

First reading Jeremiah 23:1-6

'Doom for the shepherds who allow the flock of my pasture to be destroyed and scattered – it is the Lord who speaks! This, therefore, is what the Lord, the God of Israel, says about the shepherds in charge of my people: You have let my flock be scattered and go wandering and have not taken care of them.

Right, I will take care of you for your misdeeds – it is the Lord who speaks! But the remnant of my flock I myself will gather from all the countries where I have dispersed them, and will bring them back to their pastures: they shall be fruitful and increase in numbers. I will raise up shepherds to look after them and pasture them; no fear, no terror for them any more; not one shall be lost – it is the Lord who speaks!

'See, the days are coming – it is the Lord who speaks – when I will raise a virtuous Branch for David, who will reign as true king and be wise, practising honesty and integrity in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel dwell in confidence. And this is the name he will be called: The-Lord-our-integrity.'

The Word of the Lord *Thanks be to God*

Responsorial Psalm *The Lord is my shepherd: there is nothing I shall want*

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want. Fresh and green are the pastures where he gives me repose. Near restful waters he leads me, to revive my drooping spirit. **R:**

He guides me along the right path; he is true to his name. If I should walk in the valley of darkness no evil would I fear. You are there with your crook and your staff; with these you give me comfort. **R:**

You have prepared a banquet for me in the sight of my foes. My head you have anointed with oil; my cup is overflowing. **R:**

Surely goodness and kindness shall follow me all the days of my life. In the Lord's own house shall I dwell for ever and ever. **R:**

Second reading Ephesians 2:13-18

In Christ Jesus, you that used to be so far apart from us have been brought very close, by the blood of Christ. For he is the peace between us, and has made the two into one and broken down the barrier which used to keep them apart, actually destroying in his own person the hostility caused by the rules and decrees of the Law. This was to create one single New Man in himself out of the two of them and by restoring peace through the cross, to unite them both in a single Body and reconcile them with God: in his own person he killed the hostility. Later he came to bring the good news of peace, *peace to you who were far away and peace to those who were near at hand. Through him, both of us have in the one Spirit our way to come to the Father.*

The Word of the Lord *Thanks be to God*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me. *Alleluia!*

Gospel Mark 6:30-34

The apostles rejoined Jesus and told him all they had done and taught. Then he said to them, 'You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while'; for there were so many coming and going that the apostles had no time even to eat. So they went off in a boat to a lonely place where they could be by themselves. But people saw them going, and many could guess where; and from every town they all hurried to the place on foot and reached it before them. So as he stepped ashore he saw a large crowd; and he took pity on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd, and he set himself to teach them at some length.

The Gospel of the Lord *Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ*

THE ANGELUS

V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary. **R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.** Hail Mary...

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord. **R. Be it done to me according to thy word.** Hail Mary. . .

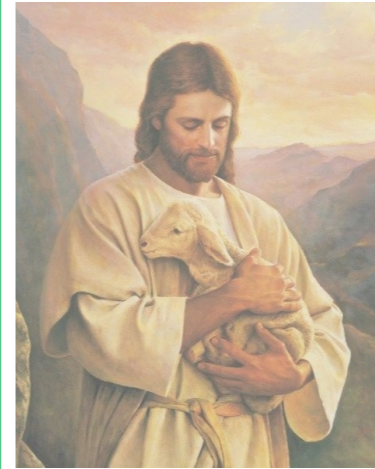
V. And the Word was made flesh. **R. And dwelt among us.** Hail Mary. . .

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God. **R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.**

Let us pray: **Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ Thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection. Through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.**

THE PARISH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, BOURNEMOUTH

incorporating the churches of Christ the King, Kinson & St Bernadette's, Ensbury Park



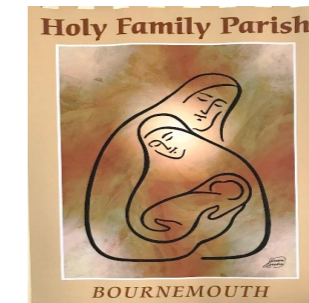
The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside still waters; *He restores my soul.* He leads me in right paths For His Name's sake. Even though I walk through the darkest valley, *I fear no evil; For you are with me;* Your rod and Your staff - they comfort me. You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies, You anoint my head with oil; *My cup overflows.* Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me *All the days of my life.* And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord My whole life long.

Psalm 23 is one of the most famous and yet we can rattle of the words with no thought to their meaning. Read the Psalm slowly and take note of the words in italics—such powerful words and as the first line says

'The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want!! - reflect—That is it!!

If lost, Jesus comes looking for us, picks us up in His loving arms and carries us back to the right way. Remember this!

Lord, we are Your people, the sheep of Your flock. Heal the sheep who are wounded, touch the sheep who are in pain, clean the sheep who are soiled, warm the lambs who are cold. Help us to know the Father's love through Jesus the Shepherd and through His Holy Spirit. Help us to lift up that love, and show it all over this land. Help us to build love on justice and justice on love. Help us to believe mightily, hope joyfully, love divinely. Renew us that we may renew the face of the earth. Amen.



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Today is sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary time.

Today is our **PARISH FEAST DAY** ! It's a time to join as ONE Parish. As you know the Feast of the Holy Family is in December. In order that we have a celebration at a time of year that is better suited we have it in the summer time. It is also so important that we have these joint services and that as many people from each church attend and it shows unity in a world where this is so lacking.

WORLD GRAND PARENTS DAY : Next Sunday 28th of July is celebrated as world Grand Parents Day. It was established by Pope Francis in 2021 and celebrated annually. And the Major penitentiary has declared a plenary indulgences on the grandparents, elderly and on all the faithful who "motivated by a true penance and charity" participate in today's liturgical celebrations all over the world.

