

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.

A MESSAGE FROM DEACON BRIAN

Thank you all for the many words of congratulations I received last weekend as I celebrated my 10th anniversary of ordination.
They are very much appreciated. Thank you again.

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, 30th 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

DATES FOR THE DIARY

These are listed on the back of the Thought for the Week

PLASTIC BLITZ

The clean up of the riverbanks on 31st August.
A sign up sheet is now available at the back of Church for this event .

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
Monday	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Rosaleen's Intentions
Wednesday	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Thursday	12.00 pm	Holy Souls
Friday	9.30 am	Holy Souls

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4TH AUGUST , 2024

Vigil Mass	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.00 am	Holy Souls
	10.30 am	Children of the Parish

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available in the Sacristy this Saturday, 27th 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, Dominic Sakrouge, Peppin Sanz, 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: sg.stmichael.sonningcommon@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted by telephoning: 0121 230 6240 or emailing safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Roman Missal Page 338 (341)

Entrance antiphon:

God is in his holy place,
God who unites those who dwell in his house.
He himself gives might and strength to his people.

Psalm response: You open wide your hand, O Lord, and grant our desires.

Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia! Your words are spirit, Lord and they are life:
you have the message of eternal life. 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: Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and never forget all his benefits

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.

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28th July 2024

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)



With 5 loaves and 2 fish Jesus fed the 5000.