

Blessed John Henry Newman Parish



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Offerings for the 3rd & 4th February
St Wulstan's: £359.01 OLG: £415.54 Standing Orders £440.00 Total £1214.55
 CAFOD: Envelopes/Boxes: £15.00 Coffee: 11.00

MASS INTENTIONS
10th & 11th February – Sixth Sunday of the Year

	SAINT	ST WULSTAN'S	OUR LADY OF GRACE
Saturday 10/02	6th Sunday of the Year		5.00pm Mass People of the Parish
Sunday 11/02	6th Sunday of the Year	9.00 Mass World Day of Prayer for the Sick, their Carers & the Unemployed	11.00am Mass Ryan Ninan, 4 th RIP Anniv
Monday 12/02	6th Week of the Year		9.30 Mass
Tuesday 13/02	6th Week of the Year	9.30 Mass	
Weds. 14/02	Ash Wednesday	9.30 Mass & distribution of Ashes	7.30pm Mass & distribution of Ashes
Thursday 15/02	6th Week of the Year	9.30am Mass	
Friday 16/02	6th Week of the Year	11.00am Mass Dominic Melbourne RIP birthday	9.30am Mass
Saturday 17/02	6th Week of the Year	9.00am Adoration, 10.00am Mass 10.30am Confession	

17th & 18th February – First Sunday of Lent

Sat. Eve. 17/02	First Sunday of Lent		5.00pm Mass
Sunday 18/02	First Sunday of Lent	9.00am Mass Raphael Nkwoche RIP Anniv.	11.00am Mass John Dalton RIP

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Dorothy Szponar, Josie Fulford, Gladys Jarocka, Ann Lacey, Neringa Pleskaciuke, Barry & Kathleen Wright, Olivia Hornby, Mary McKeown, Christopher Browne, Robin Jackson, Frank McNamara, Frank & Sharon Bergman, Chris Chattaway, , Caroline Ryan, Michael Cooper, Tim Williams, June Walker, Jack Stotter, Peter Smith, Philomena Wilson, Mike Baker, Nora Paice, Isabel Regan, Elliott Burrow, Leigh Shaw, Enda Cox, Michael Kimberley, Danielle Williams, Adelaide Ketel, Pauline O'Hanlon, Sue Grimsdell, Claire Ashcroft, Anthony Fray-Smith, Tom Reyntjens, Pat Audley, Sean Crosse, Maureen Townsend, Bessie Buckner, Myrna Kelly, Anne-Marie Kus, Gerry Atherton, Josephine Iwegbu, the Burrowes family, Michael Binns, Martyn Cooper, Edna Szulc, Mary Robb, Eddie Ball, Sheila Simpson, Pat Osborne, John Sommerville, Rita Colleran, Tania Molyneux, Pat Taylor, Jim Dee, Fr Joseph Pham, Ebube Nwafor, Theresa Carpenter, Sarah, Sean & John

We pray and ask for God's blessing on those who care for the sick and housebound.

SICK & HOME VISITS

If you know of anyone who is ill or housebound please let Father Joseph or Catri Plummer (639686) know, so we can arrange for a visit and to receive Holy Communion if they wish. Please could you scan the list and let us know if any names should be removed.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of the following whose anniversary occurs during the coming week:

Julie Edge, Kathleen Turner, Mary Tom, Sidney Japes, Thomas O'Connell, Margaret Berry, Eileen Wilson, Thomas McDonnell, Bronislaw Hnet, Luke O'Neil, Andrew Lawry, Josephine Hardy, Thomas Prindiville, the Geoghan family, Norah Kite, Joan Cramer, Richard, Mgr Donovan, Peter Higham

FATHER we thank You: that You have always loved us, whatever our state or belief; that You have sent Your Son, Jesus, to help us find our way back into Your family; and that You know each of us, and have called us by name. May our lives be so transformed by Your Holy Spirit's power that they shine as beacons of light drawing all to "come and see" what you have to offer and to celebrate together Your measureless love. Through Christ our Lord Amen.

