

Second Sunday of Lent 25th February 2018

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This is my Son, the Beloved.

Mark 9:2-10



MASS TIMES and INTENTIONS 25th February – 4th March 2018

Date	Feast	Time	Intention
Sun 25th Feb	Second Sunday of Lent	10.30am	Pat & Alan Archer Golden Wedding
		5.30pm	Lucy Stephenson
Mon 26 th Feb		10.00am	Eucharistic Service
Tue 27 th Feb		10.00am	Betty Bailey (T&RE)
Wed 28 th Feb		10.00am	NBF
Thur 1 st Mar	St. David, Bishop, Patron of Wales	10.00am	Intentions of Priest
Fri 2 nd Mar		6.00pm	Exposition followed by Benediction
Sat 3 rd Mar		10.00am	Paul Murray RIP
Sun 4th Mar	Third Sunday of Lent	10.30am	Mary & Joe Clark (EC)
		5.30pm	People of the Parish

Confession after Saturday morning Mass (10.45am)

Children's Liturgy during Morning Mass on Sunday

Chapel Times of Adoration: Monday 9.00am-3.00pm; Tuesday 8.00am-3.00pm

Welcomers

25th Feb; Rose-Elaine; Ann
4th Mar; Rose-Elaine; Elsie

Mass Readers

25th Feb

10.30am Nicola Cant

4th Mar

10.30am Goff Ellis

Church Cleaners

Two weeks from 18th Feb-3rd Mar
Group {E}
Karen Clark; Elaine Clark

Sanctuary Candle: 25th Feb-3rd Mar

Church: Margaret & Chris Wright
ILM Arthur Southwick

Chapel: Joan Stephenson

ILM Aunty Peggy

Sanctuary Candle: 4th – 10th Mar

Church: Joan Falcus
Private Intention

Chapel: Karen Clark

Lawrence Morris 80th Birthday

Communion Ministers

25th Feb

10.30am Margaret Bayne; Anthony Blake;
Andy Hayes

5.30am Margaret Davidson

4th Mar

10.30am Nicola Cant; Joan Limer;
Margaret Wright

5.30pm John Kelly

100+Club 18th Feb Winning No 79
(Christine Hodgkinson)

Offerory Coll. 18th Feb £324.30

Standing orders average £115 per week

1st Reading from the Book of Exodus 20:1-17

2nd Reading from the Letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians 1:22-25

The Holy Gospel according to John 2:13-25

SICK CLERGY: Please pray for Fr. James Doherty, Fr. Gary Dickson and Fr. Pat McKenna who are ill and Fr. Ian Hoskins, who is recovering from a heart attack and for all our clergy who are indisposed or incapacitated.

PAUL MURRAY RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Paul Murray who passed away last Tuesday at the age of only 52. May he rest in peace.

THOSE INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CHURCH: Today is a special day of prayer for those interested in the Church and hoping to join it. We have three people currently interested. Please remember them and their families in your prayers. Anyone else would like to learn more, please join us on Wednesdays, 6.30pm in the presbytery.

GOLDEN WEDDING CELEBRATION: Many congratulations to Pat and Alan Archer who celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary today. Pat and Alan would like to invite everyone to join them after Mass this morning in the Church Hall to help celebrate their special anniversary, with a glass of wine and slice of cake. Once again, congratulations to a very special couple.

LADIES' GUILD: 26th Feb: Quiz Night; 5th March: Supper Night; 12th March: Scattergories; 19th March: Bring and Buy something in green.

FAMILY FAST DAY: Following Family Fast Day on Friday last, we would be most grateful if you could return your envelope with your donation for CAFOD. Thank you for your generosity and support.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER: The service will take place at Wesley Memorial Church, Durham Road, Low Fell on Friday, 2nd March at 2.00pm. All are invited: men, women and children. Thank you for your support.

THIRD WORLD LUNCH: Fr. Brendan is looking for volunteers to help with a Third World Lunch in aid of CAFOD. This will be held on Friday, 16th March at 12 noon. Anyone willing to make soup, prepare hall, serve on the day, etc. please see Fr. Brendan. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated.

ST. ANNE'S SCHOOL: The PTA are holding a 'Mother's Day Afternoon Tea' event on Friday, 9th March. Tickets are £4 per person and will be on sale after morning Mass next Sunday. We hope that you will give our school your support for this event.

RAFFLE TICKETS: Raffle tickets are on sale today in aid of Research into Childhood Leukaemia and is in memory of Luke Simmons. The draw will take place next Sunday 4th March. Thank you for your support and generosity, Elsie and Karen.

NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH: This will take place from 10-18 March at St. Joseph's Church in Maidenhead and at Herbert House, Freshfield, Liverpool. Each year the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the feast of St. Joseph, their patron with a special Novena of Masses and prayers to ask for God's blessing on their Society and the missionary outreach of the Church, as well as for the intentions of those support their work. You are invited to send in your petitions and/or request a Novena booklet to enable you to join in from home by praying the daily Novena prayer. Please write to Fr. Liam Cummins MHM, St. Joseph's Missionary Society, 58 Cookham Road, Maidenhead SL6 7HT or e-mail novenamhm@gmA

GATESHEAD FOOD BANK: Collections for the Gateshead food Bank have been arranged for the next two Sundays, 4th and 11th March. Thank you for your generosity and support for this most worthy cause.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS: Please note we will have Stations of the Cross during Lent. The first will be held on Saturday 24th February at 10.30am. Also, we will have Lenten prayers on Tuesday in Church, starting on Tuesday 20th, 6.30-7.30pm and will include a reading, praying, sharing and the Rosary.

One of the questions in an RE exam at a Church School was: 'What does a Bishop do?' One child wrote: 'Moves diagonally across the board'

<p>HALL BOOKINGS can be made by telephoning Margaret 0191 487 8504, 487 5241, 482 2044 CHOIR PRACTICE is at 7.00pm every Monday and new members are always made most welcome. THE LADIES GUILD meet every Monday 8.00pm. New members are most welcome. S.V.P. meet every Sunday morning before Mass (9.45am). New members are always made most welcome THE LEGION OF MARY meet every Tuesday afternoon at 10.45am in St. Oswald's. SARDINES AND RICE COLLECTIONS on the first Sunday of each month, Thank you for your generosity. HALL ACTIVITIES Mon 1.45pm 'Keep Fit'</p>
