

# CHURCH OF SAINT THEODORE OF CANTERBURY

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## 10 February 2019: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in ordinary time

### Calendar

Thursday	Ss Cyril, monk, and Methodius, bishop, patrons of Europe
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### Masses

Saturday (for Sunday)	6.30 pm
Sunday	8.30 am and 10.30 am
Monday and Tuesday	9.30 am
Wednesday	9.30 am followed by Rosary
Friday	6.30 pm

Confession is available before Saturday-evening Mass, and upon request. Baptism is administered (by appointment) on Saturdays at midday.

### Racial justice Sunday next weekend

The focus this year is on the experiences of ethnic communities in England and Wales. It is a day on which we all called to pray for an end to racism and racial inequality in our country. The theme is *Dignity of Work*, looking at how all people must not be exploited or face discrimination or hatred in their work. There are some prayer-cards, and there will be a retiring collection.

### Forthcoming meetings (on Tuesdays at 8pm)

Parish pastoral council	26 February
Parish pastoral council	30 April
Finance committee	14 May

### Hampton food bank

"Following on from the groceries we donated to the Food Bank before Christmas, we would like to make this a regular parish commitment, but we need your help! Please could you buy one item a week when you do your shopping which we will donate to the Food Bank? We have placed a red box under the table in the porch, and these items will be delivered to the Food Bank to be distributed to local people who are less fortunate than many of us.

"There is a list of suitable items for you to choose from attached to the double doors. Please note we cannot accept perishable items. We hope that you will all support this new commitment from our Church to reach out to our local Community."

### New cleaning rota

Copies of this rota are available in the porch for those who do not receive it by email.

### Volunteer money-counters needed

We need to increase the number of parishioners who count the parish's income after 10.30 Mass on Sundays. If you are interested, please see Fr Dominic.

### Women's fellowship

The women's fellowship will next meet on Thursday the 28<sup>th</sup> of this month.

### Cardinal's Mass for married couples, 8 June

Cardinal Vincent writes: "I [am] inviting married couples in the Diocese who are celebrating particular anniversaries during the course of 2019 to join me in the Cathedral for a Thanksgiving Mass for Matrimony. This year it will take place on Saturday 8 June at 3 pm."

Would couples celebrating 5<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup>, and 60+ wedding anniversaries kindly supply the parish office with their names, wedding date, full postal address and email address if they have one (or, if not, a telephone number).

### Justice and Peace

"What is Justice and Peace? It's about wanting to make a difference, witnessing to gospel values in society, not only by helping those close at hand, or sending gifts overseas, but asking why problems are arising, and whether we can speak up for change. Justice and Peace reps can publicise our work, maintain a parish notice board, or raise awareness in the parish. Can you be your parish Justice and Peace representative? Contact [justice@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:justice@rcdow.org.uk)"

### Duties for next weekend (16-17 February)

Reading	6.30	N Stevenson
	8.30	M Burgess
	10.30	A Macpherson
Communion	6.30	V Turner
	8.30	D Lynch
	10.30	M Frisby, B Dadswell and M Frampton
Counting	M Frisby and J Gibbs	
Cleaning	Ms Thésée and Ms Hashimoto	
Flowers	Margaret Bird	