RESPONSE TO BIDDING PRAYER: Reader: Lord Jesus, if you want to, **ALL: you can make us clean.**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: O Sacrament most holy, O Sacrament divine, all praise & all thanksgiving be every moment thine x 3

PARISH NOTICES

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Holy Reconciliation & Holy Communion

Resume on **Saturday 24th February** at Our Lady of Grace

Confirmation

Sessions will resume on **24th February at St Wulstan's at 3.00pm.**

Mass Schedule for Ash Wednesday 2018

Ash Wednesday this year falls on Feb 14, 2018. Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent. The schedule for Masses and distribution of Ashes are as follows:

St Wulstan's: 9.30am; OLG: 7.30pm

Stations of the Cross

There will be Stations of the Cross every week during Lent commencing on 16th February.

St Wulstan's Friday – 7.30pm Please see Mary Bull if you would like to lead at St Wulstan's.

OLG: Every Saturday at 10.00 am. Please see Catri Plummer or Ann Kenny if you would like to lead.

El Shaddai

Our Filipino community is inviting us all to join them sometime during the day on **Saturday 17th February** at St. Andrew's Church, Hatters Lane, HP13 7NJ. There will be **Mass & Healing Rally, A Celebration of Love, Faith and Unity. You can just pop in at any time.** For more information please contact Sis Gemma 07887 400324 or Sis Nympha 07790824554.

Barn Dance

A big thank you to Janet Boothman who organised our Barn Dance last Sunday. In the end lots of parishioners came and had a very enjoyable and sociable afternoon. We wish to thank the musicians and callers (who were very patient with us amateurs). We raised almost £630 for the parish.

SVP

The SVP Coffee Morning will take place on **Tuesday 13th Feb. after 9.30 Mass** at St. Wulstan's Meeting Room. Everyone welcome, do come along and enjoy the last of the chocolates before Lent begins.

CAFOD

CAFOD fast day is being held on **Friday 23rd February**, envelopes will be given out next week. We are also holding a **Lenten Soup Lunch** on that day after the 11.00am Mass at St. Wulstan's. No charge but contributions will be gratefully accepted.

Annual Marriage Celebration Mass

Bishop Peter is presiding at annual marriage celebration mass for couples who are marking significant jubilees of their marriage at 12 noon on Saturday, 3 March in Holy Family Church, Langley, Slough, followed by a reception in the Parish Centre.

Peter's Pence

The Apostolic Nuncio has sent a letter of thanks for the collection in the amount of £11934.90.

NATIONAL & DIOCESAN NOTICES

Bishop Peter's Pastoral Letter for Lent

This weekend we have a pastoral letter from Bishop Peter, which will be read at all Masses. If you would like a copy please ask Fr Joe.

Diocesan Year of Prayer & Vocations

We will be saying the 'Prayer of St Richard of Chichester' as the concluding prayer to the Bidding Prayers at Sunday Masses. Please do remember to bring your prayer card for the Diocesan Year of Prayer & Vocation to Church.

Pathways for Prayers: New Online Prayer Course in Lent

Our parish has been approached to join a pilot scheme of this new online prayer course developed for the diocese by the Office for Adult Chaplaincy and Formation. Information available online at: <http://formationpathways.co.uk> We will in due course let you know how you can be part of it. In the meantime, access the online resources and let Fr Joe know what your thoughts are.

The Cathedral Development Campaign

The campaign received a boost recently with the news that work could begin as soon as July this year! Having raised a magnificent £2.4 million, our diocese is confident to authorise the beginning of this building project. To see Fr Mark's presentation, please go to the Cathedral website northamptoncathedral.org/live/ and click on the recordings tab navigating to the homily of the Sunday Mass on 4th February recording; or to donate and/or find out more, please call Angela Madge on 01604 712065 or email cathedralcampaign@northamptondiocese.com

PILGRIMAGES

Holy Land: Only 2 places left now

A Pilgrimage is being organised for the Holy Land **Monday 9th April – 18th April 2018**. Only two (2) places left. Hurry now! Full cost is £1490. Please contact Nabs on 07432152933 or David on 07771542994.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham – 9 June

More information on booking and cost to follow soon.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – 24 to 31 August

More information on booking and cost to follow soon.

Wooburn Singers Concert

Bach B Minor Mass (Choir and small Orchestra) Saturday, 10 Mar 2018 7:30 at All Saints Church, High Wycombe
Tickets £15 (under 18 Free). Please contact John Carr if you would like to attend on johnandpauline@carrs53.co.uk

Email address for newsletter: jhn_newsletter@yahoo.co.uk
Deadline: 7.00pm Wednesday