

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, Brockworth

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SUNDAY MASS:

9.00am

Gavin Mak

WEEKDAY

Monday NO MASS

MASSES:

Tuesday NO MASS

Wednesday NO MASS

Thursday 9.15am

Feria

Kathy Lai RIP

Friday NO MASS

Saturday NO MASS

CONFESSIONS: Available after Mass upon request.

Summer Fete - Saturday 20th July

Please see the Wish List in the narthex, of items that we are seeking for the Fete. If you are able to lend any of these items then please do put your name down, or if you are able to buy one of these items for the Church that would be very greatly appreciated. There is a square QR code in the corner of the wish list on display. This looks a bit like a barcode. If you have a smartphone then this can be scanned (using a QR code reader app) and it will take you to an amazon wish-list where you can buy the items directly if you wish, they will be very useful in future events as well! Raffle tickets are available to buy after Mass.

DISABLED PARKING SPACES in the Church Car Park are ONLY for those displaying an official BLUE BADGE.

Diocesan Day: The annual Diocesan Day will take place on Saturday 6th July at St Bernadette's Secondary School, Whitchurch, Bristol. The focus of the day will be on Hope – especially in relation to the Jubilee Year 'Pilgrims of Hope'. All are invited to join Bishop Bosco as we explore the theme of Hope together. We will look at where our hope lies, as well as our experiences of pilgrimage and where we might journey as a Diocese in 2025. The day will start at 9.30am with refreshments and will include Mass as a central part of our day. Please bring a packed lunch. We will finish by 4.00pm. Everyone is welcome but places are limited, so please book early! To register for the day please click the Eventbrite link: <https://cliftondiocesanday.eventbrite.co.uk>.

Ordination: Please keep in your prayers Deacon Tom Blackburn, a native of Peter's, Parish who will be ordained priest in Westminster Cathedral, London on June 29th for service in the Archdiocese of Westminster, and who will celebrate his First Mass in this his home parish at 10.30am on Sunday July 7th.

General Election: With the General Election fast approaching, CAFOD and the St Vincent de Paul Society (SVP) have come together to produce resources to help Catholics and their parishes reach out to local candidates to find out more about their views on some of the issues that we, as people of faith, care about. These can be found on cafod.org.uk/encounter and svp.org.uk/encounter.

Gift Aid: This is a tax relief scheme in the United Kingdom that allows individuals to make tax-effective donations to charities. When you donate to a charity through Gift Aid, the charity can claim an extra 25p for every £1 you give. This additional amount is provided by the government, and it doesn't cost you anything extra. If you are a taxpayer and would like the parish to claim gift aid on your weekly/monthly/annual donations, please contact the parish office for a gift aid declaration form. You can choose to pay by weekly envelope or by standing order or an annual cheque.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION amounted to £180.40 for the parish and £200.00 for the Priest's Retirement Fund. **THANK YOU** for your generosity and may GOD BLESS YOU!