

# THE PARISH OF OUR LADY OF GRACE KIDSGROVE, BIDDULPH & GOLDENHILL

## SUNDAY BULLETIN

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 13TH JULY 2025

### NOTICES

**From Fr Julian...** Today's Bulletin is a reduced format, because of the lack of time due to the Eucharistic Congress. Thanks so much to everyone who helped with the Congress. It was a tremendous success: massive crowds for the Masses filling Sacred Heart, and a whole day programme for Catholic schools. The Procession was beautiful rounding off a day of great talks and input. Today is my 29th anniversary of priestly Ordination. Not so significant an anniversary, though I thank God for every year!

**Summer Fayre** The final total once all the money has come in was £1725. Thanks once again for the sterling effort of all those who helped and contributed.

**Men's Prayer Circle** The next meeting of our Men's circle is on Saturday 19th July, 9am to 10.30am at the presbytery.

**Our Lady of Grace Ladies** Our Parish Ladies Group are meeting at St Patrick's on Monday 14th July at 7pm.

**Foundation Governors** Our schools are looking for volunteers who will give up their time and energy to help our schools in their

mission to children and parents. The role of a foundation governor is rewarding and engaging. You have to be a practising Catholic in good standing with the Church. If you would like to be considered as a foundation governor, please speak to Fr Julian or email him.

**Lamp Dedications** The sanctuary lamps in our churches are dedicated as follows: **Week beginning 13th July** English Martyrs': Vera Orme (Birthday); St Joseph's: Michael & Maureen Meaney; St Patrick's: Mary Welsh & Blood family **Week beginning 20th July** St Joseph's: Raymond Windsor; St Patrick's: John Martin; English Martyrs': Mary Jervis. If you would like to dedicate a lamp for any intention please place the donation (minimum £5) in an envelope with the intention and preferred church written on the envelope.

**Parish Office & Open House** Open House is where you can come and see Fr Julian for any enquiries and arrangements on Saturday mornings from 11am to 12noon. He will be available on both 19th and 26th July. If you need the Parish Secretary, then

### OUR LADY OF GRACE PARISH CHINESE BUFFET EVENING

As a Parish get together, to bring people together from across the different communities of the Parish, you are invited to a Chinese Buffet Evening.

Takes place at Buffet Fever, Tunstall on Wednesday 16th July at 6.15pm.

All you can eat for only £13 a head. Tickets available at our churches.

There will be a Raffle and envelope cash prizes.



**Café on the Steps**  
**Biddulph Town Hall**  
**Saturdays in July**

5th July 10am-1pm  
12th July 10am – 12noon  
19th July 10am – 12noon  
26th July 10am – 12 noon

Tea, coffee and cakes  
All proceeds to charity

please phone the Presbytery during the advertised office hours.

**Rosary** You are invited to come to pray the Rosary at English Martyrs' church on Wednesday 23rd July at 7pm. Everyone welcome.

### CHURCHES

**Biddulph** English Martyrs' Church, Church Road, Biddulph, ST8 6NE

**Goldenhill** St Joseph's Church, High Street, Stoke-on-Trent, ST6 5RD

**Packmoor** St Patrick's Church, Mellor Street, Packmoor, Stoke-on-Trent, ST7 4SN

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### Safeguarding

The Parish of Our Lady of Grace operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are:

**Biddulph:** Julie Shufflebotham  
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Alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240

### Website

[www.partnershipparishes.org](http://www.partnershipparishes.org)

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## LITURGY & DEVOTIONS THIS WEEK

	<b>Biddulph</b>	<b>Goldenhill</b>	<b>Packmoor</b>	<b>Sacrament of Forgiveness (Confessions)</b> <b>At each church Saturday/Sunday</b> Confessions are available at each church 20 minutes before Mass. <b>St Joseph's</b> Friday 5pm (when there is a 6pm Mass)	
<b>Saturday 12th</b>					
<b>Sunday 13th</b> <b>Fifteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	9.00am	11.00am		Holy Mass Holy Mass	Michael Cullen (30th Ann) John Martin
<b>Monday 14th</b> St Camillus of Lellis		5.45pm 6.00pm		<i>Vespers</i> Holy Mass	Ken Holmes & family
<b>Tuesday 15th</b> St Bonaventure	8.55am 9.15am		2.15pm	<i>Lauds</i> Holy Mass (End of school year) Holy Rosary	Mary Child
<b>Wednesday 16th</b> Our Lady of Mount Carmel		9.30am		Holy Mass (St John's Academy end of year Mass)	Special Intention (LM)
<b>Thursday 17th</b> Feria	12noon	9.30am		Holy Mass (End of year Mass in Church) Holy Mass	Fr John Darley Int Gabrielle Child
<b>Friday 18th</b> Feria		5.00pm 6.00pm		<i>Eucharistic Adoration &amp; Vespers</i> Holy Mass	Frank & Betty Smithson
<b>Saturday 19th</b> Our Lady		8.15am	5.30pm	Holy Mass (in Latin) Holy Mass of Sunday	People of the Parish Joan & Peter Jackson
<b>Sunday 20th</b> <b>Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	9.00am	11.00am		Holy Mass Holy Mass	Eileen Johnson Barbara Yates
<b>Monday 21st</b> Feria		5.45pm 6.00pm		<i>Vespers</i> Holy Mass	Thanksgiving (Br Richard 60 yrs)
<b>Tuesday 22nd</b> <b>St Mary Magdalene</b>	9.00am 9.15am		2.15pm	<i>Lauds</i> Holy Mass Holy Rosary	Dec of Child family
<b>Wednesday 23rd</b> <b>St Bridget of Sweden</b>	7.00pm	5.45pm 6.00pm		<i>Vespers</i> Holy Mass Holy Rosary	Bernard Cunningham
<b>Thursday 24th</b> St Charbel Makhluf	9.00am 9.15am			<i>Lauds</i> Holy Mass	Private Intention
<b>Friday 25th</b> <b>St James the Apostle</b>		5.00pm 6.00pm		<i>Eucharistic Adoration &amp; Vespers</i> Holy Mass	Holy Souls
<b>Saturday 26th</b> St Joachim & St Anne		8.15am	5.30pm	Holy Mass (in Latin) Holy Mass of Sunday	Holy Souls People of the Parish
<b>Sunday 27th</b> <b>Seventeenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	9.00am	11.00am		Holy Mass Holy Mass	Mary Child Roland Selvini