

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST BEDE

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – Sunday 23rd February 2020 (Parish Mass Book page 139)

MASSES	
Saturday 22 nd February	6pm
Sunday 23 rd February	10am
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Monday 24 th February	10am
Tuesday 25 th February	10am
Wednesday 26 th February <i>Ash Wednesday – PMB p147</i>	10am
Wednesday 26 th February	7.30pm
Thursday 27 th February <i>Joan Wiley – anniv</i>	10am
Friday 28 th February	10am
Friday 28 th February <i>Stations of the Cross</i>	4.30pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday morning – 10.30am

CHILDREN'S LITURGY is not being held today, because of half-term. We will resume next Sunday.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

The next collection is the Lenten collection for CAFOD, on 7th/8th March. The collection for Lenten Alms, for the Cardinal's charities, will be taken during the weekend of 28th/29th March. Further donations to either of these charities may be made at any time up to Easter.

THURSDAY CLUB

Meets weekly after 10am Mass. Everybody welcome!

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Next monthly meeting:

Monday 2nd March – 7.00pm in the Presbytery.

New members very welcome.

Contact: James Garibaldi
07557 515860

PARISH IN COUNCIL NOTES

The Notes from the recent meeting are now on the church notice board, and can be viewed on the parish website. Paper copies available on request.

GLOBAL CARING EVENT

Weds 11th March – 7 to 8.30pm

We hope to see as many as possible at this parish event; focusing on the global threat to our environment, and what we can do about it, with discussion and the sharing of light refreshments.

CALLING ALL OUR YOUNGER PARISHIONERS . . .

This is your world, your future, your challenge! Come and support us on Weds 11th March.

We especially hope to see present and past Confirmation candidates!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Next preparation session is on Wednesday 26th February.

FIRST CONFESSIONS

Saturday 7th March – 11am

The FHC children's first confessions will be heard during a short Service of Forgiveness.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

Friday 6th March – 2.00pm

St Oswald's Church – 2pm

All are warmly invited to attend this year's service, prepared by Christian women of Zimbabwe.

Tea & biscuits will be served afterwards in the church hall.

THE ROSARY

Next recitation will be during the weekend of 7th / 8th March. More volunteers needed to lead, please!

FAIRTRADE EASTER EGGS

Deadline for ordering through the parish – Sunday 1st March

'The Real Easter Egg' range is now available (see poster in porch).

These can be purchased from some branches of Tesco, Morrisons, Waitrose and ASDA, or online direct from:

www.realeasteregg.co.uk

Contact: Ursula – 01923 445163

CHRISTIAN AID FUNDRAISER

Saturday 7th March – 7.15pm

Comedy Evening with Paul Kerensa at St Mary's Church

Centre, Rickmansworth, WD3 1JB.

Tickets: £12.50 (includes a drink) available from Eleri Davies on

07903 240633 or

eleridavies99@hotmail.com

Info: Anna Morris – 01923 777871

LENT 2020 begins this

Wednesday 26th February, Ash Wednesday. Please note that there is Mass at 7.30pm on Wednesday, as well as at 10am.

LENTEN LUNCH

Friday 28th February – 12.30pm

Everyone welcome to join us for a simple lunch in the Hall.

Donations to CAFOD.

COFFEE MORNING

Sun 1st March after 10am Mass

Tea, coffee and light refreshments will be served in the Hall after Mass. Everyone welcome. We hope to organise these events on a monthly basis and would welcome any offers of help.

Contact: Ursula – 01923 445163

ST PATRICK'S DAY

BREAKFAST after 10am Mass

Sunday 15th March

All are warmly invited to share tea, coffee & some special treats.

£5 per person

Money raised will be divided equally between St Bede's parish activities fund and Coast 2 Coast 4 Cancer (C2C4C).

THANK YOU TO THE PARISH

Following her amazing charity bike ride last year, Siobhan Donohoe, wishes to thank everyone on behalf of the charities who benefitted as a result of combined fundraising. £52,114 to Maggies Cancer Charity, and £25,423 to the Irish Cancer Society. Many thanks to all who supported this wonderful achievement.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Will be celebrated **each Friday**

during Lent at **4.30pm**,

commencing on 28th February.

HYMNS – 10am Mass

Entry 694 (disc 1 tr 7)
All Creatures of our God

Offertory 609 ... (disc 9 tr 6)
In Bread We Bring

Communion 806 (disc 19 tr 4)
The Lord's My Shepherd

Exit 320 (disc 7 tr 8)
Hail Redeemer