

Masses at St George & St Teresa celebrated without a public congregation
Join us via the webcam found at
www.catholicchurch.dorridge.uk

12TH JULY – FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday **5.30pm** Tony Soden RIP (AD)
Sunday **10.30am** Derrick Perkins RIP (D+I M)

WEEKDAY SERVICES

13.7 Mon **9.15am** **Feria** Margaret Hegarty RIP (SF)
14.7 Tue **9.15am** **Feria** Kath Beale RIP (BM)
15.7 Wed **10.00am** **St Bonaventure** Annie May Robinson RIP (A & C K)
16.7 Thu **9.15pm** **Feria** Isobel Eustace RIP (CC)
17.7 Fri **9.15pm** **Blessed John Sugar and Blessed Robert Grissold** John Mulligan RIP (CB)

19TH JULY – SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday **5.30pm** Alan Robinson RIP (AR)
Sunday **10.30am** Cathy McCleod RIP (I & D M)

Confessions on request – please phone the presbytery.

CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING

This week	R Slater	M Fitzpatrick	A Robinson
Next week	M Shelton	B Byrne	A Slater

Parish Priest: Fr Robert Taylerson,

Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum
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St. George & St. Teresa
Catholic Church
Dorridge



FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 12th July 2020

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: The word that goes from my mouth does not return to me empty, without carrying out my will and succeeding in what it was sent to do.

Fr Rob and Fr Paul are currently using English Mass chants from the missal for the Sunday Mass Prayers. If you would like to follow the music and/or join in at home it can be found at <http://www.liturgyoffice.org.uk/Missal/Music/Chants/Mass-Chants-A4.pdf>

NEW PARISH EMAIL ADDRESS: Please note that the parish has a new email address - stgeorge-stteresa.dorridge@raob.org.uk

REOPENING OF THE CHURCH FOR SERVICES: Fr Rob has been told that his shielding will continue until 1st Aug so until then will be unable to celebrate public Masses, Weddings or Baptisms. Masses will continue to be live streamed and parishioners who wish to receive Holy Communion after watching Mass online will be able to do so. Fr Paul will distribute Holy Communion following the weekend Masses.

Distribution of Holy Communion

Saturday evening following the 5.30pm Mass	6.30pm – 6.45pm
Sunday morning following the 10.30am Mass	11.30am – 11.45am

- To comply with The Government's Track and Trace guidance, people are asked to come with a piece of paper with their name and phone number on, these should be dropped into the basket on entering the Church. They will be kept securely for three weeks before being destroyed.
- Parishioners are asked to wash their hands before setting off for Church.
- Enter the Church through the Narthex, sanitising your hands on the way in, to where Fr Paul will distribute the Holy Eucharist, please receive the Host in outstretched hands and then exit via the Parish Centre.
- You may wish to sit in the Calvary Garden or in your car to say your thanksgiving prayers before returning home.

OPENING OF THE CHURCH FOR PRIVATE PRAYER:

The church is now open for private prayer:

Wednesday	11am – 12.30pm
Friday	11am – 12.30pm
Sunday	2.30pm – 4pm

It is our intention to switch off the webcam during private prayer as recommended by The Diocese. We are looking for volunteers for stewarding and cleaning (the guidelines for who can volunteer exclude those who are shielding and the frail over seventy year olds). Volunteers are asked to send an email to admin@catholicchurch.dorridge.uk with their name, telephone number and availability.

LIVE-STREAMING AT ST GEORGE AND ST TERESA

7.15am Office of Readings

7.30am Morning Prayer

2019-20 GIFT AID/TAX CERTIFICATES: Due to the impact of Covid-19 on working arrangements at the Diocesan office, the individual certificates of Gift Aided donations may not be posted to you this year. If any parishioner would like confirmation of their gift aided donations for the 2019-20 tax year, then please contact Gift Aid co-ordinators, Joan & Tony Taylor, on tony.joan.taylor@gmail.com.

