

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH, Brockworth

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SUNDAY MASS:

9.00am

Pro Populo

WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday NO MASS
Tuesday 9.15am
Wednesday NO MASS
Thursday 9.15am
Friday NO MASS
Saturday NO MASS

St Bonaventure

Holy Souls RIP

Feria

Clare Fox RIP

CONFESSIONS: after Mass upon Request.

TODAY is 'Sea Sunday'. It is when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Your support will make a big difference to seafarers and fishers in need. You can donate through the retiring collection, by visiting www.stellamaris.org.uk/donate, or by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5. This collection is vital to enable Stella Maris to continue its important work, so please give generously. Thank you.

Glastonbury Pilgrimage: This year's diocesan pilgrimage will take place on Sunday, 7th September 2025 and will be centred around the theme of 'Mary, Woman of Hope', aligning with the Jubilee Year's theme of "Pilgrims of Hope." If there is enough interest a coach will be arranged for the Gloucester parishes. Please email the parish office if you would like to express your interest.

Prayer for Nigeria: During his Angelus message last Sunday, Pope Leo said: "During the night between 13 and 14 June, a terrible massacre took place in the city of Yelwata, located in the local administrative area of Gouman, in the state of Benue, Nigeria. Around two hundred people were killed with extreme cruelty. The majority of those killed were internally displaced people who were being housed at a local Catholic mission. I pray that security, justice and peace prevail in Nigeria, a beloved country that has suffered various forms of violence. I pray in particular for the rural Christian communities in the state of Benue, who have unceasingly been victims of violence." We join with Pope Leo and our parishioners from Nigeria in praying for security, justice and peace in Nigeria.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention for July: Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

Formation Day: The annual Diocesan Formation Day will take place on 11th October at St Brendan's College, Brislington, with Mgr John Armitage (Parish Priest, Former Rector of the National Basilica of Our Lady of Walsingham and Master of the Guild of Our Lady of Ransom) as our keynote speaker. Anyone who has heard Mgr John speak before knows what an inspiring and gifted priest and speaker he is. He will be reflecting on the theme of 'Being an Evangelist Today: the tools required to be a joyful witness of Jesus'. In addition, there will be several workshop options for people to attend. More information in the Autumn but please put the date in your diary.

Our Lady's SVP Group {CHURCHDOWN}. Our Lady's Saint Vincent de Paul group exists to help anyone in need – either resulting from a short-term crisis or an on-going need. If this applies to you, or anyone you know, please contact us on 07745 318656 or email ourladys.svp@gmail.com. Our activities are wide ranging and involve visiting the sick and needy (and offering lifts where necessary), we participate in the running of local food banks. We are funded by voluntary donations within the parish; if you are able to, you can donate either by cash into our donation box or by card through the electronic giving device—both in Our Lady's Church.

Stewardship - A number of parishioners have asked how they can continue to support the Parish financially whilst unable to attend Mass. The donation button that has been added to the [homepage](#) of this website enables donations to be made using credit and debit cards and via PayPal. Cheques can be posted to: The Presbytery, 24 Ermin Street, Brockworth, Glos. GL3 4HL Parishioners wishing to set up a standing order or make a payment directly to the Parish are asked to email –

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