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Sunday Cycle B. Weekday Cycle 1.

5.45. pm. Mass: Private Intention.

23rd. August 2009. 21st. Sunday of Ordinary time

11.00. am. Mass: In Thanksgiving. (Anna)

5.45. pm. Mass: Father Vincent Daley

MONDAY.

12.45. pm. St. Bartholomew. Apostle

Private Intention.(Una Kennedy)

TUESDAY .

12.45. pm. Feria

Mass: Private Intention.

WEDNESDAY.

12.45. pm. Memoria. St.David Lewis

Mass: Private Intention.

THURSDAY.

12.45. pm. Memoria. St. Monica

FRIDAY.

12.45. pm. Memoria. St.Augustine

Mass: Private Intention.

SATURDAY.

10.00. am. Memoria.Beheading of St. John the Baptist.

Mass: Private Intention.

10.30. am. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

11.00.am. – 12.00.pm. Sacrament of Reconciliation.

12.00. pm. Benediction.

4.30.pm. – 5.15.pm. Sacrament of Reconciliation.

5.45.pm. Vigil Mass. Private Intention.

30th. AUGUST 2009,22nd. Sunday of the Year.

11.00.am. Mass: Private Intention

5.45. pm. Mass: For the Cathedral Community

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Standing Orders £100.00.

A gentle reminder

When you come to the Altar for Communion, you should be fasting from food and drink for one hour. (except water).

Please place the Eucharist on your tongue before leaving the Altar, do not carry it back in your hand, and do not share it with any other person.

Please be in time for Mass it is discourteous to the Lord to arrive late without good reason.

Likewise to leave before the final blessing, it also distracts other worshippers.

“Will you also leave Me?”

When many of His Disciples were leaving Him, Jesus turned to the Apostles and said “ Will you also leave Me?” These words are addressed to us too. It’s not the Lord who leaves us, but we who may leave Him. But why would we want to leave the Lord, who alone has words of eternal life?

We need to make our own Peter’s profession of faith. Every Sunday we get a chance to do so. We need the Lord to strengthen our faith. We also need to confirm one another. Lord confirm our decision to stay with You. Draw us closer to You in bonds of trust, so that we may follow You in love and freedom.

No Excuse Sunday.

To make

100 tv dinners for those who say “Can’t cook lunch and go to Church”.

A putting green for those who say “but Sundays my day for golf”. (it possible for everyone to attend Mass next Sunday we are going to make it very special.

A bed will be placed at the back of the Church for those who say” Sunday is my only day to sleep”

Eye drops will be available for those with tired eyes from watching too much TV...

Safety helmets for those who say “The roof would fall in if I came to Church”.

Blankets for those who say” it’s too cold” and fans for those who say” it’s too hot”

Hearing Aids for those who says readers speak to low, and cotton buds for those who say they’re too loud. Kitchen Clatter Mag.Sept ’76)

Some Disciples leave Jesus

Theme: We must decide for or against the Eucharistic Jesus

During the Second World War certain Nazis killed some Jews and buried them in a mass grave. One twelve year old boy was still alive. He dug his way out of the shallow grave and went around the neighbourhood seeking shelter among those he grew up with. The people knew what had happened and when they saw the boy caked in dirt, they hurriedly shut the door on his face for fear. One (woman) was about to do the same when the boy said” Lady, do you not recognize me? I’m the Jesus you say you love” The Lady broke down in tears and received the boy into her home. She made her decision for Jesus, both survived the War

EXTENDED EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.

Commencing on Friday 11th September, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for an extended period every Friday at the Cathedral, 9.15.am – 12.15.pm and 2.30.pm – 4.30.pm. The day will end with Solemn Benediction. I am grateful to Kevin Hougardy for volunteering to organise the arrangements. Kevin is a teacher at Michaelston College and has reduced his teaching commitment from five to four days in order to devote himself to this ministry over the coming academic year.

THE ST.DAVID’S CHARISMATIC EVENTS TEAM.

Spiro Sueref has been distributing a letter describing the work undertaken by the Team together with an appeal for volunteers. The next event scheduled at the Cathedral will take place on Friday 11th & Saturday 12th September. For more information Tel.0781 5165104 / <http://www.ccrw.org.uk/>.

Canon Peter Collins will be away until the end of August. He is enjoying the break and will be back soon.