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Parish office is closed Wednesdays, Saturdays

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## 5th & 6th July 2025 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

## **OUR PARISH LITURGY THIS WEEK**

Saturday	6.00pm	Matthew Hackett RIP
Sunday	9.00am	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Jim Byrne RIP
Monday	Monday of week 14 in Ordinary Time	
7.00pm	Conor Harte RIP	
Tuesday	Tuesday of week 14 in Ordinary Time	
10.00am	Theresa Rogers Int.	
Wednesday	No Mass	
Thursday	Thursday of week 14 in Ordinary Time	
10.00am	Colette Carr Int.	
Friday	St Benedict, Abbot, Co-Patron of Europe	
10.00am	Kathleen O'Gorman Int.	
Saturday	6.00pm	Lily O'Donnell RIP
Sunday	9.00am	People of the Parish
	11.00am	Copeland Family RIP

**CONFESSIONS:** 5.00pm Saturdays, or by appointment.

**NEXT SUNDAY: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

If you own a Catholic Truth Society Missal: 1016

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM: SUNDAY: Cry out with** 

joy to God, all the earth.

## LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION:

OFFERTORY: £1083.07 STANDING ORDERS: £220.26 TOTAL: £1303.33

RESTORATION: £258.50

If you are a taxpayer and haven't already done so please fill in a Gift Aid form. For every pound you donate we can claim an extra 25p from the government with no cost to you.

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NEW OFFERTORY ENVELOPES: If you had envelopes last year and didn't manage to pick up your new envelopes in March please contact the Parish Office:

Mon,Tues,Thurs & Friday 10am to
4.00pm on 01536 202879 or email:
parish.stbrendan@northamptondiocese.org

Thank you to all who generously support the parish financially.

**BAPTISM MEETING:** The next Baptism meeting will be on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> July at 12.15pm.

PARISH CATHOLIC SCHOOLS: St Brendan's Primary School: Beanfield Avenue, NN18

0AZ 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**

BRING-A-BURGER (& A CHAIR IF YOU CAN): We are planning a Parish barbecue (weather permitting) on Sunday 20th July after 11.00am Mass. You don't have to bring something for the barbecue if you would like to you could bring a traditional national dish. This could be a wonderful way to celebrate the great cultures that make up our Parish. Let us know if you are bringing anything so that we can make plans. There will be a sheet at the back of the church for you to write items down. If you do bring something with you for the barbecue could you bring it into the Parish Room before 11.00am Mass so that the people preparing the barbecue can get things organised.

**CHANGES TO OUR TOWN:** Fr Mark will hold meetings in early September as we prepare for the coming together of the Corby parishes which is due to take place at the end of September. There will be changes but it is an exciting time where the Catholic community of Corby will come together in a more formal way and so continue the incredible legacy and mission that has been promoted over many decades. Fr Mark will also make an announcement about clergy appointments at Masses this weekend.

**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 work commitments and medical issues (not relating to the church cleaning I hasten to add!) a number of our cleaners have had to step back. Would any of you like to volunteer to help with this very important ministry - a clean Church makes such a huge difference as it shows it is loved and cared for. If we have a number of volunteers come forward we could have rotas which means you may only be on duty once a month or so. Please let us know, don't be shy and play your part in this important parish role.

LISTENING PROCESS: Fr Mark would like to thank all the parishioners who got involved in the listening process. We have another opportunity this weekend after the 11.00am Mass to have your say about the parish. The discussions are carried out in a very relaxed setting and it's more of a conversation. In a special way we would like to thank Mags Connelly for the leading role she has played in the process. Mags had led practically all the meetings and has dedicated a lot of time and effort into the process for which we are most grateful. If you were unable to attend any of these you can still give your input. Scan the QR code at the bottom of the newsletter or on the poster at the back of the church and give your comments directly to the diocese. The contributions people have made, the priorities they have suggested will now be forwarded to the diocesan team as we prepare for the Bishop's visit on Monday 21st July.

**OLIVE WOOD CARVINGS FROM THE HOLYLAND:** We are the Good Shepherd Company from the Holy land (Bethlehem) which is based in Nottingham. Our goal is to support and help the Christian families in the Holyland, to stay at work as olive wood carves is one of the most important source of income for them, as 90% of the Christians rely on this sale. So by selling their produce here in their behalf, this will prevent the Christians from leaving the country in search of better work opportunities.

BEEN OR GOING ON HOLIDAY ABROAD? – MARY'S MEALS: Throughout July and August there will be special envelopes at the back of the church for you to take home or even take on holiday with you, to put all your spare foreign coins and notes into. Clear out your drawers and have a look under the sofa or keep it in your purse or wallet while on holiday. Currently the charity feeds over 2.4 million young children one good meal every day in their place of education – by giving Mary's Meals your foreign coins and notes you can help feed the next hungry child. Mary's Meals feeds in over 18 countries. Because of their low costs they can do this for as little as £19.15 per child per year! They will also take UK coins/notes that aren't legal tender.

