

# CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY, STOWMARKET.

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R.C. Diocese of East Anglia - Registered Charity No. 278742

Church of Our Lady, Stricklands Road, Stowmarket IP14 1AP

Saturday Anticipatory Mass at St Mary's Church, Woolpit IP30 9QP

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Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> July 2019

## 15<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Sunday Readings: Year C. Weekdays: Year 1. Psalter: Week 3

**Memorial Acclamation this week:**

**We proclaim your Death, O Lord,  
and profess your Resurrection until you come again.**



*Who is my neighbour?*

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***Entrance Antiphon:***

**As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;  
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.**

***Communion Antiphon:***

**The sparrow finds a home,  
and the swallow a nest for her young:  
by your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God.  
Blessed are they who dwell in your house,  
for ever singing your praise.**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Welcome to Mass of **the Fifteenth Sunday of the Year.**

- **The Liturgy of the Word** is on Page 50 or 51 in the Mass Books.
- **Second Sunday Preface and Second Eucharistic Prayer.**
- **Teas and Coffees** in the Parish Centre today after 10.15 am Mass.

**Retiring Collection today for the Apostleship of the Sea.**

Today is Sea Sunday when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. Today's Retiring Collection is for Stella Maris (Apostleship of the Sea), the Catholic Church's official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers visiting our ports in both practical and spiritual ways. Today's collection is vital to enable it to continue its work, so please give generously and remember seafarers in your prayers. There are some Gift Aid envelopes available at the back of the church for taxpayers. Thank you. For more information about its work, and to donate online, visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

**Next Retiring Collection**

Next Sunday the Retiring Collection will be for the Parish Fabric Fund.

**The Faithful Departed**

The Funeral Mass for the late **Anthony Breen** will be celebrated in Our Lady's Church, Stowmarket, at 12 noon on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July. Please remember Anthony and all who have died recently in your prayers and all their families and friends who mourn for them.

**Last Weekend's Collections:**

Parish: Woolpit: £276; Our Lady's: £646.

Thank you for your generous support of the parish.

**Stowmarket and District Foodbank - Urgent needs at present:**

Needs are hot meats/stews/curries/meat balls, small jars of coffee, packets of instant mash and tinned vegetables. Many thanks.

**Community Funday - 24th August 2019**

The Churches Together in Stowmarket have been invited to join the New Life Church in their annual Community Funday which will take place in the grounds of St Peter & St Mary on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2.00 – 5.00 pm. Save the date and look out later on for further details of how volunteers from our parish can help to make the Funday a great success.

**Live Simply Tip:** If the shops are a ten minute walk away, don't use the car!

**Catholic East Anglia**

Please take your free copy of the July edition of the Diocesan newspaper if you missed getting one before now.

**Stowmarket Carnival Praise**

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 4.00 pm on the Recreation Ground, Stowmarket, sponsored by Stowmarket Churches Together, for all ages with live music.

**Baptism**

Congratulations and every blessing to David and Lynn Price on the baptism of their son, Ed Michael William Joseph, in Our Lady's Church last Sunday.

*God bless, you in the coming week, Father David.*

## **Masses for the Fifteenth Week of the Year.**

**Saturday, 6.00 pm (Woolpit):** *Susan Phair RIP (Foundation).*

### **15<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR:**

**8.30 am, Parish. 10.15 am, Tony Breen RIP (Rosemary & Allan)**

Monday- S Bonaventure: No Mass today.

**Tuesday- Our Lady of Mt Carmel: 6.30 pm, Phyllis Wilson RIP.**

**Wednesday- Feria: 8.00 am, Fr Neil McLaughlin RIP (Nottingham).**

**Thursday- Feria: 10.00 am, Elizabeth Barnes RIP (Foundation).**

**Friday- Feria: 8.00 am, Private intention.**

**Saturday- Our Lady: 10.00 am, Joan Patey RIP (Foundation)**

**6.00 pm (St Mary's, Woolpit): Private intention.**

**16<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY: 8.30 am, Parish. 10.15 am, Tim Kelly RIP (anniversary).**

## **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this week.**

Thursday only, 9.25 – 9.55 am.

## **Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)**

Saturday, 10.30 – 11.00 am, before Woolpit Mass or by appointment.

## **Please pray for our Sick and Housebound**

### **Anniversaries of the Faithful Departed:**

Alec Boyle, Flora Hartley, Maurice White, Bishop Alan Clark, Ned Hawkins, Patrick Wilson, Michael Demond de Stacpoole, Arthur Leason, Margaret Laycock, Nina Sabra, Joan Patey and Peter Hipperson. R.I.P.

## **The Pope's Prayer Intention for July**

### **The Integrity of Justice**

That those who administer justice may work with integrity, and that the injustice which prevails in the world may not have the last word.

## **Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:**

Parish of Our Lady of the Annunciation, King's Lynn.