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Sun 15 Jul 18 The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Salter Week 3)

11 am Mass with Children's Liturgy
For Tome de Douza RIP
12:30 Baptism of Wesley Brantley

Mon 16 Jul 18 Memorial of Our Lady of Mount Carmel

On Mount Carmel, Elijah proclaimed Israel's faith in the one God
9:30 am Mass with Morning Prayer
Followed by Confession

Tue 17 Jul 18 Weekday in Ordinary Time

7 pm Mass

Wed 18 Jul 18 Weekday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am Mass with Morning Prayer
For Stella Carrigan RIP
Followed by the Rosary

Thu 19 Jul 18 Weekday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Matthew, Chapter 11: Verses 28–30

Fri 20 Jul 18 Memorial of Saint Apollinarius, Martyr

Ordained as a bishop by Saint Peter
9:30 am Mass with Morning Prayer
Followed by Eucharistic Adoration

Sat 21 Jul 18 Memorial of Saint Lawrence of Brindisi

1559–1619 Italian military chaplain and Franciscan friar
Gospel Matthew, Chapter 12: Verses 14–21

Sun 22 Jul 18 The Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

11 am Mass with Children's Liturgy

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Tue 17 Jul Parish Council & Fete Committee Meet After Evening Mass

Sat 8 Sep 3 pm Goan Chaplaincy Mass

Sat 15 Sep Jumble Sale

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY Mission always involves being sent out... that's what it means to be an apostle. Jesus draws the Twelve close to him, giving them a share in his authority and his mission, and sends them out to preach God's mercy, healing and forgiveness. Notice what they are to rely upon... not what they pack 'just in case' – spare shoes, a packed lunch, an extra tunic. No! They are to rely on what God will provide for the journey. They come close to Jesus before they are sent out – that's important. We need to be close to the Lord if his mission is to become ours... or else we go out empty handed and with an empty heart. It's also the Lord we constantly return to... after all it is his mission we share in and not one of our own making. Wherever we find ourselves during this coming week may our

MEETING On Tuesday 17 July there will be a meeting in the Presbytery after Mass. This is for the Pastoral Council, and for the Summer Fete committee so that the lessons of this year's successful fete can be noted for the future.

CELEBRATE ~ LOOK TO THE FUTURE For those who have recently made their First Holy Communion and those Confirmed, and their families, there will be a small celebration after Mass on Sunday 29 July. Let them share the joy of those sacraments and let us help them continue in the Faith. Refreshments will be provided.

NEW SOUND SYSTEM A new sound system has just been installed in the church at a cost of £2815. If anyone would like to make a donation towards it then please do so.

CHURCH FLOWERS We need more volunteers to do the church flowers; we are down to 2 at the moment. Everyone welcome: no experience necessary as guidance can be given. Please speak to Denise Henderson if you would like to join!

SWINDON YOUTH EVENT Swindon Youth event: Goan Chaplaincy along with HRYM are organising a youth event on Saturday, 28 July from 11 am to 5 pm at St Joseph's Catholic College for youth who are Year 9 and onwards. There are two key note speakers John Pridmore (ex gangster) and Aleksandra, along with adoration, Mass, live band and music. Refreshments and lunch will be provided. Looking forward to see all there.

For the Sacraments of Baptism and Marriage: Kindly Contact the Parish Priest.

Confession : After Monday Mass and by Appointment