



## PARISH OF OUR LADY QUEEN OF MARTYRS

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### Twentieth Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A – 17 August 2014

**Entrance:** *Turn your eyes, O God, our shield and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere*

**Responsorial psalm:** *Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you*

**Gospel:** *Alleluia, alleluia! The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord. I know them and they follow me. Alleluia!*

**Communion:** *With the Lord there is mercy; in him is plentiful redemption*

I've been out, Lord,  
Outside people were going out.  
They were going, they were coming,  
They were walking, they were rushing.

Motor bikes were rushing by,  
Cars were rushing by, trucks were rushing by.  
The street was rushing, the city was rushing,  
the whole world was rushing.

They were rushing so as not to lose time.  
They were rushing after time to catch up with  
time, to gain time.  
Goodbye sir, excuse me, I haven't time.  
I'll come back, I can't wait, I haven't time.

I'd like to help you, but I haven't time.  
I can't accept, for lack of time.  
I can't reflect, read, I'm snowed under, I  
haven't time.

The child - he's playing, he hasn't time at the  
moment....later on...  
The schoolboy - he's got his homework, he  
hasn't time...later on...  
The student - he's got his lectures, and such a  
lot of work, he hasn't time...later on...  
The young man - he's playing sport, he hasn't  
time...later on...  
The married man - he has his house to run,  
he hasn't time...and later on...  
The father - he has his children, he hasn't  
time...and later on...  
The grandparents - they have their  
grandchildren, they haven't time...later on...  
They're sick! They have their cares, they  
haven't time...later...  
They're dying, they have...  
Too late! They haven't any more time!  
That's how they're all rushing after time, Lord.

They pass by on earth, always rushing,  
hurrying, jostling, weighed down, snowed  
under, nearly demented.  
And they never get there, there's not enough  
time. Despite all their efforts, there's never  
enough time.

Lord, you must have made a mistake  
somewhere. There's been a tremendous  
oversight.  
The hours are too short, the days are too  
short, lives are too short.

You, who are outside of time,  
You smile, Lord, to see us struggle with it.  
And you know what You are doing.  
You don't make mistakes when You allot time  
to men.  
You give to each one the time to do what You  
want him to do.

But is it wrong to lose time, to waste time, to  
kill time, for time is Your gift to us -  
But a perishable gift, a gift that doesn't keep.  
Lord, I have time  
I have all my time,  
All the time You gave me, the years of my life,  
The days of my years,  
They are all mine. Mine to fill up calmly,  
peacefully, but to fill up completely, right to  
the brim -  
To offer to You that, of their stale water,  
You may make a generous wine, as once at  
Cana for a human wedding feast.

I don't ask this evening Lord,  
for time to do this or that.  
I ask for the grace to do conscientiously,  
in the time that You gave me,  
the thing that You want me to do.

## Dates for Your Diary

Please come along and enjoy tea and coffee in the parish room after the Sunday morning Masses

**The numbers drawn for week 15 were 1, 16, 37, 48, 10, 33, and 34**  
**No Winner**  
**Prize money for week 16 is £250.00 and eight numbers to be drawn**

Second collection: is for the redecoration work

Tuesday Devotions: Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass, and the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary after Mass

Parish Tote: due to the demise of the parish bingo the tote will be drawn by Fr. Cenydd each week after Mass on Tuesday evenings

Bible Study: this week we will begin the Book of Ruth. Wednesday, 7:00pm, parish house

Job Vacancy: LIFE Charity Shop Manager – Hereford. Based at 42 Eign Gate, Hereford HR4 0AB, part time, 18 hours per week, £7.70 per hour. Closing date 18 August 2014; interviews will be held on 28 August 2014. We are looking for a dynamic person with retail experience who will manage and recruit volunteers and will ensure the shop layout and displays are interesting. In addition, we are looking for someone who will head up an engaging retail strategy. For job description, please email [jobs@lifecharity.org.uk](mailto:jobs@lifecharity.org.uk)

The Journey – Dare To Begin: we're all on a journey through life, we're all moving somewhere, but where are we going? Life can be loud, busy, beautiful, tough, exciting, and more often than not, confusing. But when are you going to allow God to transform your life? Will you take that first step? Will you dare to begin? A 5-day outdoor Festival, including engaging international speakers, live music, workshops, discussions, prayer, sports, social times, evening entertainment and loads more. Where? At the National Shrine of Our Lady, Walsingham, Norfolk NR22 6AL. When? 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> August. Who? Youth 2000 events are primarily for 16-30 year olds. However, we welcome people up to 35. We also welcome families and have a separate family camping field. Cost? The cost is £100 per person. This covers marquee accommodation, all meals and entrance into the festival. The event is donation-only, so if you cannot pay the full amount we ask you to give what you can. If you can give more, this will help towards a place for someone else. Transport? There's a coach departing from Cardiff and Newport. See Fr. Cenydd or the poster for more details

