



# Heart to Heart

Newsletter of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, Luton – Registered Charity Number 234091  
Province of Westminster, Diocese of Northampton, Deanery of St Alban

## SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**Psalter Week 3 - Year C - Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

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**COVID-19 GUIDANCE:** Face covering, hand sanitising and social distancing are optional to enable worshippers to feel safe. Anyone displaying Covid-19 type symptoms should not attend Mass

**PARISH OFFICE:** The Parish Office is open Monday and Wednesday this week from 10.00am until 12 Noon. When leaving a voicemail message please state the date and leave a contact number.

**WEEKDAY MASSES:** Morning Masses throughout the week are at 9.30am on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Please check the weekly Newsletter for the Mass Intentions.

**SECOND COLLECTION:** This weekend (28<sup>th</sup> /29<sup>th</sup> May) there will be a second collection at all Masses for Catholic Use of the Media.

Saturday 28 <sup>th</sup> May	11.00am	Confession	
	6.30pm	Michael Gear RIP	
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	9.00am	Roland & Dayle DeSouza (Thanksgiving)	<b>SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>
	11.00am	Alexandra Pavel RIP (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.)	
<b>GROUP 4</b>	<b>2.00pm</b>	<b>FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS</b>	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	NO MASS		<b>BI Richard Newport</b>
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> May	9.30am	Bradley Family (Intention)	<b>THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</b>
	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>REQUIEM: MARIA BARBATO RIP</b>	
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	9.30am	Kathleen & Patrick Costello RIP	<b>St Justin</b>
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June (Spring Bank Holiday)	9.30am		<b>SS Marcellinus &amp; Peter</b>
Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June (Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday)	9.30am	Anne Fitzpatrick RIP	<b>SS Charles Lwanga &amp; Companions</b>
Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> June FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH DEVOTION	11.00am 11.30am 12 Noon 6.30pm	Confessions & Adoration Rosary followed by Mass Jean Purcell RIP Eddie Gallagher RIP (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.)	
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	9.00am 11.00am	Rosina & Edward Bernes RIP Elizabeth Murray RIP	<b>PENTECOST</b>

## So, Eastertide ends.

**ALEXANDRA PAVEL RIP:** Please keep Alexandra Pavel RIP in your thoughts and prayers and remember Alexandra's family as they gather in her memory to honour the 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary of her death.

Entrance Antiphon	<b>O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you; of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face; hide not your face from me, alleluia.</b>
Psalm Response	<b>The Lord is king, most high above all the earth.</b>
Gospel Acclamation	<b>Alleluia, alleluia! I will not leave you orphans, says the Lord; I will come back to you, and your hearts will be full of joy. Alleluia!</b>
Communion Antiphon	<b>Father, I pray that they may be one as we also are one, alleluia.</b>

**WELCOME:** Sacred Heart Parish extends a warm welcome to Fr Dominic McKenna who will be concelebrating at the First Holy Communion Mass on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May. Thank you, Fr Dominic.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNICANTS:** Please remember to pray for all the young children within our Parish who have been working so hard over the last year preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion. Congratulations to all the Children in Group 4 who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Holy Communion this weekend on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May.

**MASS OF THANKSGIVING:** We look forward to all the First Holy Communicants (all four groups) attending a Mass of Thanksgiving on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June at 11.00am, dressed in their First Holy Communion outfits and then attending a celebration lunch in the Parish Hall after the 11.00am Mass.

**FR BERNARD HUGHES:** We ask your prayers for the repose of the soul of Fr Bernard Hughes who died earlier this week. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord ....

**RIP:** Please remember all those who have died recently especially Fr Bernard Hughes, Pierre Boumansour, Maria Barbato, Tess Davitt and Helen Gregg. Please keep Fr Bernard RIP, Pierre RIP, Maria RIP, Tess RIP, Helen RIP; their families and friends in your thoughts and prayers at this very sad and difficult time.

**FUNERAL DETAILS:**

**Maria Barbato RIP, Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2022, Requiem Mass 11.00am Sacred Heart Church.**

**Teresa Mary Davitt 'Tess' RIP, Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2022 Requiem Mass 11.00am Sacred Heart Church.**

**Helen Gregg RIP, Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2022, 11.00am at The Vale.**

**SACRED HEART PRIMARY SCHOOL:** Year 6 boys team represented Luton Town FC in the South EFL Kids Cup at Reading FC and beat Millwall in the final to secure a place in the grand final. The grand final is played against the winners of the North competition at Wembley at half time of the Championship play off final this weekend. Good luck boys! We all at Sacred Heart Parish wish you every success at the Final.

**FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH DEVOTION:** In Reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary. On the first Saturday of each month there will be Adoration and Confessions starting at 11am, Rosary at 11:30am and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 12Noon. Please attend and encourage relatives and friends to attend. The next Saturday devotion will take place on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2022 at Sacred Heart Church. Website for further information <https://worldfatima-englandwales.org.uk/the-five-first-saturdays-devotion-explained/>

**SPECIAL INTENTIONS:** During the Easter Season we are asked to pray for **The Church** especially on the 5<sup>th</sup> June.

**CATHOLIC DISABILITY FELLOWSHIP MASS:** There will be a Catholic Disability Fellowship Mass on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June, 3.00pm at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Castle St, Luton LU1 3AG for people with disabilities (young or old), their families and friends. Refreshments afterwards. Any questions, please contact Sean Ballantyne on 07930305362.

**READERS' MEETING:** All readers are invited to attend a Meeting in the Church with Deacon Jim on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June at 7.00pm. Please confirm your availability to attend to Deacon Jim.

**ALTAR SERVERS:** The Parish is now recruiting for Altar Servers (girls and boys). Anyone who is interested in becoming an Altar Server, possible first holy communicants, please contact Deacon Jim after any Mass to express your interest. Any parents of children who express an interest in serving; then please actively encourage their participation.

**BLESSING OF THE GRAVES 2022:**

**June 19** 3pm – Blessing of the Graves – Church Cemetery, Crawley Green Rd  
Deacon Jim Bannan

**June 26** 3pm – Blessing of the Graves – Luton General Cemetery, Rothesay Rd  
Deacon Jim Hannigan

**July 03** 3pm – Blessing of the Graves – The Vale  
Monsignor Kevin. Preacher: Fr Andy. Music etc: Lena & Andy Cole.

**RCIA LEADERS AND CATECHISTS:** A Zoom course is being offered by Mission Northampton & the Diocesan Liturgy Commission on the RCIA process over 4 Monday evenings, to support parishes who wish to further develop or restart their RCIA /Journey in Faith teams.

Session 1- Monday 13th June (7.15pm-8.30pm)

Session 2- Monday 20th June 2022 (7.15pm-8.30pm)

Session 3- Monday 27th June 2022 (7.15pm-8.30pm)

Session 4- Monday 4th July (7.15pm-8.30pm):

The course is free but there will be an opportunity to make a donation.

To register your interest please visit: <https://northamptondiocese.org/courses/rciateamtraining/>

**ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND, 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2022:** £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight from Luton or Stansted with 10kg hand luggage, all transfers, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £100.00. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com). Knock Pilgrimages is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

**PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM FOR THE SANCTITY OF LIFE:** Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> August 2022. Led by Bishop Philip Egan and Fr David Donoghue. Coaches leave St Mary's Dunstable at 7.30am, St Joseph's Luton at 7.50am (No parking – Vigil Mass that evening), Our Lady's Luton at 8.10am. Adults £23.00, children, teenagers and students £8.00. Seats reserved only with payment. Bring a packed lunch and drinks. For more information go to [www.prolifepilgrimage.org](http://www.prolifepilgrimage.org) and to book [kevin.drew@btinternet.com](mailto:kevin.drew@btinternet.com) or 07802 525581.

**FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> TO FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2022 – DIOCESE OF NORTHAMPTON PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:**

The diocesan director of the Lourdes pilgrimage is Deacon Michael Fleming. To register your interest in this pilgrimage or to get more information please contact Deacon Michael

[deaconmichaelfleming@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:deaconmichaelfleming@northamptondiocese.org) Any **young people** wishing to travel to Lourdes as part of the Diocesan pilgrimage should contact our diocesan Youth Ministry Office, **NYMO** either by phone on 01582 720627 or email [fiona@nymo.org](mailto:fiona@nymo.org)

**FOODBANK:** Thank you for your continued support but please only donate non-perishable food items. A list of required non-perishable food items can be viewed on the Noticeboard.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Please pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:

Gilbert Dalgarno 1967; Zofia Vorobjevs 1984; Joseph McCole 1989; Catherine Cavallo 1967;

John Sach 1977; Mary Kingston 1977; Angela Weeden 1980; Norah Richardson 1990;

Winfred McCaskie 1993; Jozsef Bozser 1993; Soccorro Roque Fernandes 2021; Elizabeth Ridley 2007;

John Lally 2010; Mary Trafford 2014; Caran Forde 1993; James Cronin 2007; Mary Hall 1963;

Hilda West 1968; Patricia McEwan 1982; Mary Braun 1984; Robert Walker 1985; Michele Russo 1995;

Charles McCann 1998; Martha Docherty 1983; Gary Dolan 2001; Stephen Donnachie 2003;

Georgina Docherty 2012; Patrick Anthony (Tony) McGarry 2015; James Duffy 1975;

Baby Andrew Foxen 1993; Ellen Smith 1996; Terry Tasker 2008 ✕ **May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.**