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SATURDAY, 8 JULY

6.30 pm Parish

SUNDAY, 9 JULY – Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00 am Sheila Arrowsmith (A) 10.30 am John Day (A)

5 pm (at StJS) Lillian Cleare

MONDAY, 10 JULY

9.30 am Richard Union (A)

TUESDAY, 11 JULY – St Benedict

9.30 am Stephen Petty (A) and Paul Smith (LD)

WEDNESDAY, 12 JULY

9.30 am (atStJS) Ursula Cunliffe (LD)

THURSDAY, 13 JULY

9.30 am Deborah Hencher (A)

FRIDAY, 14 JULY

9.30 am Dorothy and Tom Reilly (A)

SATURDAY, 15 JULY

9.30 am Private Intention

6.30 pm Agnes Evans (A) and Thomas Gorey

SUNDAY, 16 JULY – Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00 am Parish 10.30 am Marilyn Cholmondeley (LD)

5 pm (at StJS) Private Intention

Sacrament of Reconciliation - Saturday 10.30-11.30 am and 6.00-6.20 pm

Attendance last Sunday: StT 328
StJS 65
Church Collection: StT £862.08
StJS £152.48
received with thanks

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS Marilyn Cholmondeley whose Funeral was last week. We remember her and her family, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time. May they rest in God's peace.

WE ALSO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS all our parishioners who are ill, especially Dominic Barlow, Francis McGarva, Monica Cole, Thomas McShane, Christina Wadland, Rita Griffiths, Tony Petty, Mavis McQuillen, Pat Killeen, June Gaffney, Terry Semple, Geoff and Joan Woods, Cath McVeigh, Sarah Maureen Harrison, Monica and Harry Likover, Emily Bradder, Tim Judge, Emily Richardson, Mary Wignall, Joan Harring, Win and Peter Campbell, Ann Blyth, Colette Coates, Carol Rowlands, Rita and Frank Brown, Enid Penn and all those who receive Holy Communion at home.

WE WELCOME INTO THE FAMILY OF THE CHURCH Miley Alice Watson whose Baptism takes place this Sunday.

TODAY IS SEA SUNDAY when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Many of us have never stopped to consider how important seafarers are to our standard of living. Without them we would not have most of the items we use in our everyday lives. Many of these seafarers are unable to practise their faith due to long periods away from home, whilst others are denied basic rights and working conditions that we take for granted.

Today's second collection is our opportunity to support the work of the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church in Great Britain. This annual collection is absolutely vital to enable AoS to continue its work with seafarers. Please give generously and remember seafarers in your prayers. Thank you. For more information on the work of AoS please visit their website at www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

A BIG THANK YOU to those who organised the School Summer Fair last Sunday, those who supported it, and to the good Lord for arranging perfect weather for it!

SOLEMN EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT takes place in our church next weekend, 15th/16th July 2015. It begins after the 9.30 am Mass on Saturday (15th) and ends with a Healing Service at 3 pm on Sunday (16th). This is an opportunity for quiet prayer and devotion while the Blessed Sacrament is exposed in our Church: Saturday 10.00 am – 6 pm, Sunday, 1 pm – 3 pm (followed by the Healing Service). ***Please will you kindly sign up for the thirty minutes "watching" periods, as identified on the rota on the table in the church porch.*** This will ensure that there is somebody in church for prayer throughout the weekend. Of course, that does not mean that more than one person can sign up for the same time. Anyone is most welcome to call into church at any time.

MASS OF BLESSED EDWARD BAMBER – Tuesday, 18 July at 6.30 pm. Our annual Mass in Honour of the Martyr Blessed Edward Bamber will take place at St Winifride's House, Low Moor Road, Bispham, celebrated by Bishop Michael and our local clergy. All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served in the garden after Mass. See the poster in the porch.

100 CLUB WINNERS FOR JUNE:

Chris Isherwood - £15

Kathleen Miller - £10

Sheila Edwards - £5

A REFLECTION FOR SEA SUNDAY:

There are times when many of us feel overburdened in our daily life. There can seem so many demands, so much to do. 'I need to relax,' we say.

Seafarers have one of the hardest and most dangerous jobs in the world. They can spend months at sea, working long hours, living in cramped conditions, and battling storms and gales. They see little of their families and when they arrive in a port they know no one.

This is where Apostleship of the Sea port chaplains and ship visitors come in. When they go on board a ship they have one question for the crew. How can I help? They offer the hand of friendship, listen to the concerns of the seafarers they meet, and try through small gestures to attend to some of their needs.

This can be anything from arranging internet or profile access, so a seafarer can contact their family back home, providing transport to local shops, or helping to resolve problems over pay or conditions. Port chaplains and ship visitors will also take seafarers to Mass in a local parish or sometimes try and arrange for a priest to come on board.