

Blessed Robert Grissold Catholic Church, Balsall Common

In the Parish of St Francis of Assisi, Baddesley Clinton

SUNDAY 3rd AUGUST 2008 EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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They all ate as much as they wanted

Pope's Prayer Intention *That the human family may learn to respect God's plan for the world and become ever more aware that Creation is God's great gift.*

Welcome to Fr. Sijo Arikkat who is the great nephew of Fr. Sebastian. He will be with us for four weeks. Fr. Sebastian will be on vacation from 6th August to 6th September. Fr. Sijo will substitute him.

On 15th August the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary will be celebrated as a day of obligation with a holy Mass at 7.30pm

Collection of 27th July: Envelopes £129.50, Loose plate £68.64. Total £198.14
Thank you for your generosity.

Happy Holidays! Let us remember those who are making their holidays in far lands and who are travelling these days. We wish them good time and enjoyment.

Date for your diary – Parish Quiz Saturday 27thSeptember. More details to follow

Father Hudson's Society: Very sincere thanks to all who took part in the street collection yesterday. Good luck to those who have volunteered to do 'The house-to-house' collection this coming week.

The Sale of Easter cards amounted to £12.35. Very many thanks to all who bought them. Apologies for the delay in publishing this.

Youth Group: Blessed Robert Grissold's Youth Group now meets every Sunday evening from 6.00pm to 7.30pm. If you are aged 11 or over, and are interested in joining, please call Rebecca on 01676 533283 or talk to us at the Fair-trade stall in the parish room after Mass.

100 Club Winners July 2008: 84 Debbie Nightingale (£25), 3 Chris Burleigh (£15)
60 Anne Stewart (£10).

Parish Room: Use of the Parish Room MUST be booked with **Louise Perry** – Tel (01676) 533357.

Contributions for the Bulletin: Please send items to **John Perry** (01676) 533357 or jpgerry@btinternet.com by **7.00pm on Wednesday**.

Your prayers are asked for:

Those who are sick and their carers – Clare McGovern, Eleanor McGinn, Monica Pillow, Pauline McNamara, Jessie Cotterill, Bert Belford, Kate Sutton, Lily May Carr, Ann Wright, Mary Dunne, Jacqueline O'Connor, Teresa Connolly, Val Pugh, Heather O'Connell, Laura Hart, Pat Furey, Jim Kiernan, Bernard Hollington, Hannah & Edward Sheehan, Kate O'Connell, Carol Beck and Norma Edmunstone.

Anniversaries – Kay Bushel, Parishioner and Rev. Dennis Manion, Former Parish Priest.

Liturgy and Rota arrangements for the coming week

Date:	3 rd August	10 th August
Day:	18 th Sunday of the year	19 th Sunday of the year
Time:	9.30am	9.30am
Intention:	Intentions of Carol Beck	Intentions of Carol Beck
Celebrant:	Father Sebastian Arikat	Father Sebastian Arikat
Wardens:	Christine Harris & Paul O'Donnell	Ciaran McSorley & Celine Burleigh
Reader:	John McLellan	Callum Sharp
Eucharistic	Joe Martin,	Maureen Carroll
Ministers:	John Perry, Louise Perry	Nuala Fulham Bridie McSorley
Counting:	Maureen Carroll & Jean Henser	Chris Burleigh & Martin Sheehy
Tea & Coffee:	Louise Perry & Ann Dodd	D. Russell & Debbie Nightingale
Cleaning:	Mary Sharp & Anne O'Brien	Sue Butler & Julia Greensall
Flowers:	Linda Chesshire	Chris Mitchell
Children's Liturgy:	No Children's Liturgy (School Holidays)	No Children's Liturgy (School Holidays)
Music:	Ian & Ellie Clarke	Ian & Ellie Clarke
Date:	No Mass on Tuesday	

Saints of the week: St. John Vianney (4th), Dedication of St Mary Major (5th), St. Sixtus II (7th), St. Dominic (8th), St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (9th).

Parish Priest: Revd Father John Sharp

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