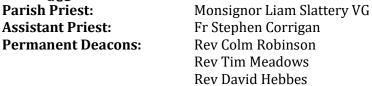


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30th January 2022 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

Coorday 20th Ianua	(Cat)	Mass	Wardana M A DID
Sunday 30th January	6.00pm (Sat)		Varkey M A <i>RIP</i>
Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9.00am	Mass	Cecilia Edwards <i>RIP</i>
Diocesan Prayer Link	10.30am	Mass	Deceased Members of the Monday Club
Hospital & Prison Chaplaincies	12.30pm		Language Mass
	5.30pm		People of the Parish
Monday 31st January	9.10am	Morning Prayer	
St John Bosco	9.30am	Mass	Ints of Elizabeth Knight & Family
Tuesday 1st February	6.00pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
Weekday in Ordinary Time	7.00pm	Mass	Private Intention
Wednesday 2nd February	11.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	
Presentation of the Lord	12.00pm	Mass	Eileen Dewsnip <i>RIP</i>
Thursday 3rd February	9.10am	Morning Prayer	
Weekday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	Mass	Ints of Con & Mary O'Mahony
Friday 4th February	9.10am	Morning Prayer	
Weekday in Ordinary Time	9.30am	Mass	Thanksgiving – Gayya Family
	8.00pm	Polish l	Language Mass
Saturday 5th February	9.30am	Rosary	
St Agatha	10.00am	Mass	Antonio Pugrad <i>RIP</i>
	10.45am – 11.3	30am	Confessions
	3.00pm	Filipino	o Monthly Mass
	5.00pm – 5.30p	om	Confessions
	6.00pm	Mass	Brendan Markey <i>RIP</i>
	7.30pm	Polish l	Language Mass
Sunday 6th February	9.00am	Mass	People of the Parish
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.30am	Mass	Alan Hipwell <i>RIP</i>
	12.30pm	Polish l	Language Mass
	5.30pm	Mass	Thanksgiving – Michael McGarr

This Week: Ordinary Time week 4 and Year 2 for readings at weekday mass. Divine Office - Psalter Week 4.

Church Cleaning: After morning mass on Monday.

Baptism: We welcome into the family of the Church Nicholas Curelaru, Lilith Slepcikova, Oscar Lasota baptised last weekend.

Last Weekend: Mass Attendance – 507 Offertory - £1045.61

Card Reader: Parishioners can now give to the weekly collection or donate to parish funds via the contactless card reader at the back of the church or via the DONA tab on the parish website.

Moving Forward: Following the lifting of 'Plan B' restrictions on 27th January we need to acknowledge that there is still a risk associated with gathering for sustained periods in enclosed spaces and therefore there needs to be continued caution by all against infection. Please do not attend mass if you are showing any Covid-19 symptoms. People may continue to wear face coverings, if they wish to do so, and it is strongly recommended that they do so while singing to help stop transmission. It is still good practice to sanitise hands on entering and exiting the church. We all share a responsibility to keep each other safe as we move towards a more normal way of living with the virus in circulation. From the Bishops' conference of England and Wales. See www.cbcew.org.uk.

The Clifton Evangelist: As a new venture, the Diocesan Department of Adult Education and Evangelisation has launched a newsletter that it is both a source of information and formation, engaging you, the people of our diocese, in sharing and growing in our capacity to be faith-filled people, serving the wider community, and proclaiming the Gospel. It can be accessed via the Clifton Diocese website under the 'Faith and Formation' tab.

Synod 2023: Completed handouts can be left in the box provided at the back of the Church or emailed to stephen.corrigan@cliftondiocese.com. For more information on the Synod please visit the Clifton Diocese website. Please feel free to have as many conversations, with as many different people as you like and fill in as many forms as needed. The parish deadline for responses is Sunday 13th February.

RIP: We ask your prayers for those who have died recently:

Lilian 'Joan' McCann, funeral service Thursday February 3rd at 1.00pm followed by committal at Gloucester Crematorium.

200 Club: Debbie will be collecting the 200 Club subscriptions for the next three weeks. Please hand in or send to Debbie at 13 Massey Road, Gloucester, GL1 4LG. It's £24 for the year. If you require more information or would like to change to paying by direct debit, please call Debbie on 537189. Thank you for your continued support with this parish fund raiser.

Healing Retreat Day: Saturday 2nd April 2022 10.30am – 4.00pm at Holy Family Centre, Prinknash. See poster for more details.

CAFOD's Walk Against Hunger Lent Challenge: There are 200 million children in the world whose lives are at risk from malnutrition. This Lent, challenge yourself to walk 200km, and help give hunger its marching orders. Do 5k a day, your way, for 40 days, get sponsored and you'll conquer your 200km target in time for Easter – and help people around the world to live free from hunger. To take part, go to cafod.org.uk/walk.

Prayer Intention of Pope Francis for February: For religious sisters and consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our time.

Publications: February editions of My Day by Day (75p), Bible Alive (£3) and Sacred Heart Messenger (£1.85) available at the back of the church.

Liturgy, a Call to Love. The latest video in this series, featuring Bishop Declan, is now on the diocesan website.

Tribunal Assistant Administrator: A vacancy has arisen in the Diocesan Matrimonial Tribunal Team for a part-time Tribunal Assistant to support the Administrator with the key activities of the Tribunal Office. The role is for 12 hours per week on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9.00am to 1.00pm and based in Alexander House, in Bristol. Further information is available on https://cliftondiocese.com/diocese/working-for-us/, or for an informal discussion about the position, please contact Deacon Vincent Calder, Tribunal Administrator, Clifton Diocese on 0117 983 3907. Closing date for receipt of applications: 11 February 2022

Newman Association: There will be a talk on Tuesday 1st February at 2.30pm, in the lounge of Sacred Hearts' Hall, Moorend Road, Charlton Kings, Cheltenham, GL53 9AU. Fr Richard Ounsworth OP, academic, peripatetic retreat-giver, and preacher, will talk to us on *How does the Letter to the Hebrews read the Old Testament?* All are welcome. Admission: £3 (members & students free) Enquires to Stephanie Jamison, tel: 01242 539810.

Altar Serving: Altar servers (maximum of 6 per mass) will be reintroduced from the weekend of $19^{th}/20^{th}$ February. Those interested are asked to make contact with one of the parish clergy.

We remember those who have asked for our prayers: Deacon David Hebbes, Fr Donal Daly, Andrea Brushneen, Sue Hartnett, Margaret Coleman, Marie O'Connor, Pat O'Ryan, David Burke, Cheryl Loy, Natalia Price, Sharon Scott, Christopher Browne, Paul Hawketts, Kathy Smith, Joan O'Connell, Breedge Maguire, Eamonn Bohan, Sandra Flanagan, Jean Crickett, Dan Roche, Oliver Cuffe. In compliance with the requirements of GDPR permission must be sought from an individual or next of kin before their name can be added to a list of those who are sick.