

23rd -31st July 2022

Masses and Services

Ramsey

Peel

Saturday	6.30 pm	Graeme Easton on his ordination to the Diaconate today		
Sunday	11.00 am	Parishioners	9.00 am	Sean Barlow
Monday	10.00 am	Paul McAndry	10.00 am	Communion Service
Tuesday	10.00 am	Barbara Whiteway	7.30 pm	Sr. Imanuel (III)
Wednesday	7.30 pm	Dave O Sullivan		
Thursday	10.00 am	L. McCarthy	Midday	Private Intention
Friday	10.00 am	Michael Craig	Midday	For Youth that they may return to the Sacraments.
Saturday	12.30 pm	Benefactors		
	6.30 pm	Geraldine Walsh		
Sunday	11.00 am	William & Ellen Quigley	9.00 am	Parishioners

Confessions: Ramsey - Saturday, after 12.30pm Mass & 5.45-6.15pm

Wednesday 7.00-7.20pm

Peel - Sunday 8:30 - 8.50 am

Feastdays of the Week

Monday St. James. Apostle. He was one of three witnesses to Christ's transfiguration and the agony in the garden as well as being present at the raising of Jairus' daughter. James was the first apostle to die for his faith.

Tuesday Sts. Joachim and Anne. Parents of Our Lady.

Friday Sts. Mary, Martha and Lazarus.

Saturday St. Peter Chrysologus.

Readings for the Week

25th July 2022 - **Monday**

2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 125:1-2ab, 2cd-3,4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28

26th July 2022 - **Tuesday**

Jer 14:17-22; Ps 78:8, 9, 11 and 13; Mt 13:36-43

27th July 2022 - **Wednesday**

Jer 15:10, 16-21; Ps 58:2-5, 10-11, 17-18; Mt 13:44-46

28th July 2022 - **Thursday**

Jer 18:1-6; Ps 145:2abc, 2d-4, 5-6; Mt 13: 47-53

29th July 2022 - **Friday**

1 Jn 4:7-16; Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9, 210-11; Jn 11:19-27 (or Lk 10:38-42)

30th July 2022 - **Saturday**

Jer 26:11-16, 24; Ps 68:15-16, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 14:1-12

Prayer of the Faithful: Father, hallowed be your name;

Response: **your kingdom come.**

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Our Lady Star of the Sea & St. Maughold, Ramsey

St. Patrick's, Peel

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We look forward to welcoming **Canon Philip Gillespie** on Friday (29th July).

He is hoping to be here until Monday 5th September. During his stay, Father Brian plans to be away on holiday and for a Retreat.

Catholic News Bites

Robert Innes, the Church of England's Bishop in Europe, has said that that ecclesial community has no definition of a woman because such definitions were long thought self-evident. His comment comes amid a session of the General Synod, the Church of England's legislative body, which is being held in York this July. The synod was asked, "What is the Church of England's definition of a woman?" Innes responded, "There is no official definition, which reflects the fact that until fairly recently definitions of this kind were thought to be self-evident, as reflected in the marriage liturgy," [The Telegraph reported July 10](#).

The personal secretary of Pope Benedict XVI, Archbishop Georg Gänswein, could not hold back tears as he recalled what the pope emeritus once told him about his journey to heaven. The scene took place at the Nymphenburg Palace in Munich, Germany, during a June celebration organized by the Joseph Ratzinger/Pope Benedict XVI Foundation for the 95th birthday of the pope emeritus. The event was broadcast [in German on EWTN](#). Gänswein was visibly choked up as he recalled that Benedict XVI once told him that "I would never have believed that the last stretch of the journey that would take me from the Mater Ecclesiae monastery (where he currently resides) to the gates of heaven with St. Peter would be so long." Benedict XVI turned 95 on April 16, a little more than nine years after he resigned from the papacy on Feb. 28, 2013. Gänswein, 65, currently prefect of the papal household, has accompanied Benedict XVI as his personal secretary since 2003, when the pope emeritus was still Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger.

A new documentary about the Catholic priesthood asks priests what kind of life they are supposed to live as they reflect on their vocations and the role of the priest in Catholic theology and spiritual life. "I am what I do and I do what I am," Father Hugh Allan, O.Praem., said in the film. "I am my life as a priest, and I live that life as a priest, and you can't be anything other." "So priesthood is not a 9 to 5 job, where you can finish at the end of the day... it is your whole being," he said in the documentary ["In Persona Christi: The Catholic Priesthood."](#)

The documentary takes its name from the Latin phrase for the Catholic concept that an ordained priest acts "in the person of Christ." The film was produced by the Wales-based [St. Anthony Communications](#).

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