

The Roman Catholic Parish of  
**St Cuthbert**  
The churches of:  
St Joseph and  
St Thomas of Canterbury



**First Sunday of Lent**  
**1st March 2020**  
Sunday Cycle A  
Weekday Cycle 2

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**Please remember in your prayers.....**

All in your families & those of our parishioners who are sick ....

Remember all those who have died recently....

All those with Anniversaries at this time ...



*Mass Intentions*

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| Christopher Ashton | RIP               |
| Patricia Jennings  | RIP               |
| Madgo Daly         | Lately Dead       |
| Kath Longworth     | Anniversary       |
| Norah Longworth    | Anniversary RIP   |
| Tom Longworth      | Anniversary RIP   |
| Teresa Collins x 3 | First Anniversary |
| Patricia Murphy    | Seriously ill     |

**Spring Mass for the Sick**

Holy Mass for the Sick will be celebrated by Fr. Chris on **Saturday, 14th March at 2.00pm** in St Thomas of Canterbury church.



All are welcome.

Refreshments will be available afterwards in the Beckett Suite.

**EXPOSITION**

The hours are now be **6.30am-8.00pm daily** (please note at weekends there may be Sat. Baptisms and note the Mass Times).

Everyone is welcome. To attend you will need a door fob to The Lady Chapel. At **NEXT weekend's** Masses fobs can be obtained in the porch after Mass or you can apply by completing the request form in the Church porches and post in the red boxes; telephone the Church Office during Office hours or e-mail



**Dates for your diary:**



- From 28th Feb  
Stations of the Cross See notice for details  
3 Mar Prayer & Reflection Group 8.00pm Lady chapel  
13 Mar St Patrick's Day Event (please see the Poster)  
14 Mar Mass for the Sick 2.00 pm SToC church  
17 Mar St Patrick's Day Lunch Signature Restaurant  
18 Mar Bishop John Talk on St Cuthbert (see details)

**Parish Draw @ St Cuthbert's**

This Weeks Winning Tickets are:-  
Week 8

- 543 BK 109 Bridget Galaska  
215 BK 43 Pauline O'Rourke



**Piety Stall**

In addition to our selection of Occasion and Mass Cards, and you are looking for that special gift, please call in and look around

New Rotas are now ready for collection

**Talk on St Cuthbert**

by our Bishop John Arnold who was titular bishop of Lindisfarne and has a great love for Holy Island and the Northern Saints.

Wednesday 18th March 7.30pm Beckett Suite

**St Patrick's Day Event**

Friday 13 March 2020  
SToC School Hall  
6.30- 10.30 pm Tickets £10.00  
(Children free)  
Church Folk Group LIVE (For details see the Poster)



**St Patrick's Day Lunch Signature Restaurant**

17 March 2020 12.00 Noon  
Celebrating St Patrick's Day  
Cost £ 12.00

For more details please contact Ken Hogg 843114



**Parish Liturgy for First Week of Lent**

Monday 2 March	Tuesday 3 March	Wednesday 4 March	Thursday 5 March	Friday 6 March	Saturday 7 March	Sunday 8 March
Lent Weekday	Lent Weekday	Lent Weekday	St Casimir Polish Prince	Lent Weekday	Saint Perpetua & Saint Felicity, Martyrs	2nd Sunday of Lent
<b>L</b> Eucharistic Service PRAY	<b>E</b> Mass FAST	<b>N</b> Requiem Mass for Antonia Ottaviani	<b>T</b> Mass GIVE	 STATIONS of the CROSS Please see the notice for details Mass Sacrament of Reconciliation after mass Vigil Mass 4.45 - 5.15pm Sacrament of Reconciliation		<b>Masses</b> 9.30 am St Joseph & 11.15am St Thomas of Canterbury
10.00 am	10.00 am	10.00 am	10.00 am	10.00 am	5.30 pm	
St Thomas of Canterbury	St Thomas of Canterbury	St Thomas of Canterbury	St Thomas of Canterbury	St Joseph	St Thomas of Canterbury	

*Gift aid it!* Combined Offertory Total Saturday 15th & 16th February £ 1, 595.73

**National Novena to St Joseph Reminder**

10-18 March 2020

Each year the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the feast of St Joseph, their patron, with a Novena of Masses and prayers asking for God's blessing on their Society and on the missionary outreach of the Church, as well as for the intentions of all who support their work.



**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY**

Just one world Next Friday 6th March is CAFOD's Lent Fast Day, when

we are asked to have a simple meal or give up something and donate what we save to the world's poorest, most marginalised people.

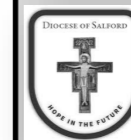
This Fast Day is focusing on health.

Your donations go to highly-trained, highly-skilled local experts around the world who save and support the health of the world's poorest families.

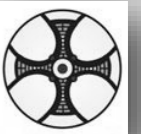
Sister Consilia is a nun in an out-of-town health centre in Zimbabwe. She is a trained pharmacist who saves lives every day. Without our support her brilliant work couldn't continue. We urgently need your help to fund more local experts to reach out to even more people who need treatment, care and love.

Please return your Fast Day Envelope in the Offertory Collection at Mass next weekend or the following two weekends.

Join us for 30 minutes of Readings,  
Reflections & Silence  
8.00 pm Tuesday the 3rd March  
St Thomas of Canterbury Church - Lady Chapel



**HOPE**  
IN THE FUTURE



**Formation Series**

Fr Richard Ounsworth OP

Source and Summit

Wednesday 4th March 2020

St Gabriel's RCHS, Bury BL9 0TZ

See the poster for details

**Lenten Reflections**

**Lenten Retreat at Wardley Hall:**

Matthew: A Vision of Jesus.  
Each Friday in Lent at 10.30 am.

For details of Readings and further information see Poster

**Journeying with Christ during Lent**

Led by different groups in the Parish.  
Stations of the Cross will be held on each Friday during Lent: After morning mass at St Joseph's and at 6.30 pm at St Thomas of Canterbury's. The dates are 28th February, 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th March & 3rd April & will be led by various church groups.

**Explorations- Lenten Reflections**

Starting on Thursday 5th March: 7.30-9.00 pm. Beckett Suite  
Theme: "Journey to the Cross" using the Embrace the Middle East Charity study guide. All welcome to drop by.