

St Etheldreda's Parish Newsletter

Sunday 5th March 2017

1st Sunday of Lent

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer We pray for the priest and people of Mother of Good Counsel, Clare

Mass times during the Week; Proper of the Mass page 151 Office 1

Sunday	6.30 pm	Saturday and Sunday 9.00 am and 11.00 am	
Monday	9.30 am	Lenten Feria	In Thanksgiving
Tuesday		NO MASS TODAY	
Wednesday	12.15 pm	St Felix B	Alan Mukonta (Sick)
Thursday		NO MASS TODAY	
Friday	9.30 am	Lenten Feria	Tony & Angela Maccini RIP
Saturday	10.00 am	Lenten Feria	Fr Liam Crowley (Sick)
	6.30 pm		Jean & Sonny Ridgeway(Sick)

Reconciliation & Confessions 10.30 am on Saturday and by appointment

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time, Michael Kearns, Francis Christie, Mark Walker, Regina Karam, Maureen Harding, Muriel Shryane, Molly Game, Mary Sanson, Mallyann Thompson, Mary Gandy, Christianne Morris, William Cozens, William Parsons, Patricia Mann

Children's Liturgy at 11.00 am Mass. First Communion Classes at 10.30 am. The Children rejoin their parents at the Offertory.

Away for a few days. this week. Please contact Deacon John only in emergency. Thank you

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass on Friday

Stations of the Cross on Wednesdays from 11.30 am onwards and at 7.00 pm on Fridays. This week at St Peter's, in Broad Street.

S.V.P. Meeting on Monday 6th March at 7.30 pm.

Deacon John's Talk on Wednesday 2.30 pm. All are welcome

Parish Forum There will be a meeting of the new Parish Forum on Thursday March 16th at 7.30 pm. The Parish Forum is an opportunity for the parish to come together to discuss the Parish and its future. It is an advisory body at which the Parish Priest listens to the views and suggestions made by Parishioners on future projects, to hear about the progress being made with regard to the Alive in Faith projects and get an update on the Financial state of the parish. All are invited to attend and give their views and listen to others

Ely Food Bank

At this time we are very short of Long Life Milk, Fruit Juice, Coffee, Rice, Tinned meat, Rice puddings. Please help if you can. Thank you.

Baptism Programme

If you wish to have your child Baptized, please get in touch with Deacon John or myself. We do ask you to go through the Baptism Course which gets you thinking about what it means for you and your child. Thank you.

The Sacrament of Confirmation

Classes will be on Thursday from 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm. for those who wish to be Confirmed. Thank you.

Pastoral care. If you are going into Addenbrookes, please let the Chaplaincy know on 01223/217769. then someone will come to see you

100 Club subscriptions are now due. Please take a Form from the back of the Church and return your form and subscription to the Red Box. Thank you.

Come to Flame March 11th This is a national Youth event at Wembley Arena aimed at year 10 students and above. The Diocese is taking a group offering subsidised tickets and transport. Please see www.rcdea.org.uk/youth for details

C.A.F.O.D Family Fast Collection next Sunday. Envelopes are available. **Hunger lunch** after Mass on Wednesday for Prek Taol.

Relationship difficulties please contact Marriage Care Tel 0800 389380

Thank you for your weekly collection which amounted to £734.97
White Flower Appeal amounted to £237.25. Thank you.

We pray for all the sick and house-bound members, Fr John, Fr Laurie Locke, Fr Michael Griffin, Fr David Tanner, Fr Terry Donnelly and our sick priests, Deacon John Steel, Ann Lemon, Bernadette Brown, Peter Swan, Sylvia Canham, John O'Donnell, Margaret Layton, Margaret Benstead, Delia Hazeldine

May God Bless you all

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