Reflection : Being the feast of the Holy Family, it would be well enough to reflect on our Family life. We are in a period, witnessing a breakdown of the traditional family life and its values. – filial respect for authority, exercised responsibly by parents - and a rising juvenile delinquency. Hence our society can learn a few things from today's feast. Of course, there is no easy remedy available for today's family crisis. Also the Christian family is part of a culture in which man participates – neighbourhood, school, television, friends and recreational patterns. But in stormy weather the ship may get at least some guidance from a beacon, and that is the example of the Holy Family before us today, where each one is entrusted with some responsibilities which is exercised in tune with the will of God. In fact the authority from earliest infancy on should be exercised – Mary politely questions Jesus when He was found in the Temple away from the parents - perhaps in a different way, it should not be done away with. Parents could discuss this with their children. A substitute for sound family life has not been offered by any other behavioural sciences, We should distinguish between the core of the Christian ethic and the cloth in which it is wrapped. This cloth is conditioned by time and culture and not necessarily part of the divine message. But the message on family life as such is timeless.

Fr Chacko

Jubilee Year: Pope Francis solemnly proclaimed the upcoming Jubilee Year 2025. As Vatican News reports "Hope" is the overarching theme of the upcoming Ordinary Jubilee of 2025, a theme reflected in the opening words of the Bull of Indiction, entitled "Spes non confounded. Hope does not disappoint." "May the Jubilee be a time to rediscover, proclaim and build Hope", says Pope Francis.

You can learn more about the jubilee at the official website www.jubilaum2025.va/en.html

POPE'S INTENTIONS for July 2024

For the pastoral care of the sick

Let us pray that the Sacrament of the anointing of the Sick grant the Lord's strength to those who receive it and to their loved ones, and that it may become for everyone an ever more visible sign of compassion and hope.

www.thepopevideo.org



21 July Sunday	Nehemiah 9
22 July Monday	Nehemiah 10-11
23 July Tuesday	Nehemiah 12
24 July Wednesday	Nehemiah 13
25 July Thursday	Tobit 1-3
26 July Friday	Tobit 3-4
27 July Saturday	Tobit 5-6

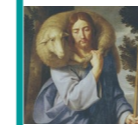
GIFT AID The Parish needs funds and by gift aiding your contributions, it makes a huge difference to the funds received.

Please complete a form at the back of church & return to the office to claim the giftaid. If you would like to pay by standing order/ direct debit, there are forms to set this up at the back of the church. You may wish to make an offering via the Parish QR code



DAY	church	TIME	CELEBRATION or FEAST DAY/ MEMORIAL
Sat 20	StB	6pm	Vigil mass of Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary time <i>Mass Int: Mr Leslie Barns RIP</i> St Apollinaris
Sun 21	CtK	10am	Joint Mass of Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary time celebrating the feast of the Holy Family
Mon 22	StB	6pm 9.30am	Adoration followed by Mass at 6.30pm <i>Leavers Mass in CtK school</i> Feast Day of St Mary Magdalene
Tues 23	CtK	9am	Adoration followed by Mass at 9.30am Feast Day of St Bridget of Sweden
Wed 24			NO MASS
Thurs 25	CtK	9.30am	Mass Feast Day of St James the Apostle
Fri 26	CtK StB	9.30am 7pm	Mass followed by Chaplet of Divine Mercy HOLY HOUR SS Joachim and Anne Parents of Mary, Grandparents of Jesus
Sat 27	StB	6pm	Vigil Mass of Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary time <i>Mass Int: Wellbeing of Jenny Murphy</i>
Sun 28	CtK StB	9.30am 11am	Masses of Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary time <i>11am Mass Int: Canon Adrian Chapple RIP</i>

PRAYER FOR THE ELECTION OF A BISHOP OF PLYMOUTH



O God, eternal shepherd, grant in your boundless love a pastor for your Church who will please you by his holiness and show us watchful care. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever, Amen.
St Cuthbert Mayne, pray for us. St Boniface, pray for us



SUMMER TIME!

As the school's prepare for a well earned rest and summer break, The volunteers in our parish need that break too. Please note that the following



KNITTING GROUP will close on Thursday 18th July and reopen 5th September



ST FRANCIS PRAYER GROUP is taking a sabbatical so watch this space for new date

FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP Last meeting on Tues 23rd before summer break—see notice

CHILDREN'S LITURGY There will be no children's liturgy during August.



Please remember to bring back your envelope if you took one last week with your donation for Stella Maris

FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP

This Tuesday 23rd July 7.30pm in St Bernadette's Parish Room All are welcome! contact Jenny 01202 572941.



Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

17th-24th September: £799 Flying from Bournemouth Parishes of St Joseph & St Walburga and Our Lady of Fatima, Poole (01202) 746539



HOLY FAMILY PARISH FEAST DAY



The Feast of the Holy Family falls on the first Sunday after Christmas and, as such, has never been a good time for a Parish picnic or Celebration! So this year, it has been suggested to hold a feast day in the summer so we can enjoy a good celebration of our 2 churches as 1 Parish.

Our Celebration as 'Holy Family Parish' will be this Sunday 21st July - a joint Mass at 10am @CtK

Please bring a plate of food to share at a social gathering in the hall afterwards



A THOUGHT? Have you ever thought of....

Reading, serving, playing music, singing at mass? Beginners welcome... training will be given.....



Please speak to Fr Chacko or Deacon Glenn

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS

Jenny Murphy, Noel Harris, Sheila Shelley, Anna Browne, Margaret Simpson, Tony Bateman, Frances Smith, Joceleyne & Peter Cotrel, Margaret Place, Frances & Tony Herbert, The Carter family Rob Stabler

