



# HEART TO HEART

Newsletter of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish  
Part of the Diocese of Northampton, Province of Westminster & Deanery of St Alban

## 7th Sunday of the Year (A) - Psalter Week 3 - 23rd February 2020

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Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	6.30pm	Monica McIntyre RIP	<b>First Mass of Sunday</b> <b>St Peter's Chair</b>
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	9.00am 11.00am 12.30pm 6.00pm	Hetty & Jack Hargrave RIP Bernie McGroder (Intentions) Paddy Hynes RIP <b>Baptism:</b> Arya Maria Abella <b>RECEPTION: Kathleen McCann RIP</b>	<b>Day of Prayer for the Unemployed</b>
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 11.00am	People of our Parish <b>REQUIEM: Kathleen McCann RIP</b>	
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Patrick Canny RIP	
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 7.30pm	<b>ASH WEDNESDAY</b> <b>DAY OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE</b> Ann Davern RIP People of our Parish	<b>School Mass</b>
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	James & Gertrude Carberry RIP	
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am 7.00pm	Thomas (Tom) Brady RIP <b>Stations of the Cross</b>	
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	People of our Parish	

<i>Entrance Antiphon</i>	<b>O Lord, I trust in your merciful love. My heart will rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord who has been bountiful with me.</b>
<i>Psalm Response</i>	<b>The Lord is compassion and love.</b>
<i>Gospel Acclamation</i>	<b>Alleluia, alleluia! If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him. Alleluia!</b>
<i>Communion Antiphon</i>	<b>I will recount all your wonders, I will rejoice in you and be glad, and sing psalms to your name, O Most High.</b>
<b>Confessions:</b> Saturday, 10.00 – 10.25am (with exposition) & 6.00 – 6.15pm	
<b>Rosary:</b> is prayed twenty minutes before weekday Masses/services	

<b>Sunday Music</b>	<b>9.00am</b>		<b>11.00am</b>	
<i>Entrance</i>	<b>567</b>	Oh Lord all the world	<b>567</b>	Oh Lord all the world
<i>Gospel Acclamation</i>	<b>410</b>	Celtic Alleluia		Alleluia No. 5
<i>Prep. of gifts</i>	<b>285</b>	I, the Lord of sea and sky	<b>495</b>	My God, accept
<i>Communion</i>	<b>179</b>	For the healing	<b>82</b>	Bless the Lord, O my soul
			<b>730</b>	This is my body
<i>Recessional</i>	<b>358</b>	Let there be love	<b>602</b>	Praise my soul

Sunday	Sat.6.30pm/Sun 11.00am 12 noon	COG Parish Gathering for coffee/tea	Church/Hall Hall
Monday	8.00pm	Legion of Mary	Sacristy
Tuesday	10.00am	Church Cleaning (All welcome)	Church
Thursday	2.00pm	Thursday Club	Hall
Friday	10.15am	Prayer Group	Sacristy
Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup>	3.30pm-4.45pm	Session 7 - First Holy Communion	Hall

**RIP:** Please remember in your prayers Kathleen McCann RIP who died recently and whose funeral is this week.

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February is a Day of Fast and Abstinence. Please note there will be two Masses, 9.30am and 7.30pm on Ash Wednesday.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Every Friday at 7.00pm during Lent.**

**DIOCESAN FESTIVAL DAY:** To celebrate the Year of the Word a festival day entitled WORDFEST2020 will take place on Saturday 6th June 2020 at Thornton College, Buckinghamshire. It is being organised by Avril Baigent and Alex Heath on behalf of the whole Diocese. Full details and booking of tickets via: [www.northamptondiocese.org](http://www.northamptondiocese.org)

**WELCOME:** Arya Maria Abella who is to be baptised into the life of our community this weekend.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER:** Service at St Mary's Church at 11.00am on Friday 6th March. All welcome! Please see Noticeboard for further information.

