

**The Lamps are not Sponsored
this week**

We pray for:

Ukraine, Russia, Syria, Sudan, Yemen, Israel, Gaza, Palestine, and all places of unrest.

Fr Kevin and Jen now home in Jaffa.

Our Parish during our Interregnum.

The Sick or in need of Prayer: The King, The Princess of Wales, Brenda, Garth, Jennifer (D), Charlie (D), Sylvia (D), Charlie (P), Richard, Sian, Bonnie, Diana, Amy, Kay, Caroline, Gary, Mary (M), Trevor, Mary (F), Tom, George, Gail, Danny, Nick, Evie (Baby).

Thanksgiving for the Departed: for all the Recently Departed and 21st – Iris Ironmonger, 22nd – William E Taylor, 23rd – Ethel Stapley, 24th – Carole Mitchell, 27th – Frances Taylor whose anniversaries occur at this time. *May they Rest in Peace.*

	Season		Service	Intention
M	St Mary Magdalene	F	9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	The Royal Family
Tu	St Bridget of Sweden	F	9.30 a.m. Mass	Local hospitals
W	Feria		9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	Priesthood Vocations
Th	St James, Apostle	F	9.30 a.m. Mass	Evangelism
F	Ss Joachim & Anne	M	9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	Grandparents
Sa	Feria		9.30 a.m. Mass at St John's, Higham	Refugees
Su	The 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time	☒	9.00 am Morning Prayer 10.00 am Parish Mass	The Parish

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The cost of the upkeep of the Church Building is at least £2,500 per month. One way in which you can donate towards these costs, is by using our QR code.



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WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday 21st July 2024

The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



9.00 a.m. Morning Prayer

10.00 a.m. Parish Mass

Celebrant: Fr James

Preacher: June

Our Parish is in Interregnum. For Church matters contact the Churchwardens, for Spiritual matters contact Fr James or Fr Simon. To book a Baptism or Wedding contact Martin.

Saturday 27th July 10 am -3 pm A day for praying for the mission of our Church, where God wants us to be in our community, and for the world. A reading from the bible every hour. All Welcome. Come and go as you please

There will be a **Mass for Walsingham**, with Laying on of Hands and Anointing on **Thursday 15th August at 9.30 a.m.** In the evening at **7.30 p.m.** there will be a **Solemn sung Mass for The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.** *This is a Holy Day of Obligation.*

The next **Saturday Cuppa** will take place at **10.00 a.m.** on **Saturday 18th August.**

The Society in the Diocese of Rochester are having a **Pilgrimage to Aylesford** on **Saturday 31st August.** Mass at 11.00 a.m. followed by a Rosary walk. Bring a packed lunch and a folding chair.

The Annual **Ride and Stride** for Friends of Kent Churches will take place on **Saturday 14th September.** Half of sponsor money raised by anyone who rides or strides is donated to the local Church. More details on the table in the south aisle.

Tom Vaugan will be live in concert in St Mary's Church hall, Wrotham Road on Friday 30th August at 7.00 p.m. tickets from ticketsource.co.uk

There is a **Rota** in the south aisle for **Flower Arranging.** If you can help by arranging the two pots of flowers please add your name to the Rota.

If you are booked on the 2025 Walsingham Pilgrimage please pay your £20.00 deposit to Fr Simon or Martin as soon as possible. There is a waiting list for places.

Dates available for **Lamp Sponsorship:** Suggested donation £10. Envelopes on the table in the south aisle. Dates available in the near future are: 1st & 8th September.

IN THE SOUTH AISLE TODAY:

Mass intentions, prayers and readings

Flower arranging Rota

A selection of **Greeting Cards.**

Information leaflets and booklets.

A collection box for **used postage stamps** for **Bone Cancer Research.**

A box for donations to **Northfleet Hive Hope Foodbank**

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 15th August

The Assumption of Our Lady

9.30 a.m. Mass for Walsingham

7.30 p.m. Solemn Sung Mass

Saturday 17th August - 10.00 a.m. Saturday Cuppa

Saturday 31st August - Pilgrimage to Aylesford

Entrance Antiphon

Ps 53: 6, 8

See, I have God for my help.
The Lord sustains my soul.
I will sacrifice to you with willing heart,
and praise your name,
O Lord, for it is good.

