

# ST. THOMAS MORE NEWSLETTER

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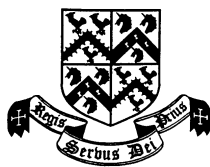
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Fifteenth Sunday of the Year (A)

July 13th 2008

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**Responsorial Psalm:** Some seed fell into rich soil and produced its crop.

**Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! Speak, Lord, Your servant is listening; you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia!

## Sunday Masses

**9.00am** David McKenzie (Anniv.)

**11.00am** Martin Doran (Anniv.)

**6.00pm** People of the Parish

## Next Sunday (Sixteenth Sunday of the Year, A)

**9.00am** Marje Stubbs RIP

**11.00am** Ints of Pope Benedict XVI (World Youth Day)

**6.00pm** Catherine O'Grady (Anniv.)

**Masses This Week** (Please Note: Any changes to this schedule will be announced on Sunday or on notices during the week)

**Monday 9.00am** Ints of Bridget Cherry

**Tuesday 9.15am** Special Intention (Simmons)

**Wednesday 9.00am** Mary Hynes RIP

**Thursday 9.00am** Joe Casey RIP

**Friday 9.00am** Ints of Elizabeth Garry

**Saturday 9.00am** Myfanwy Fennell RIP

**7.00pm** Joe Anderson RIP

**No Evening Mass**

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*Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 10.30am* **No Confessions today.**

**RIP** – Joe Anderson, Patrick Fox, Dolores Hackett, Tony Gibbs, Ellen Dermody, Jenny Milewski, Bridget O'Connor, Ian Crawley

**Anniversaries:-** We pray for all parishioners, family and friends whose anniversaries occur at this time.

May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

**Sick List** – Please pray for Fr Louis Purcell, Fr Anthony Frainey, Charles MacKinnon, Ann Brown, Hannah McBride, John Leach, Penny Valentine, Leo Keenan, Joan Simmons, Molly O'Connor, Sinead Heffernan, Fr John Bentley, Ruby Wilson, Rose Green, Jack Holloway, Baby Matt Lynch, William Grant, Hughie McNaboe, Mary Doran, Anne Donoghue, Anne Thomson, Philomena O'Connor, Angela Moses, Esme Pain, Warren Luyt, Jonjo Rooney, Alice Hopkins, Madeleine Philips, Teresa Johnson, Kitty Ryan, Kevin Bills, Patrick Linthwaite, Francis Andrews, Bill Middleton, Sr. Angela Black SND, Paul Bainbridge, Mary Reilly, Kitty Budkiewicz, Sr Sheila Phillips, Helen Freeman, PJ Barrett, Luke Blacklaw, Sheila Jenkins, Cath Gallacher, Barbara Mattock, Sean Sullivan, Roger Moulding, Tony Armstrong, Matthew Plant, Gertrude Kelly, Elizabeth Garry, Laura Smallwood, Tina Larque, Teresa Mellon, Arthur Thornhill, Annie Murphy, Veronica Grimshaw, Joan Gardner, David Gormal, Teresa Johnson, Norman Arnold, Anne Gallimore and housebound parishioners.

**Tea and coffee** – After the 9am and 11am Masses, in the Margaret Roper Room today. All parishioners and visitors welcome.

**Last Sunday's Collections:** *Main:* **£1093-38** *Second Collection Day for Life:* **£577-84** . Thank you.

**Tuesday Society** – this week's gathering will be the Summer lunch, to conclude activities for the term.

**Extend** – meets on Thursday mornings at 10.00am in the Margaret Roper Room. Gentle seated exercise to music. All welcome.

**So, is it the Year of St Paul or the Year of St Matthew?** The answer is: It's both! It is still the Year of St Matthew (Year A) because that is the Gospel we are listening to at Mass from now until Advent. But the 'Year of St Paul' is a special request of Pope Benedict, to help us grow in our life of faith by discovering the riches of St Paul's writings and travels. See shop for further resources

**World Youth Day** – Fr Timothy and 10 young adults from our parish should now be in Melbourne for some 'Days in the Diocese', an opportunity to learn about and experience something of the Catholic culture of a part of the host country. Archbishop Vincent has prepared some podcasts about the event and Naomi Brandon from All Souls Parish is writing a blog whilst on the trip. To keep up to date, please follow this link: [www.catholic-today.co.uk](http://www.catholic-today.co.uk).

**Welcome** to Fr Denis O'Connor, a Mill Hill Missionary Priest, who is celebrating the Masses here this weekend. Fr Denis will make a 'Red Box' Appeal, both for you to consider keeping a box in your home, and for parishioners to help with the task of collecting.