

# CATHOLIC PARISHES of BELPER with DUFFIELD & RIPLEY

## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME



*'Audite insulae' - Isaiah 49:1*

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*Public Masses will be celebrated twice on Sunday this week and until further notice.*

*On other days until further notice the Mass will be offered privately.*

*Mass Intentions:*

**Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time: 2<sup>nd</sup> August**

Recorded Mass 9.30am **(Our Lady's)**

Derek Webster, RIP (TM)

11am **(Our Lady's)**

People of the Parish

*The recorded 9.30 Mass will be streamed at 12 noon: click on the banner on the Parish website*

Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> :	Feria	(Private celebration)	No intention at present
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> :	St John Vianney, Priest	(Private celebration)	November Dead List
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> :	Dedication of the Basilica of St Mary Major (Private celebration)		No intention at present
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> :	TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD (Private celebration)		Private Intention
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> :	Feria	(Private celebration)	No intention at present
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> :	St Dominic, priest	(Private celebration)	November Dead List

**Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time: 9<sup>th</sup> August**

9.30am **(Our Lady's)**

People of the Parish

11am **(Our Lady's)**

No intention at present

*A video Mass involving parishioners will be streamed at 11am: click on the banner on the Parish website*

**WEARING FACE MASKS IN CHURCH** On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> July, the Government announced that the wearing of face coverings was now to be recommended straight away in a number of indoor settings, including places of worship. Further, that this will be required by law from Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August.

**PLANS FOR OUTDOOR MASSES THIS AUGUST** A small committee was due last week to assess the most suitable site for an outdoor Mass, or maybe two, in August. Unfortunately half the committee were required to self-isolate for seven days, delaying this work. Both the 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> August are under consideration, but it remains to be seen whether all the necessary measures can now be put in place in time for the 16<sup>th</sup> August. When available full details will be published on the Parish website and Facebook page. Watch this space in next Sunday's bulletin. *Bookings will be necessary to comply with statutory regulations and health requirements, stating the names and numbers wishing to attend in each group.*

**STREAMED MASSES: Since streamed Masses from the Parish began in early June they have attracted more than 1700 viewers!** It is hoped these will continue to be made available most Sundays for the foreseeable future, as detailed on the front page of each week's bulletin.

**PAST STREAMINGS** Past Masses streamed from the Parish are still available for viewing and may be watched by those who missed them at the time, or by anyone who would like to **watch them again on our [Youtube channel](#)**.

**NO MASS ON 30<sup>th</sup> AUGUST** Fr Michael will be taking a break from parish duties from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> August to Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September. *During that period there will be no public Masses.* On Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August it is hoped that a streamed virtual Mass will be available online.

#### **TO BOOK A PLACE AT MASS ON SUNDAYS**

- Bookings will taken between Monday 9am and Thursday 9pm **a week in advance**
- **Bookings can be made either by email to: [office@catholic-ambervalley.uk](mailto:office@catholic-ambervalley.uk) or by ringing 01773 822182 and leaving a voicemail message**
- Whether booking by phone or by email you must:
  - Say who wishes to come, giving the name of each person
  - Indicate, if more than one, whether they can sit together
  - Give full contact details: these are required to be kept for three weeks after the Mass as part of the Government's track and trace system

*Bookings will be taken on a first come, first served basis – and only for the week in advance, not beyond.*

#### **MASS INTENTION REQUESTS**

If you would like a Mass offered for a particular intention of yours, whether it be of thanksgiving or intercession, or for the happy repose of the soul of someone special to you, forward it to Fr Michael at: [priest@catholic-ambervalley.uk](mailto:priest@catholic-ambervalley.uk)