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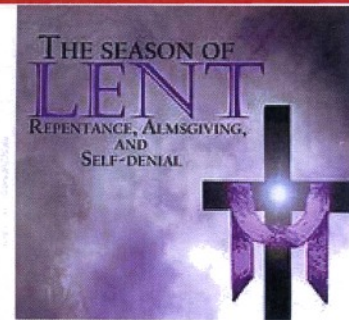
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NEWSLETTER

Sunday 8th March 2020 - The Second Sunday of Lent

MASSES and SERVICES

- Monday 9th March: Mass at 9.00 a.m. *Lent Weekday.*
 Tuesday 10th March: **Mass at 9.00 a.m. in school. Lent Weekday.**
 Wednesday 11th March: Mass at 9.00 a.m. *Lent Weekday, St. Casimir.*
 Thursday 12th March: **Mass at 12.00 noon. Followed by CAFOD lunch.**
Reception for Marion Brooks at 7.00 p.m.
 Friday 13th March: **Requiem Mass at 11.00 a.m. for Marion Brooks.**
Stations of the Cross at 5.00 p.m.
 Saturday 14th March: Mass at 11.00 a.m. *Lent Weekday, Ss. Perpetua & Felicity.*
 CONFESSIONS: 11.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon and 5.45 p.m. to 6.15 p.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament during Confessions.
 Vigil Mass of Sunday: Saturday evening at 6.30 p.m. *The Third Sunday of Lent.*
 Sunday 15th March: Masses at 8.30 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. *The Third Sunday of Lent.*
Reception of Colin Hardman at 6.00 p.m.
 Monday 16th March: **Requiem Mass for Colin Hardman at 1.00 p.m.**



READERS AT MASS FOR NEXT WEEKEND - 14th/15th March 2020.

6.30 p.m. Alan Wilson. 8.30 a.m. Claire Morton. 10.30 a.m. Maura Spink.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND - 14th/15th March 2020.

6.30 p.m. Steve Mawdesley. 8.30 a.m. David Postlethwait. 10.30 a.m. Bernadette Dawes.

Please pray for the Sick: Rachel Louise Keenan, Roger Dawes, Nora Apps, Sheila Haile, Ted Davies, Martin Chesworth, Ian Frank Howarth, Madeline Doherty, Grace McClosky, Baby Freddy, Michael Chesworth, Daniel Taylor, Nicola, Dennis Chadwick, Margaret Aspin, Eileen Marsh, Eleanor Hilton, Martin Miles, Mary Blackburn, David Simpson, Jack McGee, Baby H, Tom Crane, Beverley Whittaker, Collette Keck.

Lately Dead: Angela Stanley, Geoffrey Spencer, Colin Hardman, Marion Brooks, Jeanette Clarkson Eileen Cudworth, Lynn McDermott, Kathleen Testa, Catherine Daniels.

Anniversaries and Remembrances: Harry Lowe, John Michael Moffatt, Christopher Moffatt, Joseph & Maria Pooley, Thomas & Philomena Bromley, Mary & Peter Connolly.

LENT 2020 - CAFOD LENTEN FAST - Please bring in your envelopes as soon as possible.
Each Friday in Lent there will be a CAFOD LUNCH after the 12.00 noon Mass.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the 12.00 noon Mass each Friday until STATIONS OF THE CROSS and BENEDICTION at 5.00 p.m.

There will be a PPTA Coffee Morning this Sunday after both Masses. Please come and support our school.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS - There will be a meeting of all ladies interested in joining a new branch of the UCM here at St. James the Less this Monday 9th March at 7.00 p.m. in the Parish Centre.

ST. PATRICK'S SOCIAL 14th March - We hope to have a St. Patrick's Social on Saturday 14th March in the Parish Hall. There will be music, dancing, refreshments and bar. **Tickets on sale after Masses.**

NEXT BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE - Next Sunday 15th March at 5.00 p.m. in church.

OUR FOREIGN MISSIONS APPEAL and COLLECTION this year will be held next weekend, 14th/15th March by The Spiritans (The Holy Ghost Fathers).

DEANERY LENTEN STATION MASS - Thursday 26th March, 7.00 p.m. at Sacred Heart, Colne. **Please sign up for this Mass if you wish to go and we can arrange transport.**

THIS WEEK IN THE OLD SCHOOL ROOM

- Sunday: Children's Liturgy. 10.30 a.m. Mass
 Valley Relax Kids. 4.00 p.m.
 Monday-Friday: Pre-School Playgroup. 9.00-12.00 noon.
 Monday: Rainbows. Irish Dancing.
 Wednesday: Brownies. Line Dancing.

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH CENTRE

- Monday: Guides 7.00 - 8.30 p.m.
 Friday: No Youth Club on Friday 13th March.