

**SERVICES - ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK
10th to 17th July 2016**

SH - Sacred Heart Church M18 7WJ
SF - St Francis Church M12 5DT

17.00 CONFESSION (SF)
17.30 MASS (SF)

SUN 17th SIXTEENTH SUNDAY

10.00 CONFESSION (SH)
10.30 MASS (SH)
11.30 LEGION OF MARY (SH)
11.30 REFRESHMENTS (SH)
Charity Group (Bacon Butties available)

MON 18th

TUE 19th *St John Plessington*
10.00 FUNERAL MASS (SH)
Terry ~ Terence Boyle RIP
19.00 **NOVENA FOR GUIDANCE (SF)**
19.00 SAFE-AMBITION GROUP (SH)

WED 20th *St Appollinaris*
10.00 MASS (SH)
*18.30 WALKING GROUP

THU 21st *St Lawrence of Brindisi*
10.00 MASS (SF)

FRI 22nd St Mary Magdalene
19.00 FLOWER CLUB (SH)
19.00 MOSAIC CLUB (SH)

SAT 23rd ST BRIDGET
9.30 CONFESSION (SH)
10.00 MASS (SH)
10.30 ADORATION (SH)
12.00 SAFE-GARDEN GROUP

17.00 CONFESSION (SF)
17.30 MASS (SF)
17.30 BAPTISM (SF)
Lucas Alexander O'Hara

SUN 24th SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY
10.30 MASS (SH)
11.30 LEGION OF MARY (SH)
11.30 REFRESHMENTS (SH)
Garden Group

PARISH COLLECTIONS

Sunday 10th JULY 2016

Sacred Heart Church
Church Envelopes £335
Loose Plate £156

St Francis Church
Church Envelopes £126
Loose Plate £ 54

TOTAL COLLECTION £671

PETER'S PENCE COLLECTION £15

ATTENDANCE SH - 300 SF - 65 TOTAL 365

WELCOMERS	THIS WEEK 16th/17th July	NEXT WEEK 23rd/24th July
17.30 (Sat) St Francis	Ken Wishart Anthony Eduah	Tommy Loftus John Loftus
10.30 Sacred Heart	Marlene Kilgallon John Kilgallon Paula Lopes	Pam Martin Sheila Downey Fransisca Aguiar

READERS	THIS WEEK 16th/17th July	NEXT WEEK 23rd/24th July
17.30 (Sat) St Francis	Joshua Pidowe Lawrence Ndadaye	Frank Galvin Pat Taylor
10.30 Sacred Heart	Michael Itua Ehi Itua	Celle Santo Colman Nwigwe

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS	THIS WEEK 16th/17th July	NEXT WEEK 23rd/24th July
17.30 (Sat) St Francis	Mary Brennan Frank Galvin Anthony Baker	Winnie Byrne Jainy Chackochan Anthony Eduah
10.30 Sacred Heart	Clare Neary Elizabeth Senghore Dolores smith Kay McGungle Davie Nalikata Sheila Downey	Michael Painter Lawrence Barboza Marjorie Fisher Margaret Painter Imose Itua Elizabeth Senghore



SACRED HEART AND SAINT FRANCIS

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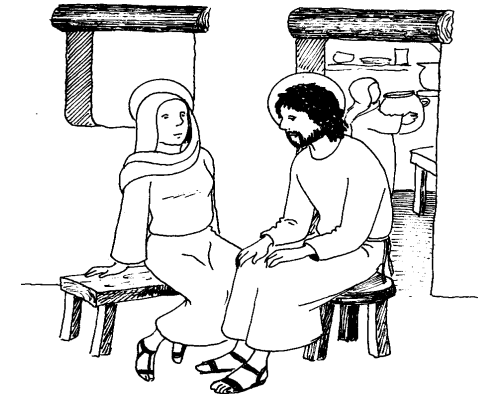
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17th July 2016 - SIXTEENTH SUNDAY - Year C
'Stay with us Lord on our Journey'



In today's gospel two sisters, Martha and Mary, welcome Jesus into their home for a meal. Martha does all the preparation work and Mary sits and listens to Jesus. As time goes on Martha becomes annoyed with Mary.

