

Parish Newsletter Supplement

Parish Website

www.stcuthberts.org.uk

13/11/2022

Christmas Dinner on Jesus hampers are full of everything that you would want in a Christmas Dinner. This year our Parish are supporting the schools of our young people who made their Confirmation earlier this year. They will collect items for the hampers put together by Urban Outreach for distribution to people in Bolton.

Items pledged are.

Custard (1kg Tetrapak carton)

Chocolate Selection Boxes (100-200g)

Box of 6 Mince Pies (*Best Before Date after 25th December*)

All donations for this worthy cause can be deposited in the collection boxes in the entrance to each church up until

Friday 2nd December



MESSAGE FROM FR CHRIS

The Weekend **3rd/4th December** to celebrate the **Feast of St Nicholas** **Our Youth Leadership Team** will be running a sweet stall after each of the masses to help raise funds for **Christmas Dinner on Jesus**. Please bring some of your spending money.
Also calling children of all ages please bring a favourite cuddly toy to mass for a special blessing!



Ken's Sale of Christmas Poinsettia plants

The students from Thornleigh College are selling poinsettia plants in aid of their Pensioners Christmas Party

**On sale 26th November after Mass and
on Sunday 27th November**

Thank you for your support



St Bernadette's Gloria

Refrain: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will x2

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, Almighty Father, we give you thanks for your great glory

Refrain: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us, you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer: you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us, have mercy on us.

Refrain: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone, are the Most High Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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FASHION AND BEAUTY FUNDRAISER

for SVP

(St Vincent de Paul Society)

Wednesday

23rd November in

the Becket Suite 6.00 p.m.

**There will be Raffle prizes
Entrance fee including refreshments
£3.50**





Today. Tomorrow. Together.



THANK YOU FOR THE WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION

A sincere thank you to all who donated so generously to the **World Mission Sunday Collection**, using the World Mission Sunday envelopes, or by direct donations, credit or debit card, cheque, or text & to all who donated by Gift-Aid. The total raised by **St Cuthbert's Parish**, for **MISSIO** was **£337.54** Your kind donations will help missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world, that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. You can find out more about how your donations are changing lives at missio.org.uk

THANK YOU FOR THE RED MISSION BOX COLLECTION

The total collection for **St Cuthbert's Parish**, raised by the **Autumn Collection 2022**, from the **Red Mission Boxes**, including the Brown Envelopes, was **£792.98**. Sincere thanks to all members, collectors and direct donors and to all who make their donations by Gift-Aid. Your donations support the work of the Mill Hill Missionaries in Cameroon, Nigeria, Kenya, Uganda, South Sudan, the Philippines and India

Please contact Bernadette Robinson Tel: 492805 for Missio enquiries at St Thomas of Canterbury and Mairead Pindar Tel: 491887 for enquiries at St Joseph's.

Thank you to all parishioners who have supported Missio in any way during the present difficult financial circumstances

Mass Times at the hospital

Please find below information **Bob Hayes (hospital chaplain)** has asked us to put in our newsletters

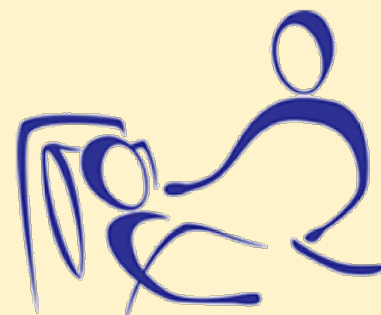
a) All restrictions on hospital visiting (obviously Covid+ excepted) have been lifted. Anyone who wishes to visit a parishioner in hospital is at liberty to do so without needing to book in.

b) **Regular Mass times** (patients, staff and visitors welcome) are:

Friday, Saturday at 8.20am

Sunday at 8.20am **and 2pm**

Monday at 8.20am



PARISH MISSION

'John Pridmore, author of the best selling book, 'From Gang Land to Promise Land,' will lead a parish mission at

Our Lady of Lourdes, Farnworth from 28th - 30th November.

His inspiring words are renowned for touching the hearts of the young as well as others.

Monday 28th - John will give his personal testimony

Tuesday 29th - Talk on mercy of God

Wednesday 30th - Talk on God's Grace and Healing Service with the Blessed Sacrament

Each evening is from 7.30 pm to 9 pm

All are welcome

CAFOD

Catholic Agency for Overseas Development

Cafod School Volunteer

Looking for a new challenge? Could you visit schools in local area to deliver assemblies and workshops about our work and encourage young people to take action, fundraise and pray with CAFOD?

No experience necessary. Full support, resources and training provided FOR FURTHER

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Cafod World Gifts Catalogue

The Cafod World Gifts Catalogue will be arriving soon in church. It gives an opportunity in Advent to share the promise of hope that has been made to us with our sisters and brothers around the world.

You can buy Cafod world gifts for family and friends this Christmas online at <https://worldgifts.Cafod.org.uk> or pick up a catalogue in church. World Gifts will help transform lives in a world filled with challenges.

WORLD GIFTS



CAFOD

Catholic Agency for Overseas Development

Thank you for your generous support for CAFOD in the recent family fast day. We have sent off **£1058.70** from our parish to CAFOD HQ in London.

Your generosity and prayers will help families around the world fight terrible hunger today and tomorrow.

Thank you.

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a simple solution to world hunger



Christmas gift cards are available now!



Advent – Private Prayer Time

We will be opening St. Thomas of Canterbury Church on the following Tuesdays during **Advent** to provide the opportunity for private prayer time:

2.00 to 3.30 p.m.

29th November - 6th, 13th and 20th December

Please do come along and spend as much time as you wish during the above times.

Everyone is very welcome, and we look forward to seeing you

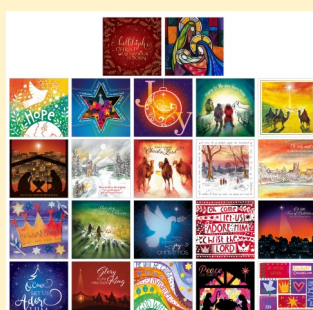
In addition, there will be the usual opportunity for Adoration before The Blessed Sacrament in the Lady Chapel



PIETY STALL

For all your gifts for Advent and Christmas cards, as well as Mass Cards and that special Gift.

Please call in & look around at the stall, positioned at the back of both churches



TESTIMONY AND PRAISE NIGHT SERVICE

Date: Wednesday 30th November 2022

Venue: St. Thomas of Canterbury R C Church

Time: 7.00 pm -8.15 pm Refreshments

Address:7 Eastbourne Grove, Heaton, Bolton BL1 5TR

Join us in the special Testimony and praise night Service.

It is Overcomer's Night.

Testimonies shows us God's power and makes us aware of how God can and does change things or lives.

I will declare thy name to my brethren in the midst of the Church will I praise thee. Hebrews 2:12.

I want you to know about the miraculous signs and wonders the Most High God has performed for me. Daniel 4:2

So if anyone declares himself for me in the presence of human beings, I will declare myself for him in the presence of my Father in heaven. Matthew 10:32.

We all have many questions in life; Search your heart, when in your life has God helped you and how? Daniel counted his blessing one by one that is why he testified, you and I can do the same.

Please come along to share or listen

