



Parish Newsletter Supplement

Parish Website

www.stcuthberts.org.uk

26/03/2023



Reconciliation Services

Thursday 30 March

2.00 pm & 7.00 pm



St Thomas of Canterbury

Feast of Divine Mercy

Sunday 16th April 2023

Special Celebration For the BOLTON Area

At the Parish of St Cuthbert

St Thomas of Canterbury Church

7 Eastbourne Grove, Heaton, BL1 5TR

1.00—3.00 pm

Exposition, Confessions, Special Prayers Talk by Sean Booths MOSJ

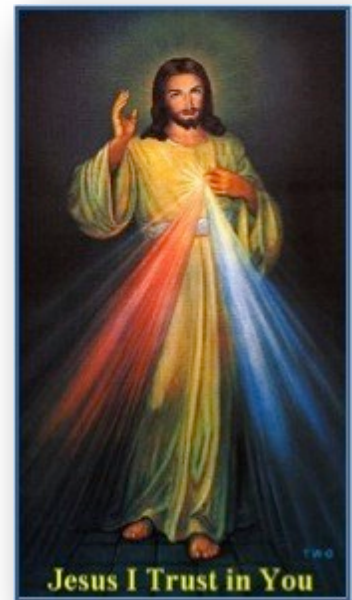
& Hosted by Dr Charles Arewa

3.00 pm Holy Mass

Celebrated by Fr Eamon Mulcahy

Co-celebrant Fr Marian Juszcyk

Refreshments after. All Welcome



There will be a Parish Music Practice on Mon 27th March 7.30pm in St Thomas of Canterbury Church. We will be preparing music for the great services of Holy Week – Palm Sunday, the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday, the Passion on Good Friday and the Easter

Vigil. Any musicians and singers who would like to join us for these services will be made most welcome. If you would like to know more, please contact Liz Moxham lizmoxham@hotmail.co.uk/07876255849

LENT

Prayer · Fasting · Charity

5TH WEEK – WAITING AND TRUST

During our lives we spend a lot of time waiting for things. Let us find time to wait on God and see what he wants to do or say to us.

PRAYER

God, help us to see our times of waiting as opportunities to grow in our relationship with you. Thank you that you are with us in uncertainty, offering peace, joy and unchanging hope in all moments of our lives. Guard our hearts from trusting too heavily in earthly things, and help lift our vision to the eternal picture of who we are and what we have in you. Amen

DEVOTIONS DURING LENT

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

During Lent the Stations of the Cross will be prayed before the weekend Masses 20 mins **before** the start of Mass

and at the weekday Masses **after** the Tuesday Mass at St Thomas of Canterbury and after the Friday Mass at St. Joseph



At the beginning of each Station the leader will say

"We adore you O Christ and we praise you "

And your response is:

"Because by Your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world"

At the end of each Station ALL will say:

I love you Jesus, my love above all things.

I repent of ever having offended You.

Never allow me to offend You again.

Grant that I may love you always; and then

do with me as You will"



Be Still & Know that I am God

Thursdays 3.00 - 4.00pm
Light a candle and enjoy the peace & quiet
ALL WELCOME
St Thomas of Canterbury Church

Cornerstone

URBAN
OUTREACH (BOLTON)



Don't forget to put your
food parcels
and gifts into the
BINS

**Please remember
your
Charities**



Word on Fire is excited to announce the premiere of a new film series exploring the intersection of faith and science. Narrated by The Chosen's Jonathan Roumie, this film series was produced through the support of the John Templeton Foundation.

"Wonder: The Harmony of Faith & Science" Film Series - Word on Fire



Bible Study Group Programme for Lent

Lenten Reflections based on the study guide
'The Kingdom of God is Justice & Peace'
Produced by the charity 'Embrace the Middle East'
The next meeting will be on

Session 4.

Tuesday 4 April 1.00 -2.00 pm
'The Samaritan Woman'

Becket Suite



Faith and science series on Radio Maria.

<https://radiomariaengland.uk>

SCIENTISTS
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Offertory Envelopes – Gift Aid



New Offertory Collection Envelopes are being prepared and it is a good time to invite you to consider registering your collection offerings with Gift Aid.

If you pay income tax and give money to the church, the parish can claim 25 pence tax relief on every pound you give, at no further cost to you.

The amount of your collection is given in confidence and there is no continuous commitment to any set amount of collection.

To receive further information about Gift Aid, please leave your name and address on the form at the back of church or telephone David Hardman on 07980 407084 and details will be sent to you without any presumed obligation.

Caritas Salford Lent Appeal

This Lent, will you make a change to change a life?

