



Our Lady of the Sacred Heart

Catholic Community – Herne Bay, Kent

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Twenty Seventh Sunday of the Year (A)

7th - 8th October 2017

Entrance Antiphon – O Lord, you had given everything its place in the world, and no one can make it otherwise. For it is your creation, the heavens and the earth and the stars: you are the Lord of all.

CHILDRENS LITURGY- This group is open to children aged between 4-9 years (9.30am Mass) term time.

Tea & Coffee-Soft drinks & Biscuits are served after the 9.30am Mass in the hall, all welcome

9.30 MASS Hymns: 763, 606, 752, 750, 801; Mass Setting: (Missa de Angelis) 497 - 500.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

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| Sat 7 th Oct Vigil Mass | 18.00 | Bro Francis CP (INT) |
| Sunday 8 th October | 09.30 11.15 | Myles Rogers (INT) People of the Parish |
| Monday 9 th October | 10.00 | Deacon James Foley (RIP) |
| Tuesday 10 th October | 10.00 | Beverly Flower (RIP) |
| Wednesday 11 th October | 10.00 | Dawn Arnold (ANN) |
| Thursday 12 th October | 10.00 19.00 | Stephanie Pay (INT) Celebration of Confirmation |
| Friday 13 th October | 10.00 | Holy Souls |
| Saturday 14 th October Vigil Mass | 11.05 18.00 | Kitty & Arthur McKenna (RIP) Peter Jackson |
| Sunday 15 th October | 09.30 11.15 | Auguste Cotterell (INT) People of the Parish |

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: Mon. 9th Oct. Blessed John Henry Newman – Weds. 11th Oct. Saint Pope John XXIII
Fr. 13th Oct. Saint Edward the Confessor

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION: Tues. at 2.15pm and Thurs. at 7.30pm in the Upper Room

THIS THURSDAY at 7.00pm We will welcome Bishop Paul Mason to confirm 7 young people from our own parish and 13 from Whitstable, as well as two adult parishioners from Herne Bay. Let us pray that it will be a wonderful celebration and a real encouragement for all those confirmed to keep up a firm commitment to the faith.

THIS SUNDAY IS PRISONERS SUNDAY: It begins a Week of Prayer for all in prison. You will find a leaflet on the ledge at the back of church advertising the work of PACT: (Prison Advice and Care Trust). They put great stress on helping the families of prisoners and doing all they can to help keep families together. Such good work is proved to be a major factor in keeping prisoners from re-offending. Great work indeed.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2018: Our first meeting is on Tuesday 10th and parents are reminded that this session takes place in the church. We look forward to welcoming the children and their parents at 6.00 pm in the church.

CAFOD HARVEST FAMILY FAST DAY: Please place your envelopes in the baskets after Mass today. If you are able to Gift Aid your offering, please sign the form on the envelope that was handed out last weekend.

TRAIDCRAFT CATALOGUES are available at the back of the church. Please help yourselves.

LUNCH CLUB - This Wednesday 11th Oct. For any further info. about joining us please contact Samantha on 07711270646. Don't be lonely, all welcome.

FATIMA PILGRIMAGE MAY 2018: We are looking at 10-16 May next year. Cost will vary according to total numbers going and is likely to be in the region of £800+. Have a think about it and we will arrange a meeting soon to consider options.

APF RED MISSION BOXES The red boxes are now at back of Church for collection. Thank you to all members and promoters for your continued support for the missions.

£1 – COINS: The old £1 coin ceases to be legal tender on 14/10/17. After that date the old £1 coins will only be accepted at your bank.

TODDLER GROUP 'LITTLE ANGELS' - Meets on Tuesdays from 9.30 to 11.30. This successful group are looking for someone to take responsibility for its running. Please contact Sue in parish office.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS:

St FRANCIS RAMBLERS invite you to join them on their walk on Saturday 14 October. Meet Herne Bay station (walkers' train due in at 1106). Distance 8 miles (mainly level) with lunch stop (at The King Ethelbert Inn, Reculver, CT6 6SU), finishing at Birchington-on-Sea. Please call Paul on 07847 282626 for more details.

WEDNESDAYS IN OCTOBER: Interesting talks at St Peter's Church Canterbury on Luther. See poster in porch.

PARISH SCRIPTURE DAY: SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER, MINSTER ABBEY: The day will involve a general overview of the Bible, the main themes of Scripture and how we can most benefit from a closer acquaintance with the Word of God. If you would like to come, please sign up on the list at the back of church.

ANIMALS WORLDWIDE QUIZ NIGHT In the Retreat Hall, Sat. 21st Oct. 7pm for 7.30pm start; question master Peter Warr. Entrance £7 includes ploughman's supper. To book a place call Gabrielle on 01227 367426 or email: gaby1davis@ [gmail.com](mailto:gaby1davis@gmail.com)

Saturday 4th November: Southwark Diocesan Day of Renewal, Southwark Cathedral. Transport will be arranged: please see Fr Mark to book your place. The speaker will be **David Wells**, one of the most sought-after speakers in the Church in this country today.

CHRISTMAS PARISH FAYRE is on SAT. 2ND DEC., Items still needed THANK YOU. **PLEASE NO BRIC A BRAC.** Christmas cards are available to purchase from the repository shop NOW.

Your Newsletter by email: If you would like to receive the newsletter online, normally on a Saturday evening, please visit: www.ourladyhernebay.co.uk and fill in your name and email address in the form at the bottom right of the home screen.

Cleaning Group – (A) Other rotas can be found in the porch
Second Collection today CAFOD Family Fast day, please return your envelopes today.

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| The Collections for last week were: 1 st Collection - Loose change £348.97 Gift aided £521.50 = £870.47 NB If you are a UK tax-payer then you can gift-aid whatever you offer. To gift-aid your offering please fill in one of the forms at the back of Church. |
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Adoration every weekday: 8.30-9.30a.m. Also Saturday morning, 10.00 to 11.00 **with Rosary at 10.45., said for the Parish each week.** There is a further opportunity each week: at Convent Chapel, 25 Western Esplanade from 4.30 to 5.30 p.m. on Fridays. **Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 10am-11am and 4.30pm-5.30pm. *Looking to arrange a wedding or baptism? Contact the parish, details above.*