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23rd FEBRUARY, 2025

Parishes of St Paulinus and St Margaret
Clitherow

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME-YEAR C

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MASS INTENTIONS AND SERVICES (22ND - 29TH February, 2025)

Sat. 22 nd Feb 6.00 p.m.	<i>Vigil Mass</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
Sun. 23 rd Feb 9.00 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
	11.00 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>	St Paulinus
Mon. 24 th Feb 6.30 p.m.	<i>Adoration</i>	STEPHEN MUIR	St Margaret Clitherow's
	7.00 p.m.	<i>Mass</i>	St Margaret Clitherow's
Tue. 25 th Feb 9.30 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
Wed. 26 th Feb 9.30 a.m.	<i>Adoration</i>		St Paulinus
	10.00 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>	St Paulinus
	6.30 p.m.	<i>Adoration</i>	St Margaret Clitherow's
	7.00 p.m.	<i>Mass</i>	St Margaret Clitherow's
Thu. 27 th Feb 9.30 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
Fri. 28 th Feb 9.30 a.m.	<i>Mass</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
Sat. 1 st March 10.30 a.m.	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>		St Margaret Clitherow's
	6.00 p.m.	<i>Vigil Mass</i>	St Margaret Clitherow's

PLEASE PRAY

for those who are sick or housebound:

**Lizzie Black, Michael Gairn, Helen Jewitt, Paul Lowther, Helen Norris,
Nora O'Brien, Patricia O'Donnell, Madge Quinn, Tony Recchia, Julie Thomson, Mary Ward;**

for those whose Anniversaries occur about this time:

**Peter Jackson, Fr Patrick Grant, Ray Richards, Peter Penrose, Trevor Mollan, Winifred
Smart**

and for those who have died recently

Tom Hudson

ADORATION AND MORNING MASS (26/2/ 2025)

We will continue our usual Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Morning Mass on
Wednesday at 9:30 a.m., and 10:00 a.m., respectively. May the Lord bless you as you come
with your family and friends

ORDINATION ANNIVERSARIES:- (26/07/2025)

WE ARE INVITED TO THE **GOLDEN ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY OF RT. REV TERENCE DRAINEY AND THE
DIAMOND ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY OF BISHOP EMERITUS JOHN CROWLEY AT MARY'S CATHEDRAL,
DALBY WAY, COULBY NEWHAM, MIDDLESBROUGH, TS8 OTW, ON SATURDAY, 26TH JULY 2025, AT
MIDDAY. IF YOU HOPE TO BE THERE, PLEASE WRITE YOUR NAME ON THE PORCH. THANKS.**

COMMUNION SONG 'BREAD FOR THE WORLD' BY BERNADETTE FARRELL

CHORUS: BREAD FOR THE WORLD, A WORLD OF HUNGER, WINE FOR ALL PEOPLES,
PEOPLE WHO THIRST. MAY WE WHO EAT, BE BREAD FOR OTHERS,
MAY WE WHO DRINK, POUR OUT OUR LOVE.

This Sunday's Readings

1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Luke 6:27-38

THE HOLY GOSPEL FOR THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME, 23RD FEBRUARY, 2025

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke

'Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful.'

At that time: Jesus said to his disciples, 'I say to you who hear: Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. To one who strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from one who takes away your cloak do not withhold your tunic either. Give to everyone who begs from you; and from one who takes away your goods, do not demand them back. And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them.

'If you love those who love you, what benefit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what benefit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you expect to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to get back the same amount. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil.

'Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful. Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven. Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.'

The Gospel of the Lord

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARIES:

Dear Parishioners, we will have a special blessing today for all those who celebrate their Birthday anniversaries this month after the prayer after communion.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

	Loose Plate	90.00	Candle	£3.00
	Envelopes	150.00	Missal	£15.00
	Standing Orders	<u>75.00</u>		
		£333.00		Many thanks
Church Cleaner	W/E 15 th February		Laura Huffen	
	W/E 1 st March		Win Hartley	
Readers	Sunday 23 rd February	11.00 a.m.	Petronella Chishinge	
	Sunday 2 nd March	11.00 a.m.	Tracey Ware	
Offertory Counters	Sunday 23 rd February	11.00 a.m.	David Crawford	
	Sunday 2 nd March	11.00 a.m.	David Gath	

Items for publication are most welcome, and should reach (StMargaretClitherow@rcdmidd.org.uk) by **Wednesday 26th February** for inclusion in the next edition.

HAVE A BLISSFUL SUNDAY