

St Teresa's Newsletter

Sunday 30th April 2017 3rd Sunday of Easter(A)

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MASSES AND SERVICES:

SATURDAY 29TH APRIL THE FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY

5.30pm *Patrick O'Grady*

SUNDAY 30TH APRIL 2017 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER (A)

8.00am *People of the Parish*

9.30am (Wye) *Patrick Buckenham's Int*

10.30am *Karen Gasche*

SUNDAY 7TH MAY 2017 4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER (A)

8.00am *People of the Parish*

9.30am (Wye) *May Cox*

10.30am *Capriotti*

Mon. 1st May 10.00am *John Delaney*
Tues 2nd St ATHANASIAS
10.00am *Norman Alexander*
(Exposition and Rosary 10.30 to 11.00am)
6.00pm (Wye)
Exposition and Rosary 5.30 to 6.00pm
Wed 3rd STS. PHILIP & JAMES
10.00am *Josephine Sien Ying Nonis*
Thur. 4th THE ENGLISH MARTYRS
10.00am *Fortunata Pinheiro*
Fri. 5th 10.00 am *Freda Matthews*
Sat 6th 10.00am *Aaron Church*
5.30pm *Michael Jordan*

SPRING LIGHT

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAYS: 10.30-11.3AM, 4.30-5.15pm

THE SICK

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK:

Marina Shelton, Silvia Arones., Father-in-law of Jomy George, Thomas Kirby, Joan Bright, Baby Sebastian, Nancy Finnerty, Doreen Gavin, Fr Wilf McGreal, Samveer Parris, Sr Agatha, Paul, Marta Thompson, Fr John O'Callaghan, Kathy Collar, Halina Heather, Bernadine Price, Elsie Tomkins, Bernard Claw, Emma Crozier, Ann Carter, Sue Wall, Pauline Runciman, Doreen Gabin, Mary Wells, Joan Bright, Pat Hamedy, Felicity Gliddon, Liam O'Connor, Kay Kilby, David Lavelle, Maureen Moloney, Brian Vickery, Debbie, Maureen Anderson, Sarah Weston, Marilyn Mahlberg, Mark Haberland, Jane Rutter, Myrna Coleman, George & Teresa Ashby, David Robbins, Catherine Keane, Licia Johnston, John Lydon, Peter Laker, Fr. David Peck, Sharon Mooney

ANNIVERSARIES

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE FOLLOWING:

Norah, Annie Breen, Brendan Dolye, Eva Kaszycka, Eleanor Kelly, Joseph Byrne, Thomas Doran, Maurice Barry, Bridget Wheeler, Jeffrey Swinnard, Patricia Knight, Lawrence Freed, Patrick Farrell, Sr. Ursula Jansen, Walter Darling, Sid Hollis, James O'Donoghue, Kathleen Laker, John Greeney

and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Please pray for Margaret McLaughlin who has died
(Fiona Batchelor's Cousin)

FIRST FRIDAY (5TH APRIL) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after the 10.30am Mass till 3.00pm. Please sign the list at the back of Church.

CONGRATULATIONS to our Candidate and Catechumen who received the Sacraments of initiation at the Easter Vigil.

THE 'REACH' AND 'PILGRIM' NEWSPAPERS ARE FREE. Please take a copy.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY will be celebrated this Sunday (30th) St. Simon's Please see notice board for more information.

FOOD BANK: J&P group are holding a collection for the Food Bank this weekend 29th/30th April. You can help a family in your local area cope by buying just a little bit extra in store and donating it to the Family Food Bank. Items you can donate include: tinned meats and vegetables, rice and porridge oats. UHT Long life milk, Instant Coffee (value brand) Sugar (1kg or 500g packets) Items for Baby Boxes: Nappies (especially size 4 and 5), Wet Wipes. A box is in the porch where you can leave your goods. Please help if you can. Thank you.

MISSION RED BOXES Please bring your Red Boxes in for counting.

FR RODNEY'S LENT TALKS this year talks including 'Life after death' are now available online please use the link below:

<https://soundcloud.com/user-971237244/tracks> There was not enough free space on soundcloud to include all 5 talks, but nos. 2-5 are all there. If you do not have soundcloud you need to go to <https://soundcloud.com/> where you can sign up for free. And then listen to Fr Rodney's Lent talk.

GOOD FRIDAY SOUP LUNCH Thank you to all who supported CAFOD in this venture £170 was raised.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME Thursday 4th May in the Church Hall 8.00pm.

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY £1,360.50 (including £375 in Standing Orders)

EASTER OFFERING TO THE PRIESTS £ 4,461.72

HOLY PLACES £490.89

2nd Collection this Sunday for the maintenance St. George's Cathedral.

Counters: This Week: Angela and Denis Next week: Monica and Maureen

CONFIRMATION SHOW Saturday 20th May at 7.30pm in St Teresa's School Hall. Tickets will be on sale after all Masses, weekend **13th/14th May**. Charities we are supporting this year are Demelza House Children's Hospice and MISSIO overseas charity for children. Please support the young people of our Parish.

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME: Saturday 6th May. Meet in the Priests' House 10.30am.

VACANCY: DEPUTY HEADTEACHER St Thomas' Catholic Primary School in Canterbury is looking to appoint a new Deputy Headteacher from September 2017. For further information, please contact the school on 01227-462539. Advert available on www.kent-teach.com. Closing date: Monday 8th May at 4.00pm.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

CONFIRMATION MASS Wednesday 14th June at 7.00pm

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Sunday 18th June at 10.30am

Christ Jesus,
our light and our guide,
as we travel through life
open our eyes to recognise you
in everyone that we meet,
and open our hearts
to share generously with each other.
We look for you in all people.
May we be inspired to treat each other
with respect, sharing generously
and reaching out to help
those who are in need.
Amen.