svpsouthruislip@wiggimail.com - if you do need some help or support and please rest assured of the strictest confidence - a cornerstone of the SVP society.

Knitting / Crochet Group - Display of Work Made - 1st & 2nd October

There will be a display of all the work that has been made in the parish hall after all the masses next weekend. They would like to express their thanks to all parishioners who kindly donated wool for this worthy project, all the items made so far will then be packed up and sent off as soon as possible.

25th September 2016

MASS TIMES

Saturday

Vigil Mass: 5.30 pm

Sunday

10.00 am and 6.00 pm

Monday

10.00 am

Tuesday

10.00 am

Wednesday

10.00 am

Thursday

NO MASS HERE

Friday

10.00 am

Saturday

10.00 am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday

10.30 am - 11.30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays: After the morning & evening Mass or by appointment



COLLECTIONS

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| Envelopes | £ 802.24 |
| Loose Plate | £ 399.97 |
| Standing Orders | £ 500.00 |
| Total | £1702.21 |

Parish Registration

If you have recently joined the parish or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our parish records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

Red Sanctuary Lamps

If you would like to have these dedicated for a week to the memory of a loved one please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10.

SANCTUARY LAMPS

This week's dedication is for: Josephine O'Dwyer (RIP)

Mass Intentions for 25th September to 2nd October 2016

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| 25th September 2016 | 5.30 pm (Sat) | Ollie & Sheila Conroy (60th Wedding Anniversary) |
| 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time | 10.00 am | Toddy Molloy (RIP) |
| Year C | 6.00 pm | Josephine O'Dwyer (RIP) |
| Monday 26th September | 9.45 am | Morning Prayer |
| | 10.00 am | Catherine Power (RIP) |
| Tuesday 27th September | 9.45 am | Morning Prayer |
| St. Vincent De Paul | 10.00 am | Brian McVeigh (RIP) |
| Wednesday 28th September | 9.45 am | Morning Prayer |
| | 10.00 am | John Donnelly (RIP) |
| Thursday 29th September | NO MASS HERE TODAY | |
| Sts Michael, Gabriel & Raphael | 10.00 AM | Mass at The Sacred Heart Church, Ruislip |
| Friday 30th September | 9.45 am | Morning Prayer |
| St. Jerome | 10.00 am | Niall Rauh (Special Intention) |
| Saturday 1st October | 9.45 am | Morning Prayer |
| St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus | 10.00 am | Nora Grealish (RIP) |
| | 12.30 pm | Holy Baptism Holly Murphy, & Oliver Marshall |
| Next Weekend | | |
| 25th September | 5.30 pm (Sat) | Bridie Lydon (RIP) |
| 26th Sunday of Year C | 10.00 am | Sheelah Howley (Intentions) |
| | 6.00 pm | Steve Hopwood (In Sickness) |

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:-

Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Pauline Davey, Micah McKennon, Bridie Murren, Mary Temple, Thelma Buckingham, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Sylvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Hedi David, Angie Webster, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Brendan Conroy, Kevin Ryan, Theresa Brent, Tom Hennessy, Steve Howley, Anne-Marie Henry, Barbara Hayes, James West, Colin Sanders, Margaret Moore, Anne Cox, Barry Hancock, Barbara Thorn, Paddy Whooley, Lawrence Winter, Tim Downey.

*(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).***PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME, WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME:-**

Josephine O'Dwyer, Toddy Molloy, Catherine Power, Brian McVeigh, John Donnelly, Nora Grealish.

DIARY FOR THIS WEEK**Saturday 24th September**

5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

Sunday 25th September

10.00 am Children's Liturgy

11.00 am Refreshments after Mass

Monday 26th September

1.30 pm Monday Club

7.30 pm RCIA Meeting

Wednesday 28th September

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet Get Together

Friday 30th September

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers

LOOKING AHEAD:-**Next Saturday 1st October**

8.30 am Church Cleaning

12.30pm Food Bank

5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

Sunday 2nd October

10.00 am Children's Liturgy

11.00 am Refreshments in hall after Mass

Monday 3rd October

1.30 pm Monday Club

7.30 pm Gospel According to St. Matthew

8.00 pm SVP Meeting - Presbytery

Wednesday 5th October

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet Get Together

Friday 7th October

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers