2nd - 10th September 2023 Masses and Services Ramsey Peel

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Saturday	12.30 pm	Benefactors		
	6.30 pm	Parishioners		
Sunday	11.00 am	Canon B. Alger	9.00 am	Maurice Solkin
Monday	10.00 am	BEDA Association	10.00 am	Communion Service
Tuesday	10.00 am	Maurice Solkin	Midday	LISCF
Wednesday	7.30 pm	Benefactors		
Thursday	10.00 am	Brian Hudson	Midday	Brian Weldon
Friday	10.00 am	Eileen O Mahony	Midday	The Work of the SVP
		(26th Anniversary)		
Saturday	12.30 pm	No Mass. 1pm Wec	ding Service	Collister/Kennish
	6.30 pm	Parishioners		
Sunday	11.00 am	Aimee Mallorca	9.00 am	F.E. Peterson

Confessions: Ramsey - Saturday, after 12.30pm Mass & 5.45 - 6.15pm; Wednesday 7-7.20pm. Peel - Sunday, 8.30 - 8.50am

Last Weeks Donations: Ramsey - £ 721.30 Peel - £294.00

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Peel - Friday after the Midday Mass **Ramsey** - Saturday 5.30 - 6.15

Readings for the Week

4th September 2023 - **Monday** 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 95:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12a, 12b-13; Lk 4:16-30 5th September 2023 - **Tuesday** 1 These 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 26:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37 6th September 2023 - **Wednesday** Col 1:1-8; Ps 51:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44 7th September 2023 - **Thursday** Col 1:9-14; Ps 97:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11 8th September 2023 - **Friday** Micah 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30;Ps 12:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 9th September 2023 - **Saturday** Col 1:21-23; Ps 53:3-4, 6 and 8; Lk 6:1-5

Prayer of the Faithful: Keep us, O God, Response: **in the shadow of your wings.**

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On Friday 8th September there will be a **Coffee Morning** in St. Patrick's Hall for the work of the S.V.P. Donations for the raffle and cake stall will be greatly received.

Father Philip writes

Season of Creation.

"May our common home overflow with life once again." This is the wish expressed by Pope Francis in his message for the Season of Creation which is celebrated from the beginning of September through until October 4th, the Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi.

"God wants justice to reign," the Pope stresses, which "is essential for our proper life as children created in the image of God, no less than water is essential for our physical survival." Therefore, "justice and peace can flow, like an inexhaustible stream of pure water, nourishing humanity and all creatures." However, "the effects of war can be seen in so many rivers that are drying up," in large part, because "our rapacious consumerism, fueled by selfish hearts, which is disrupting the planet's cycle, not least of its provision of clean water."

In this way, Pope Francis denounces that it is precisely "our unbridled burning of fossil fuels and the destruction of forests that are raising temperatures and provoking great droughts", while "the terrible shortage of water increasingly besets our homes, from small rural communities to large cities and countries"

For this reason, Francis calls on "all people of good will" to bring about a "transformation of our hearts, our lifestyles and the public policies that govern our societies."

further information will be available on the <u>www.SeasonOfCreation.org</u> website

Fix the Food System - Stand in solidarity with small-scale farmers.

It's clear that our current global food system is in crisis, and at the heart of this crisis is a struggle over control of the world's seeds. Salina, a small-scale farmer from Bangladesh, has written a letter to the World Bank. This weekend after Mass there will be an opportunity to find out more and co-sign Salina's letter to show your support. cafod.org.uk/campaign/fix-the-food-system

Please feel free to take this bulletin away with you, it enables you to

re-read the Sunday Readings and Prayers during the week pray for the Intention of the Mass each day share information about the parish with friends and neighbours if they ask. Parish Priest: Fr. Brian O Mahony, CSSp, Thie yn Taggyrt, Queen's Promenade, Ramsey, IM8 4BH Email: <u>ourladystarofthesea@rcaol.org.uk</u>. <u>www.manxcatholic.org</u>