As we reflect on this gospel many people will have some sympathy for Martha. Many people work really hard and often they don't have the support that they might expect or need. Perhaps this is especially true in our families and so we are challenged to help each other a little more and be a little more appreciative of each other.

Other people reflecting on the gospel will understand that Mary meant no harm to her sister Martha and that she simply chose to do the better thing by sitting and listening to Jesus. In every situation we have choices and some will be better than others. What's important is that we look at these choices and we make the right ones. Less good choices may cause annoyance and frustration and better choices will lead to peace.

**THE RE-STRUCTURING
OF PARISHES WITHIN
THE DIOCESE**

**A Proposal for consultation
is available for every
parishioner— please read
carefully and make a note of
any thoughts/suggestions you
may have and fill in the
questionnaire**

NOVENA FOR GUIDANCE

**TUESDAY EVENINGS
19.00 AT ST. FRANCIS**

A Novena to Our Lady of
Knots will take place each
Tuesday to pray for guidance
and wisdom to reach the right
solution regarding the future
of St. Francis church

**BAPTISM PREPARATION
PROGRAMME**

24th July	Session 1
7th August	Session 2
21st August	Session 3
4th September	Session 4

At Sacred Heart

Sanctuary Lamps

The Sanctuary Lamp at
St. Francis this week burns for
Tommy Maguire—Anniversary

And at Sacred Heart for
Gordon Linney— Anniversary

**PRAYER REQUEST AND MASS
INTENTIONS** Thursday 14 JUL 2016
Aileen McAssey - INTS
Margaret McAssey - INTS
Mary McAssey - INTS
Regine Tchantcho - INTS
Stella McAssey - INTS
Alice Martin - INTS sick
Ellen Cooper—RIP RD
Terry Boyle—RIP RD
Winnie McIlkeney—RIP RD
Michael Moyles RIP 1st Anniversary
Margaret Peppard—RIP 4th Anniversary

Sick and Housebound Parishioners

*Please remember in your prayer the
following parishioners who are sick
or housebound.*

Mrs. Angelina Alicandro; John
Appleton; Angela; Bill Bexfield; Evelyn
Connolly; Betty Corrigan; John Devlin;
Chris Donegan; Marguerita Evans;
Mary Farquhar; Fr. Isidore Faloona
OFM, Marshal Felix; Bill Horan; Win-
nie Kirby; Brian Loftus; Elizabeth &
Eddie Navarro; Joan Norbury;
Patricia; Dot Raftery; Kath Roberts;
Margaret Ryan ; Patrick Walsh; Bridie
White; William Walsh; Patricia Willis.

Please help us to keep this list up to

**TERRORIST ATTACK IN
NICE**

We keep in our prayers all the
victims of the recent terrorist
attack in Nice and hope that
they and their loved ones find
strength and comfort from
God's love.

**RECENT EVENTS IN
PARLIAMENT**

We pray that our new Prime
Minister and her Cabinet will
govern with unity and
wisdom when reforming and
strengthening our society

ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



Britain in Bloom Awards
We need you!!

Your Community Garden at Sacred Heart has been entered for
the RHS Britain in Bloom Competition.

Judging Day is Wednesday 20th July @ 13.45. To ensure our
garden is looking it's very best for the competition we would
welcome more help in the garden. Can you spare 30 minutes or
an hour once or twice a month?

If you are interested please drop in to the Garden Club 12noon - 2
pm every Saturday. Children welcome with an adult.

SACRED HEART PIETY SHOP
Open after Mass on Sunday

(At other times please ask at the café)

The Piety shop has a wide assortment of
Piety products available for all ages, Ro-
saries, Medals, Cards for all occasions,
Books, Statues, Prayer Books and more.

Come and experience the riches of the
Catholic Faith and help yourself, friends
and family grow in sanctity.

Marian Procession 2016

The Marian Procession will be on
Saturday 1st October 2016, start-
ing at St. Edward's Church at
10.30am. Bishop John Arnold will
be walking with us! For more in-
formation please contact us at
0161 2242589 or email us at marianprocession@gmail.com.