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Sacred Heart, Bourne & Our Lady's, Deeping RC Parish

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Transfiguration of The Lord– Year A,
 Weekday readings year 1.

Sunday: Preface: 7 Eucharistic Prayer II

August 2017	TIME	Place	MASS INTENTIONS OFFERED	Liturgy of the Day Divine Office week II Mem. Acclamation II
Sat 5 th	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	NO MORNING SERVICE Pam Morgan RIP	TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD –VIGIL
Sun 6 th	8.45am 10.30am 6.00pm	Sacred Heart Our Lady's Sacred Heart	Kate Schosland Thanksgiving. Novena to Our Lady begins / Mass	TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
Mon 7 th	6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Novena/Mass - Stuart Buck RIP	St Sixtus II
Tue 8 th	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Victor McGuirk RIP	St Dominic
Wed 9 th	10.00am		Recovery of Verity Elliott	St Teresa Benedicta
Thu 10 th	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Adoration after Mass until 4pm Victor McGuirk RIP	St Lawrence
Fri 11 th	10.30am	Our Lady's	Ronald Leonardi RIP	St Clare
Sat 12 th	09.00am 10.00am 6.00pm	Sacred Heart	Adoration with confession 'til 09.45am Wellbeing of Anne Watson	St Jane Frances de Chantal Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time -Vigil
Sun 13 th	8.45am 10.30am 6pm	Sacred Heart Our Lady's Sacred Heart	Janet Shield RIP Novena	NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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There will be a Gilbertine Mass on 23rd September at 11.00am in St Andrew's Church, Sempringham.

Chantal & Ozric Armstrong are celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary on 12/13th August. Coryn Nixon is going down to see them in Southampton. If you would like to send a card or a message to them Coryn will deliver it for you. Please either give it to Coryn in church or drop it off at 16b West Road, Bourne. She is leaving very early on morning of Sunday 13/08/17.

Following Prayers we have said for Adrian and Angela Howarth. Coryn saw them whilst on holiday. Adrian is not in good health, Angela is suffering with her asthma. They send their love and very best wishes to everybody who remembers them

The Transfiguration of the Lord

The Transfiguration of the Lord can sound embarrassingly magical. Jesus goes up onto a mountain and his clothes become dazzlingly white. Prophets appear and talk to him. And then it is all over and Jesus tells his disciples to say nothing.

We should hold on to the absurdity of the incident. There is simply no reason for all this to have happened. In particular, there is no reason to put it into a gospel – the evangelist makes no capital out of it, it is simply there.

And this is the strength of the Transfiguration as an historical incident. There is no reason for anyone to have invented it. It is not central to the Christian case. It is not used to win arguments. There is only one reason to put it into the Gospel, and that is because it happened. It is one of those cases of the evangelists writing things down without knowing why they were important, and their very puzzlement is what makes the story so convincing.

Why, then, did it happen? Surely so that we could see and understand that Jesus is at once one of the prophets and the one that was prophesied by them; and that he is God, and lives for all eternity in a blaze of dazzling and unapproachable light.

The true miracle of the Transfiguration is not the shining face or the white garments, but the fact that for the rest of the time Jesus hid his glory so well.

Please pray for the sick: Margaret Kline, Martin Dowse, Brian Davies, Chris, Adrian Howarth, Verity Elliott, Father Dakwan (Father's father), Dorothy Sterry-Blunt, Pauline Smith, Mr Thomas, Sylvia Fleming and Matthew Gallagher.

Parish Finances: Collection: **£535.64**

Votive Candles: **£171.02**

Room Hire: **£66**

Cheques for the parish should be made out to **Bourne and Deeping RC Parish.**

Novena to the Blessed Virgin Mary in preparation for the Assumption begins on Sunday 6th August at 6pm with Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary. Followed by Mass. Please bring your written intentions to the Novena.



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