Whether you're making a change to your diet, fasting, amending your behaviour or adapting your thoughts and focus...as you pray, fast and give this Lent the change you're making could also help to change a life.

By remembering Caritas Salford during Lent, your donations and prayers will make a real difference to the lives of the local people in Greater Manchester and Lancashire that the team supports - people in our local communities facing poverty, disadvantage, homelessness and isolation.



Use these Lent resources

1. <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Prayer-resources/Stations-of-the-Cross>
2. <https://pray-as-you-go.org/series/10-stations-of-the-cross>
3. <https://stations.wordonfire.org/reflections>
4. <https://www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources/liturgical-year/lent/stations-of-the-cross/multimedia-stations-of-the-cross-for-children/>
5. You can watch again The Stations of the Cross led by The parishioners of The Parish of St Cuthbert Bolton courtesy of Jo Boyce CJM:
6. <https://youtu.be/L2i4IbVgOSk>



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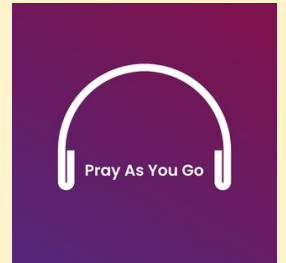
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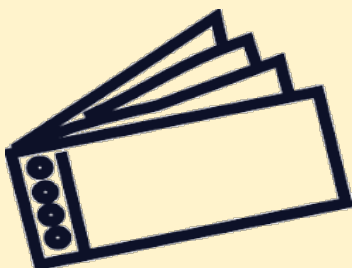
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Parish Draw



This is the list of winners for the second draw of the first quarter (Jan - Mar 2023):-

No 589. on Book 118.	Joan Charnock
No. 466. on Book 94.	Peter W HOUGH
No. 437. on Book. 88	Lee Fox
No. 42 on Book 9.	Victor

Each winner will receive £50
Just a reminder for the friends paying by cash

£10 is now due

For the start of the (Apr - June 2023)
Draw

Thank You





The Really Awful Orchestra

supporting St.Peter's Church

Friday 28th April 2023

7.30 p.m. (Doors open at 7.00 p.m.)

St.Peter's Church

419 Church Road BL1 5RH

07848818276

Ticket £10.00

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Fr Chris is playing- Tickets will be on sale after Mass or contact Anne-Marie Martin



The Saint Vincent De Paul (SVP)

is holding another

tea and social event on

Tuesday, 28th March from

14.00 to 15.30

in the **Becket Suite.**

*Ladies may wish to wear their
Easter bonnets*



SAFEGUARDING



We are looking for a couple of people to come forward to assist in our Safeguarding Ministry. We are looking for persons with a background knowledge and understanding of safeguarding to operate as part of a team. There is some admin work involved with the role. Training and support will be provided.

If you are able to assist or require any further information please contact the Parish office by email: office@stcuthbets.org.uk or telephone 01204 497068.

We ask everyone please to pray to The Holy Spirit for the right people to come forward to help in this very important Ministry.



MISSIO RED MISSION BOX SPRING COLLECTION

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Hill Brown Envelopes for

the Spring Collection are now available in the porch, at St Thomas of Canterbury, for Red Mission Box holders, who do not have a designated collector. Please take an envelope home, place your Red Box collection or a kind donation inside, **label the envelope clearly,**

seal securely and place in the Offertory Basket at Mass, or leave in the sacristy, by the middle of April if possible. Your support of the missions at this difficult time for so many, is greatly appreciated.

Please take a copy of **Mission Today free magazine.** Any queries please contact Mairead Pindar, St Joseph's [Tel:491887](tel:491887) or Bernadette Robinson, St Thomas of Canterbury [Tel:492805](tel:492805)

St Joseph is the patron of the Mill Hill Missionaries. St Joseph's feast day, March 19th will fall on a Sunday this year, so the feast day has been moved to Monday March 20th.

Lord Jesus, I desire to share in your mission to the poor and marginalised.

May Saint Joseph's example of gentle love and service inspire and guide me to protect the weak and vulnerable, to find meaning and value in my work and joy in my service of others; always humble and open to do your will.

Strengthen my faith and trust in you, Lord God; help me to face life's difficulties; keep me serene and trusting at the hour of my death. Amen

Arrangements For Mass during the closure of St Joseph's

What will happen to the usual Masses?

During the closure, Masses will be celebrated at the usual times - Sunday 9.30, Wed and Fri 10am but will take place at St Thomas', where everyone will be made especially welcome.

All funerals will also take place at St Thomas'.

How will I get there?

