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FOURTEENTH IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR B, 7 JULY 2024

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.

For Today Mass

Responsorial psalm

Our eyes are in the Lord till he show us his mercy.

Gospel acclamation

The Word was made flesh and lived among us; to all who did accept him he gave power to become children of God. Jesus returns to Nazareth where he grew up, about thirty miles away and inland. Here he is among people who know him but when he starts to preach in the synagogue he is rejected, although his wisdom and capacity as a healer are recognised. (In Luke's version of the story lesus accuses the people of indifference even before they reject him, which enrages them.) Note that Mark says he could work no miracle in that place, but then softens this statement, saying he did cure a few sick people - it wasn't that he had 'magic powers' that other people could switch off, but that the gift of healing was a response to faith. His mission was to go, like Ezekiel in 1R, to an obstinate and unresponsive people and tell them 'The Lord says this.' They will know, like the people of Nazareth, that a prophet is among them, but they will ignore him. The Psalm response seems to put us in the place of Jesus, asking God for support in the face of scorn and disdain. And the 2R with its 'thorn in the flesh' is a rare avowal of weakness and pain from Paul. What this 'thorn' was is a subject of unending speculation. Today we use it of an annoying person, but for Paul it was probably something more intimate, a physical or spiritual impediment. <u>Liturgy planne</u>r.

Fragment dzisiejszej Ewangelii ukazuje nam odrzucenie Jezusa przez mieszkańców Nazaretu, przez swoich, gdzie się wychował. Dostrzegli oni mądrość Jezusa, Jego żywą relację z Bogiem, rozpoznali w Nim proroka, a mimo to nie otworzyli się na Jego nauczanie. Nie przyjęli Go jako proroka. Jezus podsumował ich zachowanie słowami dobrze znanego w tamtym czasie w Palestynie przysłowia o lekceważeniu proroka w swojej ojczyźnie. Niewiara i niechęć to główne postawy "Nazaretu". Jaka jest moja postawa? Czy przyjmuję łaskę wiary? 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

Next week 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 30 June 2024 Cash – £188.70 Gift Aid – £30.00 Peter's Pence - £45.00

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.

> VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PARISH PICNIC

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL BANFF PARISH FEAST 13 July 2024

12.00 - MASS 13.00 - BBQ, TEA, COFFE, GAMES FOR CHILDREN

> MAY 2024 FINANCES

Income: £1248.50 Expenses: £4257.71 Balance: £-3009.21

Bank account: £14089.92

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. <u>Approximately cost of all</u>

works is over £60000.

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

ODPUST PARAFIALNY MATKI BOŻEJ Z GÓRY KARMEL 13 LIPCA 2024

12.00 – Msza św. 13.00 – Piknik parafialny

Przy wyjściu z kościoła jest lista, na której można wpisać kto co przyniesie na piknik.

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER MASS