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*Hic est qui venit
 per aquam et sanguinem,
 Jesus Christus,
 non in aqua solum,
 sed in aqua et sanguine.*



This is He who came
 by water and blood,
 Jesus Christ,
 not by water only,
 but by water and blood.

1 John 5:6

*Services for the Fourteenth Week of Ordinary Time (OF) – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost (EF)
 July: The Month of the Most Precious Blood of Jesus*

Saturday 4th July, St Elizabeth of Portugal, Widow (OF) – 1st Saturday (The Immaculate Heart of Mary) Holy Mass, 9.30 am Holy Hour & Confessions, 10.00 - 11.00 am, Benediction, 11.00 am	The Russell family
Saturday 4th July, Vigil of Sunday Confessions, 5.15 – 5.45 pm Holy Mass, 6.00 pm	Tomás ó Ríordáin RIP
Sunday 5th July, The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (OF) – Sixth Sunday after Pentecost (EF) Holy Mass, 8.00 am Sung Mass, 10.30 am	The People of the Parish Lucas van Hout
Monday 6th July, St Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr (OF) – Feria (EF) Holy Mass, 9.30 am	Michael Schutzer-Weissmann RIP
Tuesday 7th July, Feria (OF) – Ss. Cyril & Methodius, Bishops & Confessors (EF) Holy Mass, 9.30 am	Maria Clare Clovis & family
Wednesday 8th July, Feria (OF) – St Elizabeth, Queen & Widow (EF) Holy Mass, 6.00 pm (Extraord. Form)	The Campbell Family
Thursday 9th July, St Augustine Zhao & Comps. Martyrs (OF) – SS. John Fisher, Bishop, & Thomas More, Martyrs (EF) Holy Mass, 9.30 am High Mass, 6.00pm (Extraord. Form) NB: No Holy Hour & Confessions today	Anna, Andrew & Beatrice Joy RIP
Friday 10th July, Feria (OF) - The Seven Holy Brothers & SS. Rufina & Secunda, Virgins, & Martyrs (EF) Holy Mass, 6.00 pm (Extraord. Form)	Thanksgiving
Saturday 11th July, The Feast of St Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe (OF) - Bl. Adrian Fortescue, Martyr (EF) Holy Mass, 9.30 am Holy Hour & Confessions, 10.00 - 11.00 am, Benediction, 11.00 am	René Pollonais RIP
Saturday 11th July Vigil of Sunday Confessions, 5.15 pm – 5.45 pm Holy Mass, 6.00 pm	Vivien Foster
Sunday 12th July, The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (OF) – Seventh Sunday after Pentecost (EF) Holy Mass, 8.00 am Sung Mass, 10.30 am	The People of the Parish Bitty Heidt

Father John writes:

Second Collection this weekend:

The Sisters of the Work

The Sisters of the Work look after Newman's little 'college' at Littlemore and rely entirely on Divine Providence for material support of their work. Please be generous in your support.

This Tuesday: Prayer Group

The prayer group, started and led by parishioners, will be meeting this **Tuesday, 7th** at 7:30 pm. The meeting includes Evening Prayer and intercessions (held in the Presbytery sitting room). All are welcome.

This Thursday: Interment of Monsignor's ashes

The ashes of our dear friend, Monsignor Vaughan Morgan, will be interred at 11 am at the Oratory School, Reading RG8 0PJ this **Thursday, 9th**. The prayers will be followed by refreshments. Please call Martin on 01865-558209 if you would like to attend.

This Thursday: High Mass of the Martyrs

Thursday this week, **9th**, at 6 pm, there will be a High Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Traditional Latin) to honour our English martyrs, St John Fisher and St Thomas More, the glory of their universities. Polyphony will be provided by Dr Tom Neal and the Ensemble Ars Sacra.

July: Devotion to the Most Precious Blood of Jesus

During July you might like each day to say one of these prayers: **We pray thee, Lord, help thy people, whom thou hast redeemed with thy Precious Blood**, or the prayer written in Latin above the west doors of Westminster Cathedral, which is dedicated to the Precious Blood: **Lord Jesus, King and Redeemer, save us by thy Precious Blood.**

Assisted Suicide Bill & Mr Burnham

Andy Burnham's views seem similar to those of the former Health Secretary, Wes Streeting, who is not opposed to assisted suicide in principle, but has voted against it because of deficiencies in end-of-life care. If Mr Burnham becomes Prime Minister before Parliament returns, one of his first challenges will be an immediate and divisive fight over the Assisted Suicide Bill, just ten days before the vote on Lauren

Edwards' Bill on 11th September. Please write or email your MP expressing your opposition to the Edwards Bill and pointing out how divisive as well as dangerous it is.

March for Life: 5th September

Join March for Life UK on Saturday **5th September** in London for the annual march. Age-appropriate sessions for children and young people throughout the morning. Fourteen bishops will be attending, including our own Archbishop Bernard Longley. Watch this space for more information in the weeks to come. By joining the March for Life you'll be bearing witness in the public forum to the preciousness of human life from conception to natural in death. **If you would like to take part and would be interested in travelling by bus with others from our parish, then please sign up on the sheet in the narthex.**

Please pray for all persecuted Christians.

Please pray for the protection of the Jewish people.

Please pray for peace in Ukraine, the Middle East, Sudan, and Congo.

Please pray for the protection of human life from conception to natural death.

Please pray for the sick and housebound

Patrick Curran, Anne-Marie, Maureen Dalton, Aneta Gawrysiak, Joyann Green, Peter Howell, Sr. Joseph Andrew OP, Jill Kelly, Emily Long, Fiona McLaren, Alice Murphy, Anthea Watson, Becky White, Dennis White, Fr Michael White, and Choi Wun-fong.

Please pray for the faithful departed

Please pray for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed, especially Brian Elton and Domenico Tosti, who died recently, and Florence Attridge, James Brogan, James Patrick Hannon, Theresa (Tess) Jerrett, Olive Joy Louisa Kelly, George Anthony Taylor, and Marie Robyn Wynn, whose anniversaries fall at this time.

**+ Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.**

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The Parish operates in accordance with statutory safeguarding guidance and the national and Archdiocesan policies and procedures at all times.

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