The Joy of the Gospel: come to the University of Wales, Carmarthen on the week-end of Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Sunday Sun 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 and experience the joy of growing closer to our Lord Jesus Christ, and learning more of the Good News that Jesus proclaimed. For further information and/or a booking form, contact Pat Williams at [patriciamary1950@gmail.com](mailto:patriciamary1950@gmail.com)

Pilgrimage to the grave of St. John Kemble: on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> August. His Grace the Archbishop will lead the pilgrimage this year. At 3.00p.m we will meet for Rosary, readings and prayers at St. John Kemble's grave in the churchyard at Welsh Newton. At 4.15p.m. Benediction follows in St Mary's Church, Monmouth, and afterwards tea will be served in the garden, and produce sold

Holy Hour: you are invited to St David's Cathedral for a Holy Hour for the Sanctification of Priests and Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. It will take place at 6pm on Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> August. There is more information on the diocesan vocations' page on Facebook - [www.facebook.com/CardiffVocations](http://www.facebook.com/CardiffVocations)

Annual Pilgrimage in honour of Saint David Lewis SJ: Mass at 3:00pm on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August, SS. Francis Xavier and David Lewis Church, Porth - y - Carne Street, Usk, NP15 1RZ, followed by the procession to the Martyr's Grave. Light Refreshments will be served

Breast Cancer Care: have written to the organisers of the Strawberry Tea in the parish hall on Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> July thanking them, and all involved in any way, for the money raised and to celebrate this wonderful achievement

New music from next door: Mr Jonathon Nicholls is the new parish organist at Belmont Abbey

# Twentieth Week of Ordinary Time

## Psalter week IV

Today:

9:30 am John Farren  
11:30 am Kathryn Morison  
6:30 pm

Monday 18 August 9:30am Mass – Michael Lee  
*Feria*

Tuesday 19 August 7:00pm Mass – Special Int. (AS)  
*St John Eudes, Priest*

Wednesday, 20 August 9:30am Mass –  
*St Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church*

Thursday, 21 August 9:30am Mass –  
*St Pius X, Pope*

Friday, 22 August 7:00pm Mass –  
*The Queenship of Mary*

Saturday, 23 August 9:30am Confessions  
*St John Kemble, Priest Martyr* 10:30am Mass – Thanksgiving (CB)

Sunday, 24 August (Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time)

9:30 am  
11:30 am Ellen Bridget Kinsella  
6:30 pm *Fr Michael Evans*

### Please pray for:

The sick, especially Ann Morris, Brian Morris, Alice Jones, Sue Watkins, Julie Martin, Shelaigh Fawcett, Dymphna and John O'Neil, Andrew Walker, Sylvia Jones, Sylvia Aiello, Chris Turville, Eva Zakrzewska, Pat Franklyn, Bernie Carroll, Glyn Matthews, Sam Thomson, Anna Foggo, Catherine Rollings, Katie Richardson, Tony Constantine, and all in our prayer book

The recently dead, especially Patrick Burns and Canon Frank Mulvey

Those whose anniversary falls in the month of August, including: Elizabeth Turner, Norman Michael, Neil Payne, Kathleen Jones, William Townsend, Ellen Parton, Tadeusz Radon, John Murray, Agnes Thomas, Monica Holt, John Nordell, Julianna Simon, June Szantay, Archibald Doherty, Ellen Gallagher, Francis Williams, Albert Kelly, Joseph Flanagan, Kathleen Morrell, Wilfred Jefferson, Mieczysław Wojtczak, Gary Bourne, Vera Taylor, Bridget Keenan, Michael Weaver, Wojciech Panek, Mary Norris, Agnieszka Wieclawek, Bridget Kinsella and Patricia Somerset-Butler

My two-year-old cousin scared us one summer by disappearing during our lakeside vacation. More than a dozen relatives searched the forest and shoreline, and everyone was relieved when we found Alex playing calmly in the woods. "Listen to me, Alex," his mother said sharply. "From now on when you want to go someplace, you tell Mammy first, okay?" Alex thought about that for a moment and said, "Okay. Disney World."

Q: What did the pig say at the beach on a hot summer's day? A: I'm bacon!

### Rota Schedule for 22 to 28 August 2014

**Flower Arrangers:** L Meredith & C Mulloy

**Cleaners:** Volunteers

**Ushers:** 9:30am P Roberts & C Sharland  
11:30am R Cotterell & volunteer  
6:30pm Volunteers

**Readers:**  
9:30am C Sharland  
11:30am S West  
6:30pm R Maloney

### Eucharistic Ministers:

9:30am D Lissaman, A Hepworth, H Fishlock  
11:30pm E Cotterell, M Davies, C Balestra  
6:30pm Chris Milsom

**Altar Linen:** A Whitehead

### Polish Information:

Następna Msza Św w języku polskim odbędzie się w niedzielę, 24 sierpnia godz 16:00

### Finance:

The collection on Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> August raised **£458.94**  
Thank you

