



# Heart to Heart

Newsletter of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Luton - Reg Charity No: 234091  
Province of Westminster, Diocese of Northampton, Deanery of St Alban

**22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 2021 - Year B - Psalter Week 2 - 29<sup>th</sup> August 2021**

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**Pastoral Area Info:** www.lutonpastoralarea.org

**Redundancy Coaching Info:** www.vitaeopus.co.uk

**SACRAMENTS:** For public Masses (in bold below) face covering, sanitising and social distancing are optional. All other Masses are celebrated privately. Baptisms and Confessions are by appointment.

<b>Saturday 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	Michael Gear RIP	St Augustine
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9.00am</b> <b>11.00am</b>	Joseph Jay Jablonski RIP	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Private	Elizabeth Chambers RIP	SS Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line and Margaret Ward
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Private		St Aidan and the Saints of Lindisfarne
<b>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>9.30am</b> <b>FUNERAL</b> <b>6.00pm</b>	Celine Family Intentions <b>Mary English RIP</b>	Day of prayer for the Care of Creation
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Private	Mary English RIP	
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Private		Pope St Gregory The Great
<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	Mrs Judy Hughes RIP	St Cuthbert

**SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:** My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love You above all things and I passionately desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to You now and forever. Amen.

Entrance Antiphon	<b>Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.</b>
Psalm Response	<b>The just will live in the presence of the Lord.</b>
Gospel Acclamation	<b>Alleluia, alleluia! Your words are spirit Lord, and they are life: you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!</b>
Communion Antiphon	<b>How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.</b>

**MARY'S MEALS HAITI EARTHQUAKE APPEAL:** The recent 7.2 magnitude earthquake in Haiti has left around half a million children needing emergency humanitarian assistance. Tens of thousands of homes have been destroyed and people are in urgent need of food, safe water and shelter. Mary's Meals has been feeding children in Haiti for 15 years, working closely with four established and trusted local partners. Many communities were already vulnerable due to ongoing political unrest and the long-term damage created by previous natural disasters. Please give if you can at [https://giving.marysmeals.org/en\\_gb/donate-to-haiti-org?utm\\_source=Haiti+Earthquake+Appeal+-+ORG&utm\\_campaign=c039be17ccEMAIL\\_CAMPAIGN\\_2019\\_02\\_19\\_08\\_59\\_COPY\\_01&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_429f1b0008-c039be17cc-79219314](https://giving.marysmeals.org/en_gb/donate-to-haiti-org?utm_source=Haiti+Earthquake+Appeal+-+ORG&utm_campaign=c039be17ccEMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2019_02_19_08_59_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_429f1b0008-c039be17cc-79219314)

**NOAH LANGUAGE TEACHERS:** The Catholic homelessness charity NOAH needs ESOL (English to Speakers of Other Languages) teachers to support those who are disadvantaged, marginalised, refugees or struggling with mental health or emotional issues to escape from poverty into sustainable living, potentially including seeking employment. If you share NOAH's core values of care, compassion and commitment and are interested in this valuable and worthy role, then please go to <https://www.noahenterprise.org>, or email [academy@noahenterprise.org](mailto:academy@noahenterprise.org), or phone 01582 726152.

**TAKING LITURGY SERIOUSLY:** This Zoom course is being offered by the Society of St Gregory from September 2021 until July 2022. It is an introduction to the liturgy of our church to develop knowledge and ability to worship. You can find more info at <https://ssg.org.uk>. You can also obtain matched Diocesan funding by contacting Liz Clark of the Liturgy Commission at [liz.clark4@btopenworld.com](mailto:liz.clark4@btopenworld.com)

**YOUTH MINISTRY CONFERENCE:** The NYMO annual Youth Ministry Conference will be on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October in Luton with the theme of re-engaging young people in the Church post lockdown. The conference starts at 11.00am and finishes at 3.30pm. Conference tickets (£10) can be booked at <https://nymo.org/product/youth-ministry-conference/>. More info at <https://nymo.org/conference/>

**BISHOP DAVID VIDEOS:** A series of short talks from Bishop David can be viewed on the Diocesan YouTube channel [https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLigXOaGqhQzNpf\\_eRN22OCpVpaEk-0Bn3](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLigXOaGqhQzNpf_eRN22OCpVpaEk-0Bn3)

**CAFOD APPEAL:** <https://cafod.org.uk/News/Emergencies-news> provides info on CAFOD's many responses to the numerous current significant crises across the world. Your compassion, generous donations and prayers help them enormously to continue supporting communities in great need.

**PARISH RE-ENGAGEMENT RESOURCES:** The Diocesan site <https://pastoralministryoffice.org/refresh/> contains resources to refresh parish ministries and reach out to those yet to return to Mass. If you are interested in helping, please speak with Fr Mirek or email [fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org)

**11.00AM MASS SINGERS:** If you are interested in joining the 11.00am Mass choir then please email [parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org) - as St Augustine, the great fifth-century bishop of North Africa said "Those who sing pray twice."

**GIFT AID:** If you would like to have gifting envelopes, or if you are interested in helping with the gift aid administration, then please email [parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:parish.sacredheartofjesus@northamptondiocese.org)

**CONFIRMATION CATECHISTS 2022:** The Parish needs new Confirmation catechists to run the Confirmation programme. Please consider this as a way for you to serve our Parish. For more information, please speak with Fr Mirek or email [fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org)

**PARISH SAFEGUARDING:** The Parish needs a new volunteer Safeguarding Representative to administer the DBS process for volunteers. Initial and ongoing training will be provided. For more information, please speak with Fr Mirek or email [fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org)

**PASTORAL AREA REPRESENTATIVE:** The Parish needs a new volunteer Pastoral Area Representative to facilitate communication and collaboration across all of the Luton Parishes. For more information, please speak with Fr Mirek or email [fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:fmirekmisiura@northamptondiocese.org)

**MARY ENGLISH RIP:** The Requiem Mass for Mary English RIP will be at 6.00pm on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September followed by burial in Achill Island, Ireland.

**MARGARET COFFEY RIP:** The Requiem Mass for Margaret Coffey RIP will be 11.30am on Wednesday 1<sup>5th</sup> September followed by burial at St Botolph's churchyard in Shenleybury at 1.00pm.

**RIP:** Please keep Mary English RIP, Margaret Coffey RIP, Helen McNelis RIP and all other recently deceased Parishioners in your prayers at this sad and difficult time for their families and friends.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Elizabeth Griffiths 1986; Hector Vinent 1996; Timothy McCarthy 2006; Gwen Dooley 2009; Jean Johnette 1991; Revelina Ner 2002; Thomas O'Neill 2005; Rosaline McPherson 2006; Catherine Thomson 2009; William Sims 2000; John Barber 2006; Elizabeth Kimmer 2011; Francis Conway 1978; John Mead 1984; Alfred Thurlow 1988; Andrew Malcolm 1999; Joseph McGrath 2010; Ann-Marie Duffy 2011; Anne Marie Halloran 1968; John Manning 2007; John Fennelly 2010; Irene Crokes 1965; Denis Michael McGrattan 1984; Martin McHugh 1989; Richard Gallagher 2004; Harry McHale 2004; Anna Mary Ficeto 2014. ✠ **May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**