English Martyrs Hollis St. Alvaston **DE24 8QU**

ENGLISH MARTYRS PARISH ALVASTON & CHELLASTON

14th Sunday of the Year B 7 July 2024

Psalm Response: Our eyes are on the Lord till he shows us his mercy

Sun: 9.00am Mass

11.00am Mass

Mary Savage RIP Alan & Patricia Peat RIP

Mon: 12 noon Mass Pat Ratcliffe RIP

Wed: 12 noon Mass Mons Brian Dazelev Int.

10.00am Mass at English Martyrs (end of Year School Mass) Sian Moran RIP

15th Sunday of the Year B

9.00am Mass 11.00am Mass The Jordan Family RIP The Lee Family RIP

Money Matters:

Fri:

Collection: Offertory:

£424.35 £213.18

Peter's Pence For those who regularly contribute to the church via the Envelope Scheme,

Lloyds Bank: sort code 30-92-59; Account number 01620555 - English Martyrs, Derby RCP.

> Payments to the parish by cheque should be made payable to: **English Martyrs Derby RCP**

another option would be to set up a Direct Debit or Standing Order -

Sanctuary Lamp:

Prayers for the Sick: Please always keep in your prayers the sick and housebound especially Simon Thompson, Christine and Michael Dreuitt, Terry Bullock, Norman Annable, Giovanni Busato, Ian Robinson, Bart Makowski, Joe Migallo, Liam Blaney, Christopher Turner, Tracey Reeve, Loretta Hewitt, Liz Simmons, Terry & Liz Spencer, Anu Chilka, Mick Connolly, Chris Connolly, Maria Latwiel, Anne Smith, Margaret Meagher, James Wilson and Libby Dodes.

Please Pray for those who have died.

Second Collection: Next Sunday, 14 July - Apostleship of the Sea Please collect an envelope from the back of Church.

SVP Raffle: Raffle tickets to support the work of the SVP are now on sale and are available from the Piety Stall or any SVP member. Tickets are £1 each and prizes include a 1st prize of £5000, 2nd prize of £1000 and 15 additional prizes of £100. The draw will take place on 26 September. Please support the very necessary work of this charity. Thank you.

SVP Vinnie Summer Camp, Mablethorpe. Sat 17th - Sat 24 August

Applications are now open for boys & girls aged 10 & 11, currently in years 5 & 6. The cost is £80 which includes transport, accommodation, meals & activities.

For more information, please visit our website:

https://svp.org.uk/microsite/mablethorpe-childrens-camp .

Or email: Mablethorpe@svp.org.uk

To apply go to:

https://svp1.formstack.com/forms/childrens application form ma belthorpe

Lourdes: Last year our Lourdes From Home initiative allowed hundreds of viewers to join the Lourdes Pilgrimage from home. This year it's back, and even bigger! Registrants have the option to receive a physical 'Pilgrim Pack' posted to their own home, complete with 1) a Pilgrimage Booklet 2) a candle lit in Lourdes 3) prayer intentions taken to the Grotto 4) a live Zoom call with Bishop Patrick 5) daily updates via e-mail and more! This is an excellent opportunity to engage with the housebound and less-physically-able of our communities, and schools who may wish to embark on a virtual pilgrimage in the last weeks of term. Register today at dioceseofnottingham.uk/events/lourdes or by emailing communications@dioceseofnottingham.uk

Mount Saint Bernard Abbey is hosting a Family Pilgrimage on Sunday 1st September. Outdoor Mass will be celebrated at 2pm, followed by a Marian Procession, and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Bring a picnic, enjoy the Abbey grounds: all are welcome. Contact James at JNoakes@englishmartyrs

Hall Enquiries: Rita Merrison

Walsingham Pilgrimage: The annual Pilgrimage of Reparation and Prayer for the Sanctity of Life is being held in Walsingham on Saturday 3 August, led by Bishop David Oakley of Northampton Diocese. In the 40 years in which the Pilgrimage has been held there has been a shocking increase in the annual number of abortions throughout the United Kingdom and Ireland. At the same time there is constant pressure from euthanasia supporting lobby groups to introduce assisted suicide, with high profile personalities endorsing this policy. Humanly, we may feel that we lack any means to counter this onslaught, but this day in Walsingham is to storm heaven in the peace and beauty of this Shrine. remembering Our Lady's words. "All who come here will find help in their need" More details are available www.walsingham.org.uk/event/pro-life-pilgrimage-4/

The Abbot and Community of Pluscarden Abbey are delighted to offer young single Catholic men a Monastic Experience Weekend, during which they can live, work and pray with the Benedictine Community of Pluscarden Abbey. This will take place from Friday 16th – Sunday 19th August. Further information is available from Father Benedict Hardy at novicemaster@pluscardenabbey.or

Our Lady of Aberdeen - 9 July (Feast in Scotland):

The venerable statue of Our Lady of Aberdeen was saved from destruction during the Reformation and taken to safety in Brussels (Belgium). According to tradition, it was thrown into the river Dee but rescued by Catholics on a ship bound for Ostend and taken to Brussels, where it became known as Our Lady of Good Success. It remains in the church of Notre-Dame-du-Finistère but copies can be found in Scotland, including one in St Mary's Cathedral, Aberdeen.

St Benedict (Patron of Europe) - 11 July (Feast):

St Benedict (c. 480-c. 547) was born in Norcia (Italy) and was educated in Rome. Turning his back on the worldliness he encountered there, he retired to live as a hermit in a cave near Subiaco. His fame spread and disciples began to join him, whom he organized into twelve small monasteries. He eventually moved to Montecassino, where he founded the famous abbey, and produced his Rule, drawing on the monastic wisdom of the Christian East as well as earlier Western Rules (notably the Regula Magistri) and his own practical experience. He was proclaimed patron of Europe by Pope Paul VI because of his essential influence in the formation of Christendom.

'Put aside your own will so as to go to war under Christ the Lord, the real King, picking up the keen and glittering weapons of obedience'

St Benedict