

WHITEFRIAR STREET CHURCH

The Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel & Shrine of Saint Valentine

July 7, 2019 Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRAMENTS

Masses

Sundays:

Vigil 6.00pm

AM: 8.00, 10.30, 11.30

PM: 12.30, 4.00, 7.00

Weekdays:

AM: 8.00, 10.00, 11.30

PM: 1.10, 3.00 Bank Holidays:

AM: 10.00, 11.30

Holy days:

according to the day of the

week

Confessions

Monday to Friday: 10.30-11.30; 3.00-4.00 Saturdays: 10.30-12.30, 2.00-4.00

Devotions at 2.30pm

Monday: Miraculous
Medal – Rosary &
Benediction
Friday: Exposition of the
Blessed Sacrament –
silent prayer
Saturday: Our Lady of
Mount Carmel – Rosary
& Benediction

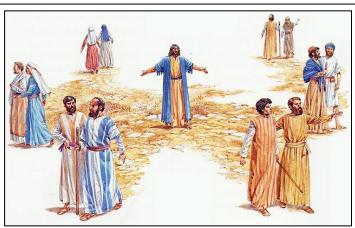
St Jude Novena

Tuesdays at 8.00pm including blessing with the Relics of St Jude and of St Thérèse of Lisieux

Living abroad?

Join us for liturgy through

our webcam.



The Lord appointed seventy-two others...

In the Lord's day, the Sanhedrin comprised seventy men, and Moses was accompanied by seventy elders when he went to the mountain to learn about the covenant God wished to make with his people. Therefore, the Lord's appointment of seventy-two missionaries was a sign to the people that something greater was now taking place. These chosen ones he sent out in pairs and this too was significant because, under the Mosaic Law, trustworthy evidence was given by two people and so their preaching could be accepted by those they would encounter. At the same time, they would also be a companion to each other in this great work, and they would also demonstrate peace by working together. We still see this same pattern being employed by some Christian groups today as they knock on doors to tell people about their faith.

The disciples were sent out without purse or sandals and in this the Lord was emphasising the haste that was required – the mission couldn't wait for them to get the materials together to make their journey a more pleasant one, but had to go that moment.

By virtue of our baptism, we are successors of the seventy-two and so we have a duty and a responsibility to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ throughout the world, each in his or her own way. In today's world and in our own country we can expect some form of rejection for this and, when we do, we must remember and take courage in the fact that Jesus too was rejected, and yet he has been raised to eternal life and we too will be raised if we are faithful to him. There is as great an urgency in this task today as there was in the Lord's own time, and we cannot delay in living the Gospel values in our own lives or in bringing others to the knowledge and love of Jesus Christ.

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THIS WEEK'S LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Sunday 7: Ordinary Time – Sunday 14

Monday 8: Ordinary Time – Week 14

Tuesday 9: Ordinary Time – Week 14

Wednesday 10: Ordinary Time - Week 14

Thursday 11: St Benedict, Abbot

Friday 12: Ordinary Time – Week 14

Saturday 13: Ordinary Time – Week 14

A SAINT OR TWO THIS WEEK...

St Benedict, Abbot & Patron of Europe

Benedict was born in central Italy in 480. He was sent to Rome to study but left the city for the life of a hermit in Subiaco, not far from Rome, about the year 500. So many gathered around him that he founded twelve communities of monks, but in time left them because of their lack of discipline. He moved to Monte Cassino, on the western coast of Italy, and established the famous monastery there on the site of a pagan temple to Apollo. He wrote a Rule for the monks which has become the foundation of spirituality and monastic life, though it is not believed that he intended starting a religious order. Benedict is the spiritual head of monks in the Western Church, as St Basil is spiritual head of those in the Eastern Church. He died while at prayer in March 547 and was made Patron of Europe by Paul VI in 1964.

CHURCH SHOP, MASS OFFICE & GENERAL ENQUIRIES

Sunday: 10.00am - 2.00pm

Monday to Friday: 8.30am – 5.00pm. Tuesday extra: 7.30pm – 8.15pm Saturday: 9.30am – 6.00pm

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SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Members meet each Monday evening to consider requests. For those living within our parish, requests can be made by text to 085 789 8699. For those outside the parish, please ring 01 855 0022.

Carmelite Pilgrimage to Knock

The annual Carmelite Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday, July 28, 2019. A bus will leave Whitefriar Street Church at 8.00 that morning. Tickets are available in the church shop.

Triduum in Honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Our annual triduum in honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel begins on Sunday, July 14, and concludes on the solemnity on July 16. The preacher this year is Fr Simon Nolan, O.Carm., Prior of Whitefriar Street, and he will preach at the 11.30 morning Mass and the 3.00 afternoon Mass (4.00 on Sunday) on each of the days.

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Organ Recital

Join us on Sunday evening, July 14 at 8.00pm for an organ recital to be given by Stefan Donner, Organist of St Leopold Church and at the Schönbrunn Palace Chapel, Vienna, Austria. A very gifted and prizewinning young organist who has played in many of the major churches throughout the world. Stefan will play music by Bach, Mozart, Vierne, and Merkel. His recital marks the beginning of our three days of celebration at Whitefriar Street which culminate in the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Come and join us for what promises to be a fine evening of music. All are welcome to attend. Entrance is free.

St Peter's Pence

The St Peter's Pence Collection taken up on June 30 for the Holy Father's charitable causes amounted to €1,174.28. We thank you for your continued generosity.

Readers of the Word

If there are those currently commissioned as Readers of the Word in their own parish and who would like to assist in Whitefriar Street Church from time to time, we would be grateful if they would give their details in at the sacristy. Assessment and Garda Vetting will be required.

PARISH OFFICE

For certificates of Baptism, Confirmation and Marriage, or to book a baptism or a wedding.

Monday to Friday: 9.00am - 1.00pm

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