

St Joseph's Church

Burntwood

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Week Commencing Sunday 23rd March 2014,

Third Sunday of Lent (Psalter Week 3, Ordinary Time Sunday readings Year A, Weekdays year II)

Saturday (For Sunday)

1700 (Sat for Sun) Private Intention

Sunday

1000 The Coyle Family

Monday Lent feria

No Mass

Tuesday Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord

0915 Jean Winsper (*in school*)

Wednesday Lent feria

0915 Rev Roy Bagley

1845 Evening prayer

1900 William & Agnes Geraghty
Eucharistic Adoration until 2030

Thursday Lent feria

0915 Mary Horton

Friday Lent feria

1200 Lottie Hughes & Marion Jeffers

1230 CAFOD Soup lunch

1900 Stations of the Cross

Saturday Lent feria

1600 - 1645 Confessions

(Also available by appointment, please
see Fr Paul)

Fourth Sunday of Lent

1700 (Sat for Sun) Josephine Kimberley

1000 Oisin Sweeney



Our Sick and Housebound Parishioners Gillian Atkinson, Chris Austin, Christopher Barton, Nikki Carr, Pauline & Ken Chaplain, Auriel Dalley, Blanaid Drain, Janet Evans, Stuart Frost, Jill Gutteridge, Mary Hughes, Sally Ireson, Clare Kettle, Lorraine Macbeth, John Magulski, Phoebe Gartshore, Lily McGrath, Michael McGowan, Anita McLean, Paul Robert Moffat, Daniel Moody, Ricardo Morcillo, Bob Preston, Bernadette Samongie, Tony Scott, Margaret Taylor, Margaret Trickett, Cath Twyman, Matthew Waterfield, Josie Wilson, Maureen Withy, Letitia Worth, Maureen Dewsberry, Phoebe Gardner, Mary Stone, John Mountford, Ann Darcy,

Helen Harvey, David Newis, Beulah Russell, Mike Edwards, Derrick Brown.

Our most recently deceased: Kathleen Phillips, Brian Carter, Winifred Phillips, Sandra Victoria Parry, Maureen Parker, Margaret Smith, Michael Stanley, Janet Bate, George Sniezko-Blocki, John Joseph Brown, Dorothy Irene Hurley, Julian Wotton, Joshua Harley, Julian Lee Cotton and Mary Emma Horton, Elsie Norman, Jean Winsper, Patricia Ann Heap.

Those whose Anniversary falls within the week: John Fitzpatrick, Ellen Edwards, Charles Quinn, Howard William Hurley, Diane Margaret Flynn, St John Charles Sutherland Bettsworth, Derek Terence Elmer, Susan Jeffers, Francis Neenan, Stanley Brozowski.

Offerings: For last weekend; Gift Aid £217.17 Loose: £185.68 Last weekend's second collection for CAFOD Lent Fast raised £625.81 Thank you so much for your generosity.

Rosary Group: Meets Monday at 38 Highfield Road, Chasetown, 7.30.

Friday Prayer Group: Continues on Friday 11th April 7.30 pm directly following the Stations of the Cross.

Romero Mass: Takes place at St Chad's Cathedral on Wednesday 26th March at 2pm. See the notice at the back of church for details.

St Joseph's Summer Fate: Interested in a Summer Fate? Helpers needed to bring a touch of St Joseph's to the community. Contact Jacqueline Perry on 01543 684582 if you can help with the organisation.

Series of talks for Inspiration and Guidance: There will be a series of talks on Friday evenings as below. You are of course most welcome to Holy Hour followed by refreshments and discussion on the other Fridays during Term time. Each Friday begins at 7.00pm at Hilton House: WS14 0HA (Phone 01543 480428) **28th March:** 'The Third Day, God's Good Time' - Fr. John Udris **11th April:** 'Root of Searching' Fr. Paul Haines **9th May:** 'Prayer in Easter Time' - Fr. David Oakley **23rd May:** 'Truth, Humility and Simplicity in Therese' - Fr. John Udris **13th June:** 'Conversion is on-going' - Fr. David Keniry Final date to be announced shortly

Diner's Club: Next meeting is on Tuesday 1st April at 'The Nelson' Burntwood at 7pm. Please take a pre-order menu and return it no later than Wed 26th March.

Would you like a Senior Citizens Luncheon Club here once a month from May following Mass: Freshly cooked two course meal, light entertainment and a chance to have a good natter. Dear senior citizens would you like this? (£4 per person excellent value). Transport can be arranged. If so please let Fr Paul or Carol (01543 529169) know and if interest is good, we will put the wheels in motion. Lunch will follow after Mass at 12 noon.

House Blessings: If you would like your home blessed, please let Fr Paul know and a convenient time will be arranged for you.

CAFOD are offering a gap year opportunity for young people aged 18-30 to work in one of their areas of operations. All expenses paid! If you're interested please contact the office on 01922 722944 Applications by 31st March please.

Sincere thanks from the family of the late Jean Winsper: The family of Jean would like to thank all the parishioners who attended the funeral mass for Jean and for the love, care and friendship shown to her over many years. Thank you all so very much. *Love from Gill and the family of Jean.*

Parish Details: Office: Julie Train & Cath Nugent, opening hours Wednesday 1000 until 1500. Gift aid Organiser: Angela Thompson. Child Protection: Breda Helm. Parish Magazine: Nichola Hurley & June McDearmid. For Baptisms and Weddings: contact Fr Paul in the first instance. Baptism Preparation: Jacqueline Perry. **Parish Groups:** CAFOD: group meets monthly - see Mary Kane. Guild of St Stephen (Altar Servers): meet first Saturday of the month at 0900. Toddlers Group: Wednesday 1300 - 1500 contact Liz Wootton on 897413. Nursery: contact Ann King on 671356. Diner's Club: meets monthly see Douglas Thompson. Men's Breakfast: 1st Saturday of the month 0830. Hall Management including Bookings: Peter Van-Hagen: Telephone

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