#### WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

If you are a visitor or new to the parish, we welcome you warmly. All Masses are live streamed and Mass streaming links can be found at www.saintmichaelsonningcommon.org.uk If you would like a home visit please call Fr Michael Tel: 0118 972 3418,

Deacon Brian Theobald Tel: 07484332580 or email the parish office.

# Many Congratulations to Deacon Brian on the $10^{\text{TH}}$ Anniversary of his Ordination.

There will be coffee and cake after the 10.30 Mass this Sunday to celebrate this event.

#### HELP WITH IRONING NEEDED -

We are looking for 9 people to take home one of the hall tablecloths each to iron. They are in a black bin bag at the back of Church and are all washed, so only ironing needed—please return the cloth to the back of Church Many thanks for your help.

#### PARKING

Please be considerate when parking on the side roads around the church and respect our neighbours rights of way.

# ITEMS LEFT AT THE BACK OF CHURCH

There are various items at the back of Church under the notice boards including a bag of tea towels and a box of toiletries. Could you contact the office if you know anything about them. Email: stmichaels.rc@hotmail.co.uk

# THE CHURCH GARDENING CLUB

Will meet at 9:30am on Tuesday, 23rd July - Weather permitting. If you would like to come and help for 30 minutes or the full 3 hours you are most welcome to join in. Tools and refreshments provided

#### 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time 21st July, 2024 Vigil Mass 5.30pm James Creighton Sunday 9.00 am People of the Parish 10.30 am Children of the Parish Monday 9.00 am Mass in St Martin's School - All welcome Tuesday 12.00 pm Rosaleen's Intentions Wednesday 9.30 am Holy Souls Thursday 12.00 pm Holy Souls 9.30 am Holy Souls Friday 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time 28TH JULY, 2024 Vigil Mass 5.30pm People of the Parish Sunday 9.00 am Euralia Antao 10.30 am Children of the Parish

## The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available in the Sacristy

this Saturday, 20th July, from 10.00am - 10.30am and from 4.45pm - 5.30pm or at any time on request

The Sacrament of the Sick - any time on request., telephone 0118 972 3418

#### PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Dominic Antão, Catherine Belletty, Phyllis Belletty, Vera Bird, Robert Brooks, Liz Bouchier, Joe Bunton, Savanna Clark, Jean Davies, Mary Edwards, Bob Ely, Alison Flynn, Cecilia Fung, Mary Hagger, Rogan Hodgson, Vivien Kear, Jennifer Learmonth, Louise Milledge, Reuben Muston, Veronica Parker, John Raynard, Elizabeth Rogers,

Fr. Paul Rowan, Marilyn and Dominic Sakrouge, Peppin Sanz, Carl Stitt, Shirley Trollop. **May the Lord bring them healing and peace.** 

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mary Lewis who can be contacted at: <u>sg.stmichael.sonningcommon@rcaob.org.uk</u> or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted by telephoning: 0121 230 6240 or emailing <u>safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk</u> if you have any concerns.

# Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Roman Missal Page 328 (331)

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

#### Psalm response: The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want .

#### Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me, Alleluia!

The Apostles Creed is on page 8.

#### To follow the Bidding Prayers:

Remember, O most loving Virgin Mary, that it is a thing unheard of, that anyone ever had recourse to your protection, implored your help, or sought your intercession and was left unaided. Filled, therefore, with confidence in your goodness, I fly to you, O Mother, Virgin of Virgins. To you I come, before you I stand, a sorrowful sinner. Despise not my poor words. O Mother of the Word of God, but graciously hear and grant my prayer. Amen.

# To conclude the Bidding Prayers:

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace. where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love. For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; and it is in dying that we are born to eternal life. Amen.

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

The newsletter is also available at www.saintmichael.sonningcommon.org.uk If you do not need to take this one home, please do return it to the console at the back of Church after Mass, so that it can be reused. Many thanks.

Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity No 234216



Roman Catholic Parish of St Michael, Sonning Common Parish Priest: Fr Michael Sharkey Tel: 0118 972 3418 Email: stmichaels.rc@hotmail.co.uk Or stmichael.sonningcommon@rcaob.org.uk Parish Deacon: Deacon Brian Theobald Tel: 07484332580 Email: dcn.brian.theobald@rcaob.org.uk

> 21st July 2024 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

