THE CATHOLIC CHURCH of SAINT BIRINUS
DORCHESTER-on-THAMES

SUNDAY 20th SEPTEMBER 2026
MONTH OF THE HOLY ANGELS
PENTECOST XVII · SUNDAY XXV (A) Year II

Sunday 20th	SUNG ENLISH MASS at Berinsfied	**9.30am**	*Jan Lewicxki (A)*
	SUNG LATIN MASS	**11.00am**	*pro populo*
Mon 21st	FEAST of SAINT MATTHEW	**9.30am**	*David Stevens (A)*
Tue 22nd	Feria III	**9.30am**	*Margaret Smith (A)*
Wed 23rd	Ember Day *(Latin)*	**8.00am**	*Fr Ray Matus (RIP)*
Thu 24th	Our Lady of Walsingham	**9.30am**	*Tennton Isaacs (A)*
Fri 25th	Feria VI *Fast & Abstinence*	**9.30am**	*BPMF*
Sat 26th	of Our Blessed Lady *(Latin)*	**9.30am**	*Ellen Winton (A)*
	VIGIL MASS of Sunday (XXVI -A)	**6.00pm**	*Jill Gant (RIP)*

CONFESSIONS: ***Saturday 5:15-5.45 pm or by appointment with the Priest.*** *BPMF *Birmingham Perpetual Mass Fund*

MICHAEL CUSACK

Michael has been living with Jane and Simon Grenfell in Wallingford for the last eight months. He has been very generous in the time he has given to prayer and to various tasks in our parish. He returns to Australia on Monday next and he is planning to train for the Priesthood either in Australia or perhaps in Rome. He has made many friends in our parish, and he will be greatly missed. We assure him of our prayers. Thank you for all your work on our behalf. Safe journey home and come back soon.

GREEN AND PLEASANT LAND OPUS ANGLICANUM CONCERT Friday 25 September 2026 at GORING

Father Kenneth Macnab, invites YOU to a concert in Goring to hear the acclaimed vocal ensemble *OPUS ANGLICANUM* offers an evocative sequence celebrating the traditions of our land. Readings from Dickens, Shakespeare, John Betjeman and Jane Austen, combine with the name of Purcell, Stanford, Vaughan Williams, Butterworth. This concert will take place in Our Lady and St John's Catholic Church, Ferry Lane, Goring-on-Thames, on FRIDAY 25 SEPTEMBER at 7.00pm. Tickets £20 and £10 followed by reception.

Galileegoring.org.uk Eventbrite.co.uk 01491 872181. All Welcome.

Berinsfield Coffee morning after 9.30am Sunday Mass . Please speak with Paul Rogers if you can help by bringing a cake or scones to share.

THE TRUE REVOLUTION

"The Saints are the true reformers. Only from the saints, only from God does true revolution come, the definitive way to change the world. In the last century we experienced revolutions with a common programme – expecting nothing more from God, they assumed total responsibility for the course of the world in order to change it. And this, as we saw meant that a human and partial point of view was always taken as a guiding principle. Absolutizing what is not absolute but relative is called totalitarianism. It does not liberate man but takes away their dignity and enslaves him. It is not ideologies that save the world, but only a return to the Living God, our Creator, the guarantor of our freedom, the guarantor of what is really good and true. True revolution consists in truly turning to God Who is the measure of what is right, and Who, at the same time, is everlasting Love, and what could ever save us apart from Love." Pope Benedict XVI

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