

### Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Sandyhill Road, Banff, AB45 1BE

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### 21<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C, 21 AUGUST 2022

#### MASS SCHEDULES

Monday

No public Mass

#### Tuesday – Saturday

9am (Adoration)

9.30am

### Sunday

6pm (Saturday Vigil) 10.30am (English) 12noon (Polish)

#### Confessions Saturday

10.00am (After Mass)

or call to make an appointment.

# For today's Mass

Responsorial psalm Go out to the whole world; proclaim the Good News. Gospel acclamation

I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me. Today is the second of the Sundays (after the 13th) when Jesus is said to be making his way to Jerusalem. Jerusalem also features in 1R, as the place where offerings will be brought to the Lord. This passage, almost the last verses of Isaiah are quite radical, as they say that 'the nations of every language' are being gathered by the Lord to witness his glory, not just places with a Jewish diaspora, some of which are listed, but also 'distant islands that have never heard of the Lord'. Gentiles are invited in. The psalm too says unequivocally 'all you nations.' The Gospel (written by a Gentile) emphasizes that the chosen people will have no privileged access to salvation and that they may be left outside while; people from all corners of the earth enter before they do. As for us, mostly Gentiles, we must do as the psalm says and proclaim the Good news to the whole world. 2R is not connected to the same theme, but is a passage about fatherly correction and how, though painful at the time, it will have good effects.

At Mary's Assumption, as we see in Revelation, the queen once again takes her place at the right hand of the Son of David.

Our second reading shows us why this is fitting: "in Christ shall all be brought to life, but each one in proper order." What is implicit in St. Paul's statement is revealed in Revelation. The consummation of Christ's work has begun, as is proper, with the Assumption of the queen mother. (*Liturgy planner*)

Wszystko, co czynimy, czynimy dla Chrystusa, szukając najpierw Królestwa Bożego i mając na uwadze dobro innych. Nie żyjemy już dla siebie, ale dla Chrystusa. Zabiegamy o Jego chwałę, ponieważ On nabył nas Krwią swoją. Nasze serce słucha tylko Jego głosu, bo On sam jest naszym jedynym Mistrzem i Nauczycielem. Pan nie przyszedł, aby Mu służono, lecz żeby służyć i oddać życie za wszystkich. Uczymy się od Niego pokory serca, aby zajmować ostatnie miejsce i pozostawać prostym i skromnym. (*Mateusz.pl*)

### SAINTS DAYS and SPECIAL OBSERVANCES THIS WEEK

Monday 22nd August Our Lady, Mother and Queen

Tuesday 23rd August 21st Week of the Year

Wednesday 24th August St Bartholomew, Apostle

Thursday 25th August 21st Week of the Year

Friday 27th August 21st Week of the Year

Saturday 28th August St Monica

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Please fill registration form for: First Holy Communion (from P3 class) and Confirmation (from S2 class)

All forms you can find on parish website: www.banff.rcda.scot **COLLECTIONS** Sunday's Collection 14 July 2022 Cash- £139.00 Gift Aid - £30.00

#### SCHOOL OF FAITH

From this Sunday teaching of the Catholic Church from the Catechism will be given in brief.

#### PIERWSZA KOMUNIA BIERZMOWANIE

Formularz rejestracyjny znajduje się na stronie parafialnej. Zapisy dzieci od klasy P3 (I Komunia) oraz S2 (Bierzmowanie) www.banff.rcda.scot

### IMPORTANT MEMORIALS

MEMORIALS CAN BE DEDICATED IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE, TO CELEBRATE A SPECIAL OCCASION—BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, LIVING AND DEAD ETC... OR FOR YOUR OWN SPECIAL INTENTION BY ORDERING A HOLY MASS.

## PRAYERS

Please pray for the repose of the soul of all those whose anniversaries occur about this time

Eternal rest grant unto their souls, O Lord. May they rest in peace. Amen.

### CHRZEST

Zamiar ochrzczenia dziecka zgłaszamy do biura parafialnego na **miesiąc przed datą chrztu** 

### MAŁŻEŃSTWO

Zamiar zawarcia sakramentu małżeństwa zgłaszamy do biura parafialnego na <u>6 m-cy</u> przed data ślubu

### **EUCHARISTIC SUNDAY**

EVERY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FROM 10.00 am.

POWER OF GRACE TOMINTOUL RETREATS WITH DOMINICAN SISTERS

**S1:** 26 – 28 August 2022

**S2 – S3:** 16 – 18 September 2022

More information after Mass