# Snippets

## 9th August 2026

## 19th Sunday In Ordinary Time



**MASS TIMES**

**SAT: 10:00am**

For the welfare of the parishioners

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**SUN: 8:00am**

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**MON: 7:15pm**

Mass followed by Holy Rosary and Mothers Prayer

**TUES: 9:30am**

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**WED** and **THURS: 9:30am** **No Wednesday Service**

Celebration of the Word and Holy Communion

**FRI: 9:30am**

Mass followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**SAT: 5:15 - 5:45pm**
Sacrament of Reconciliation

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Prayers for the Faithful, please contact Canon Cronin.

QEII and LISTER HOSPITAL CHAPLAINS Direct line:
01438 285138 / 01438 285519

**After 10am Sunday Mass**

**Join us for coffee in the Church Hall**



*May God Bless you all*
*Canon Danny*

**Planned works**

Latest update on tarmac project in front of the church, presbytery and church hall.

**We are still waiting for a new estimated start date.**

We apologise for any inconvenience caused and thank you for your cooperation.

**Marie Theresa's Bookshop** - Some second-hand books, all in excellent condition arrived at the repository recently. Please call in to browse. Any donation will be greatly received. Many Thanks

***Rita***



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The long-running monthly Knebworth Family of Churches Coffee Mornings have hit a problem. Sue Burrell, who has been a long-term helper in the kitchen area, has now retired from that role and, to keep the Coffee Mornings running, new volunteers are needed. We are asking you to offer a few hours or less per month, or less frequently if we are able to set up team rotas.

Please see your church noticeboard for the type of work the volunteering roles entail.

"The Saint John Henry Newman School warmly invites parents of Year 6 pupils to an Open Evening on Thursday 24th September, from 5:30pm – 8:00pm . Prospectuses and Application Forms will be available on the evening.

The last tour will be at 7:00p.m. and the school will close to visitors once the final Headteacher's

*Children's Liturgy 10am Mass, First Sunday of every month during term time.*

## Invitation to International Dinner at Trinity Church

**THIS SATURDAY 8th AUGUST**

Dear All

Trinity is providing an opportunity of fellowship where they will be hosting an International Dinner on of the 8th of August 2026 at **5.30pm for 6pm**. This is an opportunity where a variety of international meals are showcased. This is the second time hosting this kind of event following a successful event of last year. Everyone in our churches is welcome, including children. For the sake of catering and management please confirm your attendance by emailing Kathy Cole at

kathycole52@gmail.com

Your presence will greatly be appreciated.

Regards

*Stan*

Trinity Church

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**From Deacon Roger Carr-Jones (Marriage and Family Ministry Coordinator)**

I routinely receive requests from parish clergy regarding support for couples in crisis. When we experience marital stress, we need help to move from isolation toward renewed communication, consolation, and hope.

https://rcdow.org.uk/news/when-love-needs-first-aid/

## Contactless Device UPDATE

Thank you to all who have been using the contactless device in the church foyer.

The device has now been updated and can accept card payments for **Candle donations, Repository purchases and St Vincent de Paul donations.**

Ahead of the Second Reading and vote in the House of Commons for the Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life Bill) on Friday 11 September, the Communications Directorate of the Bishops' Conference has produced a poster to encourage Catholics to urgently write to their MPs. Please see the church noticeboard.

The poster has a scannable QR code, that is linked to the Oppose Assisted Suicide section on the Bishops' Conference website. That page can also be found at: https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/ .

**A message from Westminster Legacy department**

**The new legacy leaflets have arrived. These can be found in the church foyer.**

Legacy giving presents a huge opportunity for your parish and diocese. To find out more you can take a leaflet or visit rcdow.org.uk/gifts-in-wills

Everything you need to know, and answers to any questions you might have can be found on the website, or by emailing

legacies@rcdow.org.uk, or by calling:
020 7798 9025.

**The Legacy department are interested to hear any feedback from parishioners regarding the new leaflet.**

## Offertory - July 2026

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| Envelopes | £ 176 |
| Loose Plate | £ 855 |
| Contactless | £174 |
| Standing Orders | £ 3740 |
| Total | £ 4945 |

**Thank you all for your kindness and generosity**