We will be providing transport on a Sunday from St Joseph's to St Thomas' return for anyone who would like a lift to Mass. Pickup will be from outside St Joseph's at 9am. Please fill in the form at the back of church with your name, number and the Sundays you would like picking up, or contact the office well in advance so we can ensure we have sufficient spaces.

Unfortunately, we are not able to organise separate transport for weekday Masses.

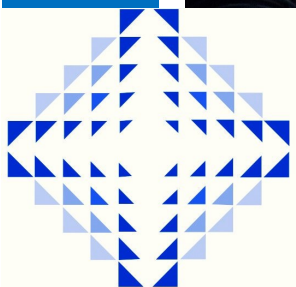
Could I help?

We are also seeking volunteer drivers to assist with transporting parishioners. If you can assist please complete the form at the back of Church with your name, contact details, the Sundays you are available and the number of spaces you would have in your car.

Good Friday

We will be arranging additional contact for the celebration of the Lord's passion on Good Friday, pickup 2.30pm.

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St Patrick's Night Celebrations

with good food, good company, and good music .



SCAN TO REGISTER



MOHADDIS-E-AZAM MISSION PRESENTS

5TH ANNUAL

CROMPTON COMMUNITY INTERFAITH GET TOGETHER WITH THE FLAVOURS OF RAMADAN

**SAT
1ST** APRIL 2023

6:15PM ONWARDS

COME AND JOIN US FOR
AN EVENING OF UNITY
AND DISCUSSION
FILLED WITH HOPE

REGISTRATION
REQUIRED

TOPIC:
FREEDOM FROM WANT;
A BASIC
HUMAN RIGHT

AT M. A. MISSION BOLTON (OPP. LLOYDS BANK),
HALLIWELL ROAD, BOLTON, BL1 8DE

ITINERARY:

- 6:15PM WELCOME, REGISTRATION AND TOUR OF THE BUILDING
- 6:30PM TALKS DELIVERED BY A RANGE OF SPEAKERS INCLUDING REVD CANON, DR CHRIS BRACEGIRDLE (VICAR AND BOROUGH DEAN OF BOLTON) AND CRESCENT FOODBANK (CFB)
- 7:40PM COMMUNAL BREAKING OF THE FAST AND OPPORTUNITY TO OBSERVE THE SUNSET PRAYER
- 8:10PM EVENING MEAL SERVED FOR ALL

REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE BY SCANNING
THE QR CODE; OR CALLING 07428 968419.
MENTION ANY DIETARY REQUIREMENTS.
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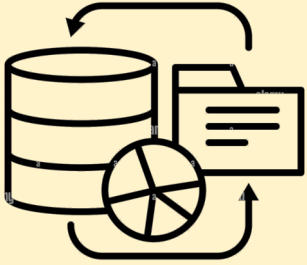
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DATABASE / PARISH REGISTER / EMAILS

We are in the process of updating our database/Parish register. We are aware that the current details we hold are incomplete. So that we may rectify this we ask that all parishioners (whether you have received emails from the Parish Office in the past or not) to email the Parish Office (office@stcuthberts.org.uk) with the following information:

full name
address
contact number/mobile number

An additional item is the delivery of the Parish Newsletter Supplement. In line with Bishop's John environmental lead in the "Call for Creation" document issued in 2022 and the call for action we are strongly recommending that the Supplement be distributed by email to as many parishioners as possible. So that we as a Parish can play our part, please help by confirming you are happy to receive the Supplement this way by including the following in your reply:

"email Newsletter Supplement – Yes".

A paper copy of The Sunday Message/Mass Readings will still be handed out at our Masses.

This information will only be used to send you emails about our Parish Services, Events and other Parish information. We will not share your email address with any third party. For information about how we protect your data please see our privacy policy which can be located here: (stcuthberts.org/privacy)

WORD ON FIRE INSTITUTE - (BISHOP ROBERT BARRON)

We are thrilled to announce that our Parish now has access to premium video content from Word on Fire. These films and videos feature Bishop Robert Barron and Word on Fire's team of dynamic presenters.



Bishop Barron has been hailed as "one of the Church's greatest messengers" and is the second most-followed Catholic in the world on social media (behind only Pope Francis.) He is best known for his CATHOLICISM film series and his Emmy-nominated Pivotal Players series.

To give you **access** to this great material for free we will need permission to use your email. If you do give us permission, by providing your email address as mentioned above, we will principally send you Word on Fire content. This content will consist of short Word on Fire videos or video series. We will also send you information about parish events and new initiatives. We will not share your email address with any other third party. For information about how we protect your data please see our privacy policy which can be located here: (stcuthberts.org/privacy)

ST JOSEPH'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

are looking for a **Foundation Governor**.

