

Parish Priest: Fr Mark Floody, 151 Beanfield Avenue,

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Parish office hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday 10am to 4.00pm Kathleen Greene RIP: Received into church

Parish office is closed Wednesdays, Saturdays

& Sundays.

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19th & 20th July 2025 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

OUR PARISH LITURGY THIS WEEK

Saturday	6.00pm	Peter Floody RIP
Sunday	9.00am	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Joe O'Callaghan RIP
Monday	Monday of week17 in Ordinary Time	
	In St Brendan's School	
10.00am	Jerzy Marchwinski RIP	
Tuesday	St Mary Magdalene	
10.00am	Kathleen Coleman (nee Keenan) RIP	
Wednesday	No Mass	
Thursday	Thursday of week 16 in Ordinary Time	
9.00am	Dave McArthur RIP	
Friday	St James, Apostle	
10.00am	Fr Gerard Byrne Int.	
Saturday	6.00pm	Anne McManus Int.
Sunday	9.00am	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Noel Nestor RIP

CONFESSIONS: 5.00pm Saturdays, or by appointment.

NEXT SUNDAY: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

If you own a Catholic Truth Society Missal page: 1025

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: SUNDAY: O LORD, who may abide in your tent?

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

Michael Charles Manning RIP: Requiem Mass on Monday 28th July at 11.30am

Baby Phoebe Alba Broughton RIP: Funeral service on Wednesday 6th August at 11.00am

Adam MacNeil RIP: Funeral service on Friday 8th August at 11.30am

Kathleen Greene RIP: Received into church on Thursday 14th August at 4.30pm. Funeral Service on 15th August 11.00am

Terence O'Neill RIP: Funeral service at Kettering crematorium on Friday 15th August at 3.00pm

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:

OFFERTORY: £1115.35 STANDING ORDERS: £220.26 TOTAL: £1335.61

RESTORATION: £326.10

Thank you to all who generously support the parish financially.

PLEASE NOTE MASS IS IN THE SCHOOL HALL AT 10.00AM ON MONDAY. MASS IS AT 9.00AM ON THURSDAY

BAPTISM MEETING: If you are planning for your child's baptism then please come to the next parents meeting on Sunday 27th July at 12.15pm. Please note that we encourage baptism parents to come to Mass at least 2 months before they attend the baptism meeting.

PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: St Brendan's Primary School: Beanfield Avenue, NN18 OAZ TEL. NO.01536 202491

www.stbrendansprimaryschool.co.uk

St Patrick's Primary School: Patrick Road, NN18 9NT Tel. no. 01536 744447 www.stpatricksprimaryschool.com

PARISH NOTICES

WELCOME TO FR LIAM CASTLE: As Fr Mark announced last week we are preparing to welcome Fr Liam who will join Fr Mark and help him with the pastoral responsibility for the 3 parishes in Corby from early in September. It will be soon upon us! We will give more details of meetings that will be held in the coming weeks as we prepare for this major change for the Catholic Community in Corby. Fr Liam is one of our younger priests in the diocese and has been ordained 3 years. I am sure he will receive a warm welcome from us all.

BEST LAID PLANS....We were looking at the forecast over the last week and with threat of storms we reluctantly decided to cancel the planned parish barbecue this Sunday. We hope to arrange to have one towards the end of the summer.

MONDAY'S MASS: This Monday Mass will be held at 10.00am in St Brendan's school Hall, all parishioners are welcome and there will be tea & coffee in the Hall afterwards.

SVP: The SVP are running their Summer Raffle and tickets and on sale at the back of the church. It is £1.00 a ticket and £5.00 a book. First prize is £5000.00!

<u>NEW WINESKINS DISCERNMENT PROCESS:</u> Thank you to everyone who got involved with the listening process. **Bishop David** is returning to mark the midway point of the journey and to discuss the issues that have been raised. Bishop David will be attending the meeting this **Monday 21 July** which will be held in **St Brendan's school hall from 7.00 pm to 8.30pm.** All are welcome; please come along if you can and light refreshments will be provided.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: This was called God's Little People in the past - young children who have not made their first Holy Communion are invited during the 11.00 am Mass to go to the parish room and reflect on a children's version of the gospel and have their own Liturgy of the Word. If you would like to help with this please let us know. All adults will need to have DBS clearance and we will be happy to help with this.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION: We are going to follow the practice recommended by the diocese for children for First Holy Communion and Confirmation to be prepared within the parish by parish catechists and supported by the clergy. So for the children who are looking to celebrate the sacraments next year we will prepare them, those in Catholic Schools and those in State Schools, within the parish. This will consist of one Saturday morning a month and the classes will be held at St Patrick's Primary School. We will give dates and times in the next few weeks. I know this is a major change and we will be asking the families to commit to the programmes but it is also a wonderful way for the children to get to know each other throughout the parishes in Corby.

CLEANERS: We are very fortunate to have parish volunteers who clean the Church. Their commitment and care of the church is very much appreciated. However due to changing circumstances a number of our cleaners have had to step back. A number of people have came forward to help and if you'd like to join them please let us know.

OLIVE WOOD CARVINGS FROM THE HOLYLAND: The Good Shepherd Company from the Holy land (Bethlehem) which is based in Nottingham will be selling items at the back of the church this weekend.

THAT WENT QUICKLY! Our Schools are breaking up for their summer holidays and are looking for a well deserved rest. If you are going away, have a safe trip and if you're staying at home we hope you have a relaxing time and will have ample opportunity to recharge your batteries for September. If you are visiting friends or family here in Corby you are very welcome. Have a lovely, restful and safe summer everyone.