Sacred Heart, Howden and St Joseph & St Thomas, Goole

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

Sunday 16th July 2017

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**Special Announcements**. Today is Sea Sunday, with Second Collection for the Apostleship of the Sea.

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| *Date* | *Time* | *Place* | *Service/Event* | *Intentions* |
| Sat 15th July | 5.30pm | St Joseph’s | Vigil Mass | People of the Parish |
| Sun 16th July | 9.30am | Sacred Heart | Mass | RIP Fr William Madden (Middlesbrough YBS) |
| Sun 16th July | 11.00am | St Joseph’s | Mass | RIP Rawle Gervais (anniversary 18th July) |
| Sun 16th July | 1.30pm | Sacred Heart | Baptism | HARVEY ROBERT BRADLEY |
| Mon 17th July | No Mass |  |  |  |
| Tues 18th July | 9.00am  (NB. Not 10.00am) | Sacred Heart | Mass | Intentions of Cathedral Staff and Parish |
| Wed 19th July | 10.00am | St Joseph’s SCHOOL  (NB. Not Church) | Leavers’ Mass | Leavers’ Intentions |
| Thurs 20th July | 10.00am | Sacred Heart | Mass | RIP Margaret Boardman (Anniv. 6th July) |
| Thurs 20th July | 10.30 – 10.50am | Sacred Heart | Confessions |  |
| Friday 21st July | 10.00am | St Joseph’s | Mass | Intentions of Fr Robert Owens (Ruby Jubilee) |
| Friday 21st July | 10.30 – 10.50am | St Joseph’s | Confessions |  |
| Sat 22nd July | 5.30pm | St Joseph’s | Vigil Mass | Christopher Rogers and his grieving, broken-hearted family |
| Sun 23rd July | 9.30am | Sacred Heart | Mass | Private Intention (NB) |
| Sun 23rd July | 11.00am | St Joseph’s | Mass | People of the Parish |

POLISH MASS is offered on the first Saturday of each month at Goole. The next Polish Mass will be on Saturday 5th August 2017 at 8pm.

MASA POLSKA jest oferowana w pierwszą sobotę każdego miesiąca w Goole. Następna Msza Polska odbędzie się w najbliższą sobotę 5 sierpnia 2017 r. O godzinie 20.00.

Fr Wlodimierz Pajak, 117 Buckingham Street, Scunthorpe. Tel: 01724 855698

SICK & HOUSEBOUND - PLEASE PRAY FOR THEM

Damian Ainscough, Anna Barszcz, Margaret Brodigan, Jean de Bosch, Patience Dare, Carol Dent, Kathleen Evans, Anne Evans, Anne Hayward, Dorothy Kershaw, June Kelly, Anthony Margrave, Joan Marshall, Alma McHugh, Bernard Rook, Michael Ryan, Timmy Ryan, Margaret Scott, Pat Sullivan, Lynne Walker and all those who are ill and would like to remain anonymous.

**THANK YOU**

**Howden Churches collect £1000 for the residents of Grenfell Tower.**

The Christian Churches in Howden, Anglican, Catholic and Methodist, thank the residents of Howden for their generous gifts towards the appeal on behalf of the residents of Grenfell Tower.

Thank you to all who collected on Saturday and all the shops which had collecting boxes during the week.

The street collection, collection in shops and in Churches, raised £1000. This sum was sent to the Methodist Church London Appeal for Grenfell Tower. This ensures that the money donated by our residents goes directly to the people made homeless and who have lost their belongings.

Howden Church Ministers: Fr Barr, Revds. Little, Pegg, Thornalley, Bahadur.

RED MISSIO (APF MISSION) BOXES. These can be presented for emptying and counting at any

time throughout the year. Please fill in the forms, available in both churches, and bring/collect the red boxes to/from the sacristies. If you have not had one of these collecting boxes before why not consider having one in your home. ADDITIONAL REQUEST. As the old £1 coin is to be withdrawn, please bring in boxes to be emptied as soon as possible. Thank you. £119.11 banked on the 5th June 2017, and a further £112.98 banked since then.

CLEANING TEAM D for Howden this week.

MASS INTENTIONS Please try to submit intentions at least 8 weeks in advance of the date on which you would like the Mass to be offered. Also, please state the Church in which you would like the Mass to be offered, if you have a preference. Thank you.

ROOF’US REFURBISHMENT FUND

Your parish fund raising total now stands at **£23,009.86**, so thank you for all your efforts so far in our attempts at reaching the Parish goal of £25,000. Please keep up the good work – together we will do it!

DONATIONS TO REFURBISHMENT FUND

If anyone wishes to make a cheque donation towards our refurbishment, please make it payable to ‘The Sacred Heart Refurbishment Fund.’ Thank you.

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| ST JOSEPH’S READERS – July | | |
| Sat 15th July | 5.30pm | Mr P Netherwood |
| Sun 16th July | 11.00am | Mr M Brett |
| Sat 22nd July | 5.30pm | Mr K Flynn |
| Sun 23rd July | 11.00am | Mrs P Sykes |
| Sat 29th July | 5.30pm | Mrs J Head |
| Sun 30th July | 11.00am | Mrs R Gervais |

MANY THANKS to Mike, Martin and Jack, and Dave who are Band “The Bud, The Dad and The Cuddly,” with Dangerous Dave. They gave us a wonderful concert of a variety of music and song and humour. What an enjoyable evening it was.

You will be pleased to know that £362.00 towards the “Roofˊus Appeal” was raised, comprising

Door £136.00 Raffle £113.00 ‘Slates’ sold £25.00 Tickets sold prior to the event £88.00 TOTAL £362.00

Many thanks to the Refurbishment Appeal team members for all your hard work, and a big thank you to management, staff and committee members of Howden Working Men’s Club for use of their excellent venue.

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The Sower and the Seed

At certain times everything seems to conspire to prevent us from hearing the gospel and believing in its future. For two thousand years the sower has gone out to sow and we are sometimes tempted to ask what this sowing has accomplished. Our proper response to the prodigal lavishness of God should consist in seizing the word heard and allowing it to seize us that it may bear fruit.

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