**21st – 29th June 2025**

**Masses and Services**

 **Ramsey Peel**

Saturday 6.30pm Special Intention

Sunday 11.00am Ann Doherty 9:00 am Parishioners

Monday 10.00am Paul Morrell Harvey 10.00am Service of Word and

 Holy communion

Tuesday 10.00am Teresa Eileen Leigh Midday Private Intention Wednesday 7.30pm Jose Miguel Vargas (Healing)

Thursday 10.00am David Moore Midday Holy Souls

Friday 10.00am Grace to forgive Midday Deceased of Parish

 one another

Saturday 12.30pm Donors and Benefactors

 6.30pm Parishioners

Sunday 11.00am Intention of a 9:00am Priestly vocations

 young parishioner

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

 Wednesday 7:00pm to 7.20pm. **Peel -** Sunday 8.30am to 8.50am.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament –** Ramsey, Saturdays 5.30pm to 6.15pm

**Last Week’s Donations:** Ramsey - £665.80; Peel - £319.50

**Second Collection for Day of Life:** Ramsey - £321.10; Peel - £129.45

**Readings for the week**

**23rd June 2025 –** **Monday of week 12 in Ordinary Time/ St. Etheldreda, Abbess.**

Genesis 12:1-9; Ps 33(32):12-13. 18-19. 20, 22; Matthew 7:1-5.

**24th June 2025 – Tuesday, Nativity of St. John the Baptist, Solemnity.**

Isaiah 49:1-6; Ps 139 (138):1-3. 13-14. 15; Acts 13:22-26; Luke 1:57-66, 80.

**25th June 2025 – Wednesday of week 12 in Ordinary Time.**

Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18; Ps 105(104):1-2. 3-4. 6-7. 8-9; Matthew 7:15-20.

**26th June 2025—Thursday of week 12 in Ordinary Time.**

Genesis 16:1-12, 15-16; Ps 106(105):1-2. 3-4b. 4c-5; Matthew 7: 21-29.

**27th June 2025 – Friday, The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity.**

Ezekiel 34:11-16; Ps 23(22):1-3a. 3b-4. 5. 6; Romans 5:5b-11; Luke 15:3-7.

**28th June 2025—Saturday, The Immaculate Heart of Mary/ St Irenaeus.**

Isaiah 61:9-11; Ps 1 S 2:1. 4-5. 6-7. 8a-d; Luke 2: 41-51/ 2 Timothy 2:22b-26; Ps 37(36) 3-4.5-6. 30-31

Prayer of the Faithful: In our turn, dear Jesus, Response: **we bring you gifts of bread and wine**

**Feastdays of the week**

Monday - St. Etheldreda (Audrey), Abbess

Tuesday - The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist, Solemnity

Friday – The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, Solemnity

Saturday - The Immaculate Heart of Mary/ St Irenaeus

Sunday – Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles, Solemnity

**Ramsey**

God willing seven of our young parishioners will receive their first Holy Communion next Sunday, 29th June. No doubt there will be a large attendance at the 11am Mass on that day.

**Eucharistic Adoration**

It has been suggested that there be Eucharistic Adoration on Fridays from 3pm to 4pm at Our Lady’s Church in Ramsey. Please let Fr Brian know if this is an acceptable day and time for the Eucharistic Adoration to take place. If not please suggest another day and time that would be more suitable to enable more of the congregation to take part. Thank you.

**The Second Collection Next Weekend**

Next weekend the second collection will be for Peter’s Pence.

**The Eurcharist**

‘The breaking of the bread’ was one of the earliest names for The Mass. This original phrase was a very practical reminder of what Jesus did at the Last Supper as he shared with his Apostles the gift of the Eucharist, his own body and blood which would be offered on the Cross the next day (Good Friday) and which is given now to each of us a FOOD FOR THE CHRISTIAN JOURNEY; He took bread, blest and broke it ( Matthew 26;26).

The Eucharist – literally a thanksgiving ….and indeed we are thankful for the way in which Jesus nourishes and strengthens us for our Christian living for each day. The keeping of the Holy Eucharist in the Tabernacle, is marked in the church by the burning of ‘the small red flame’, the Sanctuary Lamp. So when you spend a moment in one of our churches on the Island, take a moment to give thanks for one way in which Jesus fulfils his promise ‘ behold I am with you always…’ (Matthew 28:20). Fr Philip.