Collect

Show favour, O Lord, to your servants
and mercifully increase
the gifts of your grace,
that, made fervent in hope,
faith and charity,
they may be ever watchful
in keeping your commands.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

First reading

Jeremiah 23:1-6

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah

‘Doom for the shepherds who allow the flock of my pasture to be destroyed and scattered – it is the Lord who speaks! This, therefore, is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says about the shepherds in charge of my people: You have let my flock be scattered and go wandering and have not taken care of them.

Right, I will take care of you for your misdeeds – it is the Lord who speaks! But the remnant of my flock I myself will gather from all the countries where I have dispersed them, and will bring them back to their pastures: they shall be fruitful and increase in numbers. I will raise up shepherds to look after them and pasture them; no fear, no terror for them any more; not one shall be lost – it is the Lord who speaks!

‘See, the days are coming – it is the Lord who speaks – when I will raise a virtuous Branch for David, who will reign as true king and be wise, practising honesty and integrity in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel dwell in confidence. And this is the name he will be called: The-Lord-our-integrity.’

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 22(23)

**The Lord is my shepherd:
there is nothing I shall want.**

*The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.
Fresh and green are the pastures
where he gives me re-pose. **R***

*Near restful wa-ters he leads me,
to revive my droopi-ng spirit.
He guides me along the right path;
he is true to his name. **R***

*If I should walk in the val-ley of darkness
no evil would I fear.
You are there with your crook and your staff;
with these you give me comfort. **R***

*You have prepared a ban-quet for me
in the sight of my foes.
My head you have anoint-ed with oil;
my cup is over-flowing.*

*Surely goodness and kind-ness shall follow me
all the days of my life.
In the Lord’s own house shall I dwell
for e-ver and ever. **R***

Second reading

Ephesians 2:13-18

A reading from the Letter
of St Paul to the Ephesians

In Christ Jesus, you that used to be so far apart from us have been brought very close, by the blood of Christ. For he is the peace between us, and has made the two into one and broken down the barrier which used to keep them apart, actually destroying in his own person the hostility caused by the rules and decrees of the Law. This was to create one single New Man in himself out of the two of them and by restoring peace through the cross, to unite them both in a single Body and reconcile them with God: in his own person he killed the hostility. Later he came to bring the good news of peace, *peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near at hand*. Through him, both of us have in the one Spirit our way to come to the Father.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

Jn 10:27

Alleluia, **alleluia!**
*The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice,
says the Lord,
I know them and they fol-low me.
Alleluia!*



Gospel

Mark 6:30-34

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

A reading from the holy Gospel
according to Mark

Glory ✠ to ✠ you, ✠ O Lord.

The apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught. Then he said to them, ‘You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while’; for there were so many coming and going that the apostles had no time even to eat. So they went off in a boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But people saw them going, and many could guess where; and from every town they all hurried to the place on foot and reached it before them. So as he stepped ashore he saw a large crowd; and he took pity on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he set himself to teach them at some length.

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Prayer over the Offerings

O God, who in the one perfect sacrifice brought to completion
varied offerings of the law,
accept, we pray,
this sacrifice from your faithful servants
and make it holy,

as you blessed the gifts of Abel,
so that what each has offered

to the honour of your majesty
may benefit the salvation of all.

Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Communion Antiphon

Ps 110: 4-5

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,
has made a memorial of his wonders;
he gives food to those who fear him.

or:

Rv 3: 20

Behold, I stand at the door and knock,
says the Lord.

If anyone hears my voice
and opens the door to me,

I will enter his house
and dine with him, and he with me.

Prayer after Communion

Graciously be present to your people,
we pray, O Lord,
and lead those you have imbued
with heavenly mysteries
to pass from former ways
to newness of life.

Through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**