No specific qualifications are required just a willingness to learn and a strong commitment to our school, children and staff.

Being a school governor is a rewarding experience.

So if you would like to join our governing body or would like any further information please ring 333055 to speak to the **Business Manager - Jeanette Daniels**.



THE KING IS CRUCIFIED



We have been working with our young people and those in our partner primaries recently about spreading the Gospel and sharing the Easter story in a contemporary way. As a result on Wednesday 29th March at 6pm,

St Joseph's RC High School and its partner primaries present

'The King is Crucified'. The purpose is to get people talking about and reflect on the full significance of Jesus' death and resurrection in a modern context as we prepare for Holy Week and then signpost people to local churches for the Easter Triduum.

29th March 2023

6pm

St Joseph's RC High School



HYMN BOARD

Entrance: Led by the Spirit 180

Lord have mercy: St Bernadette's

Gospel Acclamation: 186

Offertory: All that I am 600

Holy Holy : St Bernadette's

Memorial Acclamation:

We proclaim

Communion:

Neither death nor life 398

Dismissal:

The Spirit lives to set us free 771





ADORATION

Prayer before The Blessed Sacrament
at St. Thomas of Canterbury Church whilst during the
St. Joseph Church closure; at the following times:

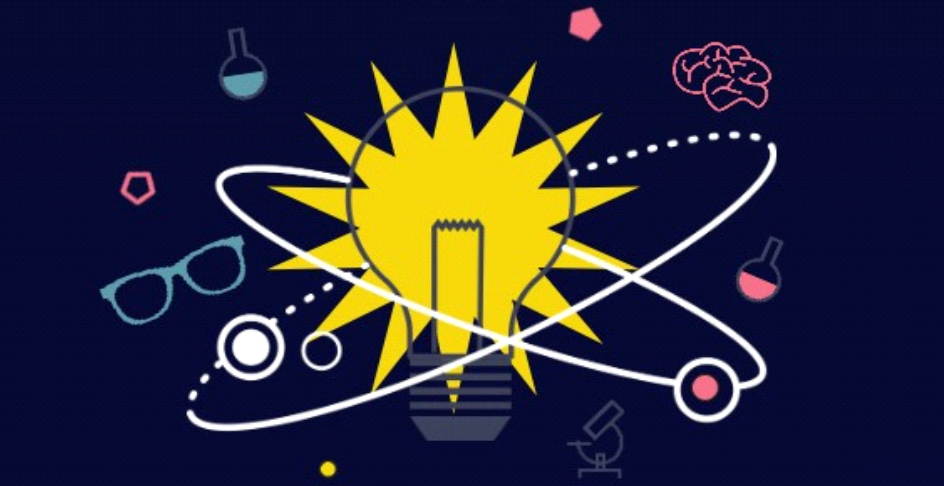


Tuesday	St. Thomas of Canterbury	8.45 – 9.45 am.		
Wednesday	St. Thomas of Canterbury	8.45 – 9.45 a.m.		
Thursday	St. Thomas of Canterbury	8.45 – 9.45 am.	St. Thomas of Canterbury	3.00 – 4.00 p.m.
Friday	St. Thomas of Canterbury	8.45 – 9.45 a.m.		
Saturday	St. Thomas of Canterbury			3.30 – 4.30 p.m.
Sunday	St. Thomas of Canterbury	8.15 – 9.15 a.m		

If The Stations of the Cross are being prayed the times may vary slightly

At St Thomas of Canterbury this will take place in The Lady Chapel
In addition, Adoration continues to be available in The Lady Chapel at the usual times access with key fob
(if there is a Service taking place then the Tabernacle will be closed)

THE PARISH YOUTH LEADERSHIP
PRESENTS



QUIZ NIGHT

WEDNESDAY 5TH APRIL

BRING ALONG FRIENDS AND FAMILY

AT ST. THOMAS OF CANTERBURY IN THE BECKETT SUITE

STARTS AT 6.30PM - 8.30PM

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE EMAIL:

LIZMOXHAM@HOTMAIL.CO.UK JENWORTH@GMAIL.COM

27 March
Parish Music Rehearsal

28 March
SVP Social

29 March
The King is Crucified

30 March
Reconciliation services

1 April
Interfaith Gathering

4 April
Bible study

5 April
Youth Quiz Night

7 April
Good Friday Baroque Concert

16 April
Feast of Divine Mercy

18 April
Meeting Pilgrimage, York

28 April
Concert St Peter's

For details please see the individual notices

**Dates For Your
Diary**