ST JOSEPH'S CARE HOME: For those that have friends and relatives at St Joseph's, there is a collection for the carers working there who have endured such very long hours and hard work in the face of adversity due to Covid. Several carers themselves stayed in St Joseph's to mitigate risk. I thought it may be helpful to put this in the Bulletin since friends may be unaware (as visiting has not been allowed and is still very restricted) and may wish to show their support and thanks. <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/thank-you-st-josephs-staff>

CHRISTIAN AID: At a recent meeting of Churches Together Dorridge, Knowle & Bentley Heath, it was recognised that all local churches are promoting Climate Change awareness and action. It is suggested that as a group of churches we encourage one another to add our names to Christian Aid's Climate Change appeal at:

<https://www.christianaid.org.uk/campaigns/climate-change/climate-justice-eaction>

NURSERY PLACES: St George and St Teresa Catholic Primary School – 'A school which offers children the very best start in life.' Ofsted 2018. We have a few spaces still available for our Nursery starting September 2020. Please ring the school for further details. 01564 774906.

CALVARY GARDEN: Now that lockdown restrictions have been eased and parks are open, when the weather is fine chairs will be put out in the Calvary Garden at the side of the Church for prayer. Please maintain social distancing.

CAFOD launched its coronavirus emergency appeal on 30 April. The effects of coronavirus on developing countries where CAFOD works are likely to be devastating. Families without enough to eat and without access to clean water and healthcare are particularly vulnerable to coronavirus. The poorest and most marginalised communities will be pushed further into poverty. Your prayers and gifts are needed now more than ever to help protect the lives of those in poor communities. While we are not able to hold physical collections in our church, you can donate as individuals at cafod.org.uk/coronavirusappeal

CEMETERIES: Solihull Council have asked us to inform parishioners that cemeteries throughout Solihull will now be open at weekends 9am – 6pm. Also, mourners are welcome to use mobile phones to share funeral services, with permission.

The full statement can be seen below and here - <https://www.solihull.gov.uk/Resident/Births-deaths-marriages/Deaths/cemeteriesinsolihull>

CHURCH WEBCAM: If any parishioners need assistance with viewing the church cameras at home ie wish to follow services whilst self-isolating etc. Martin Whiting is very willing to assist. Telephone 01564 777506 or Email (church.vid.assist@btinternet.com set-up especially) or, if required, home visit with appropriate precautions.

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS: We have been advised by The Diocese not to take any bookings for the moment.

MANY THANKS to those parishioners who have found different ways to continue their offertory donations under the current conditions.

OFFERTORY DONATIONS DURING COVID-19 OUTBREAK

In response to a request from one of our parishioners on how she could continue to support the Parish during the period of public Mass suspension, we are suggesting the following options:

1. Bank Transfer of Offertory donations

- You can make a weekly/monthly/ one off donation to the Parish bank account
- If you are a gift aider then please put the reference as **your envelope number** eg 'Env 133'
- If you are not a gift aider the reference should be "**Offertory**"
- Parish account details: **Please 'phone the parish to obtain details**

2. Offertory Envelopes can be put through the presbytery door.

3. You can set up a Standing Order but this would, of course, continue after the Covid-19 outbreak unless you stopped it. (reference 'offertory' or your envelope number (as in point 1)).

Any queries please contact Tony & Joan Taylor on 01564 205238 or by email at tony.joan.taylor@gmail.com

4. **On line giving** Donations, which can be gift aided, can be made via the parish website where you can make a donation using a credit or a debit card, please note there is a small charge associated with the card method.

SVP If any parishioners face difficulties and need any help during the Coronavirus situation, and possible self isolation, please contact the SVP. We seem to have a problem with the mobile phone that we use for this but do have an email address svpstgt@btinternet.com



Your Prayers are asked

For those who are Sick: Dorothy Perkins, Pam Goodwin, Margaret Wright, Margaret Sullivan, Alison Cartmail, Michael and Brenda Grosvenor, Simon Niblett, Cavan McKeown. *Let us also remember those who care for them.*

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years: Hannah Lynch, Derrick Perkins, Josephine Murphy, Alan Robinson, Ellen Moroney, Sieglinde Hiscox.

Recently Deceased: Luisa Rodi

OFFERTORY: 5.7.20

Catholic Communications

Clergy Training Fund

Peter's Pence

Day for Life

Apostleship for the Sea

Average weekly offering via standing order and online banking - £530

Envelopes £132

Envelopes £10

Envelopes £20

Envelopes £47

Envelopes £32

Envelopes £25

Plate £15