

Our Lady Help of Christians

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15TH MARCH 2020

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT (A)

Confessions: Thursday 12noon-12.30pm: Friday
12noon – 12.30pm. Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament every Friday 11.30am -12.30pm

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT: on Friday, 20th March at 6.30pm, will be led by the **Altar Servers/Readers and Eucharistic Ministers**. On Friday 27th March, it will be led by the **Parishioners**
HOLY COMMUNION 2020: There will be a meeting for parents of Holy Communicants on Wednesday, 18th March 2020 at 7pm in the Church. It is very important that **all parents** attend this meeting.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: 19th March 2020 - Bishop-Elect David Oakley will be ordained as the thirteenth Bishop of Northampton at the Cathedral of Our Lady Immaculate and St Thomas of Canterbury. You can stream the Mass using the following address: (<https://northamptoncathedral.org/live/>)

HOLY GHOST, Westbourne Road, LU4 8JD:

THURSDAY, 19TH MARCH – St. Joseph’s Day 7.30pm Solemn Mass to pray for our new bishop, David, ordained that morning, and for the Holy Father, Pope Francis on his 7th Anniversary of installation as Bishop of Rome.

WEDNESDAY 25TH MARCH Solemnity of the Annunciation 9am Mass, 7.30pm Solemn Mass for the Rededication of England as the Dowry of Mary.

ST. PAUL’S CATHOLIC SCHOOL invites you to a “Thinking Theology” lecture:

Camino to Santiago – A Pilgrim’s Story’.

The lecture will be on Monday 23rd March 2020 – 7.00pm at The Chapel, St. Paul’s Catholic School, Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall, Milton Keynes, MK6 5EN. (Enquiries: 01908 669735). All welcome, Admission Free.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY - 19th April 3 – 4pm at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Luton . Holy Hour with Adoration, Confession and Sung Chaplet.

SATURDAY 21ST MARCH 1-2PM ACT OF PRAYER AND WITNESS in support of life and against abortion outside the Luton and Dunstable hospital. Please come to give these children a voice – and to pray for all involved.

ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: Come and join us in our Easter Service to be held at St. Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church on Tuesday, 31st March 2020 at 5pm. The Service will include drama, singing and scripture.

REDEDICATION OF ENGLAND AS THE DOWRY OF MARY: "A moment of great promise...for the church in this country and for our mission."

Final Five Days (Day 29) of the 33 Days to Morning Glory Booklet will start on Friday 20 March. Over 4 days we will reflect on three words each day, pondering their meaning for Marian Consecration. After these four days of review, on the final day we'll find a synthesis of what we have learned in a single formula of Consecration that aims to capture the essence of Marian Consecration. It is recommended that you go to Confession before you make your personal Consecration on the 25th March.

See www.Behold2020.com for further details

VOLUNTEER INTERPRETERS AND MENTORS NEEDED: **NOAH** is currently running a migrant project to support migrants and refugees in finding and securing work through our Academy. We are looking for volunteer interpreters and/or mentors to support us in this work. For more information please contact us at Academy@noahenterprise.org or call Warren Edwards on 01582 726152 for an informal chat.

SUNDAY Fr. Dariusz	9.30am SEAN O’RIADA MASS	Irish Community – Spec. Ints. Sean McMahon – Anniv. RIP Joyce Bostock - RIP
Fr. Dariusz	11.30am	Mary Kilgannon – Spec. Ints. Christeta and Angel and all Deceased members of the Family – RIP Eileen Bolger – Ints.
Fr. Dariusz	5.00pm Followed by Exposition and Adoration for 30 minutes	People of the Parish Joseph Enwright – Anniv. RIP Jim Treanor – RIP Alan McKenna Poor Souls in Purgatory
MONDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS
Fr. Dariusz	12.45pm	Caitlin – Thanksgiving Tanya Reyes – Ints. Bernie Kinsella – Spec. Ints.
TUESDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS
Fr. Dariusz	12.45pm	Ellen Walsh – RIP Sean McManus – RIP Gerry O’Brien – 5th Anniv. RIP
WEDNESDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS
Fr. Dariusz	12.45pm	Thomas Orellana – RIP Jim Harkin - RIP
THURSDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS
Fr. Dariusz	12.45pm	Giovanna Aldridge – RIP John Chandler - RIP
FRIDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS
Fr. Dariusz	10.00am 12.45pm	Requiem Mass – Ellen Walsh Danny O’Neill – RIP Rita Ryan - RIP
SATURDAY Fr. Jeremy	7am	MASS

THE DIOCESE OF NORTHAMPTON are running a Vocations Day for men who may be thinking about the possibility of priesthood. This will take place at Holy Family Church, Luton, LU3 3TA on Saturday 21st March, 10am to 4pm. If you would like to attend please contact Fr. Andy at vocationsdirector@northamptondiocese.org