



# Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church

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## FIFTEENTH IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B, 14 JULY 2024 – SEA SUNDAY

### MASS SCHEDULES

#### Monday - Thursday

No public Mass

#### Friday – Saturday

9am (Adoration)

9.30am

#### Sunday

6pm (Saturday Vigil  
in Polish)

10.30am (English)

#### Confessions

Saturday

10.00am (After Mass)

or call to make an  
appointment.

The sending out of the Twelve is something we hear about every year, without seeing it as something rather special. These disciples, who are entrusted by Jesus with the task of doing his work of preaching and healing, are the ones who do not understand the meaning of 'rising from the dead,' and the ones who will desert him at the time of his passion. It is, however, as if the Church was already beginning, and in fact Mark's purpose may have been to give instructions to missionaries in his own (post-resurrection) community. With all details changed to reflect different conditions nowadays, they are, like all the Gospel, directed at us. The instruction to 'shake the dust from under your feet', however, has not generally been followed by Christians. It does, though, imply only a symbolic action rather than a violent, hostile one. Finding a parallel in the Old Testament, 1R takes the story of Amos, who was a shepherd in the land of Judah who received a call from the Lord to prophesy in the kingdom of Israel, which had a shrine at Bethel, a rival to Judah's shrine in Jerusalem. Amos is told to go back home, another unwelcome prophet. Finally, the Lectionary gives us Ephesians 1 as the 2R, a long and eloquent reading which cannot be overlooked *Liturgy planner*.

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### For Today Mass

#### Responsorial psalm

Let us see, O Lord, your  
mercy and give us your  
saving help.

#### Gospel acclamation

Your words are spirit, Lord,  
and they are life: you have  
the message of eternal life.

Wysłał ich „po dwóch” – czyli nie w samotności, ale we wspólnocie. Niedobrze, kiedy człowiek jest sam. Z czasem samotność może stać się piekłem. Jesteśmy powołani do życia we wspólnocie. Żeby mogła zaistnieć wspólnota potrzebne jest budowanie relacji co najmniej dwóch osób. Tych Dwunastu posłanych po dwóch idzie dalej, żeby budować relację z innymi, których spotkają na swojej drodze. Bo gdzie dwaj albo trzej są obecni w Boże imię, tam mieszka Bóg. Budowanie relacji to także zmierzenie się z własnym egoizmem, to zdolność łączenia a nie dzielenia. Tacy od początku byli i są prawdziwi chrześcijanie. MATEUSZ.PL

**SAINTS DAYS  
and SPECIAL  
OBSERVANCES THIS  
WEEK**

Monday 8th July  
**14th Week of Year B**

Tuesday 9th July  
**Our Lady of Aberdeen**

Wednesday 10th July  
**14th Week of Year B**

Thursday 11th July  
**St Benedict**

Friday 12th July  
**14th Week of Year B**

Saturday 13th July  
**14th Week of Year B**

**SEA SUNDAY**

Today is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a second collection for Stella Maris (the Apostleship of the Sea), the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church.

**COLLECTIONS**

Sunday's Collection  
7 July 2024  
Cash – £218.70  
Gift Aid – £90.00

**PRAYERS**

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

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

**THANK YOU ALL  
WHO HELPED WITH  
PARISH FEAST  
CELEBRATION**

**FR PIOTR**

From 15 July to 3 August Fr Piotr will be away for his annual holiday.

During Fr Piotr absence there will be only Sunday Mass at 12.00 celebrated by Fr Emmet O'Dowd.

Other Masses are cancelled.

**MAY 2024  
FINANCES**

Income: £4057.60  
Expenses: £1817.13  
**Balance: £2240.47**

Bank account: £16330.39

**QUINQUENNIAL  
INSPECTION**

Every 5 year church and presbytery have building inspection. Latest report from February 2024 shows: roof leak above back chapel, rotten presbytery windows, missing pointing's and roof slates.

Approximately cost of all works is over £60000.

**IN THIS SITUATION  
EVERY FIRST  
SUNDAY OF THE  
MONTH SECOND  
COLLECTION FOR  
FABRIC FUND WILL  
BE TAKEN**

**SUNDAY MASSES**

21 July 2024  
12.00 (English)

28 July 2024  
12.00 (English)

3 August 2024  
18.00 (Polish)

4 August 2024  
10.30 (English)

**TEA AND COFFEE  
AFTER MASS**