

St Hugh of Lincoln RC Church

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VIEW FROM THE PRESBYTERY

'The disciples recognized the Lord Jesus in the breaking of bread.' Luke recounts these words in his story of the two disciples on the road to Emmaus (Lk 24:35) and it is the Communion Antiphon for today's Mass. Curious words to say and pray when we have just entered a second period of lockdown and are unable to gaze on the Lord in the Eucharist, except on the internet! If we have the eyes to see and the ears to hear we can encounter the Lord anytime, in any place and in everyone we meet. We have a great opportunity to grow as the Lord's disciples by deepening our prayer life. How? By reflecting on the life of the Lord in scripture and continuing to put our faith into practice through our service of those in need in our midst. Why not visit the websites of our Letchworth Foodbank, Herts Helps Refugees, or your favourite charity and reflect on how you can deepen your knowledge, love and support for them through prayer and action. Let us continue to pray for each other. *Fr Jimmy*

Westminster Sick and Retired Priests' Fund Collection

On behalf of the priests who benefit from this collection, thank you very much for your prayers and your generosity to our priests. We have over eighty sick or retired priests in our diocese and a further eighty are set to retire by 2025. Our retired priests have served in parishes, hospitals, schools and prisons, often for more than 50 years - the retirement age is 75. The fund is used to meet costs like making accommodation available, a flat accessible, or providing essential care for an elderly priest. Please help to ensure no priest is concerned about meeting essential costs or is without support during their senior years. Envelopes can be returned to the presbytery and are available at the back of Church. If you are a tax payer, please complete the Gift Aid section of the envelope so the Church can reclaim 20p for every £1 you give. A 'QR' code is available on the envelope to scan with your 'phone camera to make an offering on-line, or visit the Sick and Retired section of our diocesan website. If you can, please be as generous this year in your prayer for all of our priests, active or retired and through your offering in the collection.

CAFOD collection: Thank you for your generous contributions to CAFOD. In total, £1714.91 was collected.

CHURCH OPENING TIMES

The Church is open for private prayer at the following times
Monday to Saturday
10.00am to 11.00am
Sunday
10.15am to 12noon

MASS TIMES
Daily Mass is celebrated without a congregation at 9.30am

Sunday Mass at 9.30am via our Parish YouTube Channel: St Hugh of Lincoln RC Church, Letchworth. (link available through our parish website).

Confessions:
By appointment only.