



Sunday 17th August 2025

St. Patrick's R.C. Church

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The warmth of Jesus brings comfort and hope to the world when we live in isolation from each other. When we lack the reconciliation and justice that make life possible among us, then the warmth of God's love for all can inflame our coldness. The flame of God is the Holy Spirit. Jesus comes to bring all sorts of fire to the world, and to send the Spirit of comfort, justice, reconciliation and hope. The message of Jesus may divide us, and if it does, the love of Jesus can unite us, for love is the most powerful gift of Jesus.

20th Sunday of the Year

17	Sunday	9.00am	Andrew Back
18	Monday	9.15am 5.30pm	Special Intention Medjugorje Rosary
19	Tuesday		
20	Wednesday		
21	Thursday	6.00pm	Rosary & Healing Exposition
22	Friday	9.15am	Jean French
23	Saturday	9.15am	Jimmy Hanley (KH)

21st Sunday of the Year

24	Sunday	9.00am	Barbara Cunningham
Anniversaries:		Nicky McGee, Anne Harbron, John Blackburn	



Pauline Morton, Mike Rutland, Margaret Kenning, Christopher Brown, Fr. Pat McKenna, Rosie Owens, Andrew Brydon, Betty Griffiths, Rose Marie Bruno, Brian Lee, Kathleen Hanley, Samuel Kiberu, Brian Wetherell, Joyce Thomas, Chris Bostock

Reader for Sunday 24th August – John Bowron

Feast Days: 20th August; St. Bernard, **21st August;** The Dedication of St. Mary's Cathedral, **22nd August;** The Queenship of Mary

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Blessed Virgin Mary, you are the Mother and Queen of every Christian family. Let all families honour you and remain devoted to you so that they may be held together by your example of humility, obedience and love. Amen.

We pray for all young people who are receiving their exam results and ask your blessing on them as they navigate their next step, knowing that you are there for them always. Amen.

The collections for the past two weekends came to £477.95 and £426.56. Many thanks.

The Season of Creation begins on the 1st September, the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, and ends on the 4th October, the Feast of St Francis of Assisi. This year's theme is 'Peace with Creation.'