

17TH – 18TH AUGUST 2024

PARISH OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
FAVERSHAM AND SURROUNDING VILLAGES



WHITEFRIARS, 35 TANNERS STREET, FAVERSHAM ME13 7JW
OUR CHURCH IS OPEN EVERY DAY FROM 8AM – 8.30PM VIA THE SHRINE OF ST JUDE,
ACCESSED FROM THE CAR PARK BEHIND THE CHURCH



TWENTIETH SUNDAY YEAR B

PRAYER AND MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer 9.00am Tuesday – Friday, 9.40am Saturday
Evening Prayer 6.00pm Monday – Friday

CHILDREN'S
LITURGY AT THE
SUNDAY 10.30AM
MASS EACH WEEK

SATURDAY 17TH	10.00AM	Maureen Houghton RIP / Jamie Houghton
	6.00PM	People of the Parish
SUNDAY 18TH	9.00AM	Andrew Tham RIP
TWENTIETH SUNDAY OF YEAR B	10.30AM	Mary Therese Lynch RIP
MONDAY 19TH	-----	NO MASS TODAY
TUESDAY 20TH	12NOON	Marianne Cranenburgh – husband and family
WEDNESDAY 21ST	9.15 AM	Marie Clarke RIP
THURSDAY 22ND	9.15 AM	Victoria Donanno RIP
FRIDAY 23RD	9.15 AM	Evangelista Camilleri – 1st anniversary
SATURDAY 24TH	10.00AM	Bernard Farshaw – health
	6.00PM	People of the parish
SUNDAY 25TH	9.00AM	Mary Paterson – special intentions
TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY OF YEAR B	10.30AM	John Regan RIP

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Baby Sienna Bentley, Caroline S-S & baby, Jade, Jules, Jo, Kieran Lowney, Kathy Hammond, Dillon, Michael Marsh, Zita Devis, Veronica Cole, Sean Blake, Tommy Gallagher, Paul Durkin, Linda LaDue, Peter & Jessie Duckworth, Tom Turner, Janet Daly, Louise Marshallsay, Peter Greene, Patrick Mongan, Jerry McDonagh, Martin Hayes, Betty Bushell, Nell Goodwin, Ann Rake, Sammy, Millie Castelino, Wendy Coley, Bob Costa, Ted Davis, Ian Davison, Lucas Harmsworth, Barnaby Marchant, Gail O'Connor, Joan O'Sullivan, Julian Philips, Lola Rinvoluceri, Mario Rinvoluceri, Ginny & Richard Woodroffe and Paul Williams. **AND ALL FOR WHOM WE HAVE BEEN ASKED TO PRAY** including Peter Woods, Matthew & Theresa, Elizabeth Derrick, Kevin Lucas Malcolm & Betty Searchfield. **PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY**, including Noel Griffin, Levi Zimba, Graham Joiner Maureen Watters, Gerry Donohoe, Eugenia Amoah, Sarah Dean, **AS WELL AS THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES ARE AROUND THIS TIME, INCLUDING** Antony Mendy, Susy Richards, Anne Brown, Maurice Lewis, Raymond Turner, Carolyn Gabb, Agnes Riddle, Eileen Higgs, Karen Woodcock and Angela Roberts. **WE ALSO PRAY FOR** peace in Ukraine and the Holy Land, all who are refugees and migrants, for the work of the foodbank, the outreach of the SVP in our parish, for the pilgrims to the Shrine of St Jude.

OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY A COMMUNITY OF CARMELITE FRIARS

KEVIN MELODY, PARISH PRIEST; **PAUL DE GROOT**, SHRINE CHAPLAIN; **RICHARD COPSEY**, PROVINCE HISTORIAN

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MONDAY MASSES – there will be no Monday morning Masses during August and September.

MASS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE on Sunday 1ST September at 10.30am. We will have an opportunity to pray for children and young people who are moving between classes, schools, college as well as on to university or work. If there is anyone you would like to be prayed for by name, please give us the names – email, phone or drop off to one of us in the next few weeks. Thank you.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS those who have died, including Noel Griffin. Noel was the wife of Marie Griffin, sister of Br Tony O'Donnell and very good friends with Tony. You may remember that Marie died only a couple of months ago. We also remember Levi Zimba, the uncle of Nick Trim's wife, and Graham Joiner. We keep them and their families and friends in our prayers. May they rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen.

BR RICHARD GREEN, O.CARM. We welcome Br Richard who will be with us this weekend. You may remember that Richard was ordained as a deacon earlier this year and he will exercise his ministry with us at our parish Masses on Saturday and Sunday.

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SOUTHWARK CATHOLIC YOUTH - The Southwark Catholic Youth Service has planned several activities for youth and young adults. For regular updates on forthcoming events, please sign up to the network at www.tinyurl.com/scysnetwork or see the website at www.tinyurl.com/scys1

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BUILDING WORKS As you are probably aware, works are going on in Whitefriars with the refurbishment of the ground floor. For a long time, it has suffered with rising damp and the time has come when it cannot be postponed any longer. Like Carmel Hall, the floor had no proper base and so needs to be removed and a new base laid. Coupled with the need to remove the plaster from the walls to put in a proper damp proof layer, it looks like it will take a few months to be finished. The good news from the parish perspective is that the costs are covered by the Carmelite Charitable Trust and we are grateful for your ongoing support of the CCT. Thank you.

A PRAYER: Our living God, you let us taste and see how good you are by giving us your Son Jesus Christ as the bread and drink of life. Give him to us today as our daily bread, that with him we may pass from death to life.

Let his life flow in us and overflow on our brothers and sisters, that we may become his body to the world. We ask this through Christ our Lord. R/ Amen.

You can find Sunday's scripture readings here: www.universalis.com/20240818/mass.htm and
Sign-up for the parish news email: www.whitefriarsfaversham.org

Entrance Antiphon: Turn your eyes, O God, our shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one day within your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

Psalms response: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! All who eat my flesh and drink my blood live in me, and I live in them, says the Lord. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon: I am the living bread that came down from heaven, says the Lord. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: If you would like to make a donation to the work of the SVP in our parish, you can use their bank account. A/c number: 46075364 S/C: 60-60-04 SVP Faversham