



CATHOLIC CHURCH OF OUR LADY & ST. KENELM

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LITURGY FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING SUNDAY 1st MARCH 2020 1st SUNDAY of LENT (A)

TIMES OF MASS & MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	29th Feb	1st SUNDAY of	6.30 pm.	
Sunday	1st Mar	LENT (A)	10.00 am.	
Monday	2nd Mar	St. David, Patron Saint of Wales	10.00 am.	
Tuesday	3rd Mar	Feria		
Wednesday	4th Mar	St. Casimir		
Thursday	5th Mar	Feria	9.00 am.	(in school)
Friday	6th Mar	Feria	6.30 pm.	Stations of the Cross
Saturday	7th Mar	Feria	6.30 pm.	

MASS INTENTIONS to Parish Clergy please

Second collection this weekend

**PLEASE TAKE an envelope for
CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY
next Friday. (6th March)**



just one world

Next Weekend Sat /Sun 7/8 Mar 2020

2nd SUNDAY of LENT (A)

MASSES at usual weekend times

Saturday : 6.30 pm.

Sunday : 10.00 am.

2nd Collection for CAFOD FAST DAY

Saturday Evening Mass Readers Rota

Thank you very much to those who volunteered to join a rota of readers for Saturday evening Mass. Rota dates are now published on the notice board.

First Friday Friends

Please join SVP Members and parishioners for coffee and a chat on **Friday 6th March** from 10.30 am. to 11.30 am. in the "Reflections" Coffee Lounge at the Beacon Centre Shop which is opposite Wilko in the town centre.

Dusters after Devotions

Many thanks to the team of dusters, polishers, mopsters and sweepers for all the hard work last week cleaning all of the Church. It was a marvellous effort, with great results and is much appreciated. It would be good to maintain the high standard again especially for Holy Week and Easter. It is suggested that we clean again after Mass on Sunday 29th March.

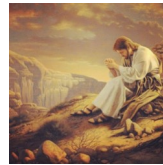
OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS FOR JANUARY 2020

Envelope and loose plate cash £1,209.52

Standing Orders £1,720.00

2nd collections for other charities £200.17

Thank you to everyone registered in the Gift Aid Scheme, it is a valuable source of additional income to the Church at no extra cost to you.



*Man does not live on bread alone,
but on every word
that comes from
the mouth of God.*

1st Mar 2020

Hymns
51
212
122
50

Lenten Almsgiving through the Red Box

This Lenten Season we will again support the Kerala Partnership in its endeavours to help the poor, sick and destitute in a deprived part of India.

Roof Leak

A building surveyor from the Property Department of the Archdiocese visited the Church on Monday 24th February to consider on how best to trace the source of the leak in the roof and repair it. Written advice is expected over the next week on obtaining a roof condition survey and identifying repair options. This advice will form part of a wider general maintenance review of the Church, Presbytery and surrounding grounds required by the Archdiocese.

Catholic newspapers & magazines - our parish losses amounting up

Over the last two years the Parish has spent £1,092 on Catholic newspapers and magazines for resale. However, the popularity of the papers steadily declines and sales over two years were £551. Unsold papers cannot be returned to the publisher so the loss was £541. Continuing these subscriptions is unaffordable because sales cover about half the cost and consequently the subscriptions have now been cancelled.

BLACK COUNTRY FOOD BANK

*Do something different for Lent- join in our 80 can CHALLENGE!
Food stock fall short during the early months of the year. As Lent lasts for 40 days & 40 nights why not collect 80 cans of food!! In the workplace, various group organisations eg. Brownies, Cubs, Scouts, Toddler groups, Sports groups, choirs, even families together etc could collect items. Please be encouraged to take up the challenge!*

- *1L CARTONS OF MILK
- *1L CARTONS OF FRUIT JUICE (CONCENTRATE)
- *JARS OF COOKING SAUCE
- *PKTS OF MASH POTATOES
- *JAM/MARMALADE
- *SMALL JARS OF COFFEE
- *TINNED FRUIT
- *TINNED MEAT (HAM/CORNER BEEF
- *INSTANT NOODLES
- *PET BISCUITS

- *BATH SPONGES/FACE CLOTHS
- *SHAMPOO
- *SHOWER GEL
- *DEODORANT
- *SHAVING FOAM
- *TOILET ROLL
- *SINGLE TOOTHBRUSHES
- *TOOTHPASTE
- *HANDWASH
- *CAN OPENERS
- *PACKETS, TOILETRY ITEMS*

For more detailed information, please see the notices in the narthex or www.blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk.

Once items have been collected, if you need these items collecting, please contact admin@blackcountryfoodbank.org.uk or phone 01384 671250