**MEDJUGORJE 2020:** Trip to Medjugorje 28th May-4th June 2020. Cost per adult: £569. For further information and booking details please contact Mary Gillespie on Luton 01582 579120

**PRINCIPAL:** The Directors of the Dominic Barberi Multi Academy Company are looking to appoint a new Principal for St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Thame, from September 2020. Please see Noticeboard for further information.

**SPUC YOUTH CONFERENCE 2020:** Friday February 28th–Sunday 1st March. The cost of the weekend is £135. More information can be found at: <https://www.spuc.org.uk/national-conference/event/3-2020-youth-conference>.

**MASS FOR THOSE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS (CHCF):** At Our Lady's, Castle Street, Luton on Sunday 1st March at 3.00pm. New families always welcome. Contact Sean Ballantyne on 07930 305362 for further information.

**PASTORAL AREA REFLECTION DAY: Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2020, 10:00am–1:00pm at Our Lady's, Castle Street.**

We warmly invite all those who attended the first day and those who were unable to make it, to come and share all the new things that are happening in their parish. It is important that as many people as possible attend so that the pastoral area can move forward in the future enabling the laity to take on more responsibility within parishes. (Please see Noticeboard.)

**ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL:** Entertainment, Market Hill Stage, Luton on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Please see Noticeboard.

**REMINDER:** Please note Safeguarding Forms to be returned as soon as possible to the Parish Office.

**REDEDICATION OF ENGLAND AS THE DOWRY OF MARY: "A moment of great promise...for the church in this country and for our mission."**

Week 2 (Day 8) of the 33 Days to Morning Glory Booklet will start on Friday 28th February and will focus on the example and words of St Maximilian Kolbe. See [www.Behold2020.com](http://www.Behold2020.com) for further details.

**LUTON IRISH FORUM:** Baby & Toddler Group runs every Friday 9.30am-11.30am (term time). Under 5s and their parents/carers enjoy different activities each week. New children welcome - come along, meet others and have fun.

**80'S NIGHT:** In Aid of Keech Hospice Care with DJ, Food & Raffle on Friday, 28th February from 7.00pm-12pm at St. John's Sundon Park. Tickets £10 contact Mary Maybury 07866989254

**EASTER PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE:** 8th April 2020. £699.00 per person. Single supp £100.00. Flight with 10kg bag, 5 nights Knock House Hotel with breakfast and dinner. All excursions included. Lunches on days out. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com). Knock Pilgrimages ATOL T7613.

**VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR YOUNG WOMEN:** Theme: Discernment and Vocation - 28th February-1st March 2020, Liverpool. The weekend is organised by the sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ). **There is nothing quite like religious life – it's an extraordinary adventure into a deep relationship with God.** If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more why not come along? **For more information contact Sr Lynne fcJ at [lynnefcj@hotmail.com](mailto:lynnefcj@hotmail.com) or visit the website [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org)**

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: *John Hand 1994, Monica McIntyre 2018, Michael Foley 2007, Margaret Riley 1964, Sidney Jay 1981, Maureen Ann Smith 2014, Michael Early 1968, Mary Hancock 1994, Lawrence Foley 1997, James Byrne 1997, Laszlo Szaher 1984, Mary Moughan 2003, Alice Jones 2005, Anna Davern 2014, Eugene Aloysius O'Hara 2018, Walter Ryan 1974, Frank Colley 1981, Thomas Farrell 1993, Bridget Nee 1996, Ivy Stockley 1998, Andrew Culbertson 2007, Margery Curtin 2007, Eunice Lloyd-Bernard Johnette 2013, Margaret Knight 1992, Mary Jane Crow 1958, Elizabeth McLaughlin 1964, Angela Saggia 1982, Catherine Perry 2012* ✠ **May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**

### COG

Jesus, we love you Lord  
Jesus, we love you.....  
You are our teacher and friend.

Help us to know you Lord,  
serve you and love you Lord,  
Now and forever Amen!