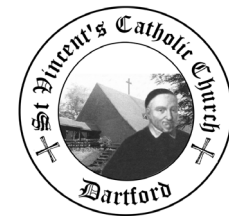


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7 - 15 March 2020

Saturday	7 Mar	6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Vincent Jude Ounsworth RIP - Family
Sunday	8 Mar	9.00am	Christopher Rocke RIP - Una Rocke <u>SECOND SUNDAY of LENT (A)</u>
		11.00am	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
		4.00pm	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		5.00pm	In Thanksgiving - Sarah Oluyemi - Family
Monday	9 Mar	9.00am	Luigi Morosini RIP (Ann.) - Teresa Morosini
		2.00pm	- 3.00pm (MEDUGORJE PRAYER GROUP)
Tuesday	10 Mar	9.00am	James Downey RIP - Downey Family
		5.30pm	- 6.30pm BIBLE CLUB (GROUP B - Fr Pat's)
Wednesday	11 Mar	9.00am	Good Estate of Archbishop Peter Smith
		2.30pm	SENIOR PARISHIONER'S TEA PARTY
		3.30pm	- 4.30pm CATECHISM CLASS
		6.30pm	- 7.30pm CHILDREN'S CHOIR
		7.00pm	- 8.30pm - LENT: PARISH TALK/WORKSHOP (in Conference Centre) HEADING: 'PRAYING THE PSALMS' - by Liz Waldy
Thursday	12 Mar	9.00am	In Thanksgiving - Sarah Oluyemi & Family
		5.30pm	- 6.30pm CONFIRMATION CLASS
Friday	13 Mar	8.15am	Darent Valley Hospital: MASS - Holy Souls
		9.00am	Good Estate of Dorothy Russell - Michael
		3.30pm	STATIONS OF THE CROSS (led by pupils of St Anselm's School)
		4.15pm	- 7.00pm Junior Club (Cascades)
Saturday	14 Mar	10.00am	Kathleen Callinan RIP - Maria Reynolds OUR LADY
		10.30am	- 11.30am CATECHISM CLASS
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Ida Schubiger - Rita Usher
Sunday	15 Mar	9.00am	Celia Gilbert RIP - Anne Saunders <u>THIRD SUNDAY of LENT (A)</u>
		11.00am	MASS: In THANKSGIVING for all the PRESENTATION BROTHERS WHO WORKED ON THE ENGLISH MISSION
		4.00pm	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		5.00pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION: Every Sat from 10.30am -11.00am and 5.45pm - 6.15pm

DAILY EXPOSITION: Mon to Fri 8.30am - 9.00am, Sat 9.30-10am

TEA ROTA: check your new rota

CLEANING TEAMS: TBC

THE PRESENTATION BROTHERS: The Presentation Brothers were part of God's plan in the care of young people in parts of the UK. They ran several schools for the benefit of young men. The following extract is taken from the magazine to mark the Centenary of St Vincent's Home and that of the brothers from 1876 -1976 throws light of the early history of the Brother's mission. The quote runs as follows, *'The long association of the Presentation Brothers with St Vincent's School, began as follows. In 1875 Brother Augustine Ryan, on the staff of the Green Mount Industrial School, Cork Ireland, which had been opened by the Presentation Brothers in 1872, fell ill and, on medical advice, was given an extended vacation. While recuperating he travelled to Belgium and on his return he stayed for some time in England where he met Fr Donnelly and visited the school at Tanner's Hill. When Brother Augustine revealed his own interest and experience in Child Care, Fr Donnelly persuaded him to bear with him to the Superior in Cork an invitation to the Presentation Brother to come to Tanner's Hill to assume responsibility for St Vincent's. The prospect of having a Religious Congregation to look after St Vincent's was attractive to Fr Donnelly for more than one reason. Apart from any anticipated benefits to the boys in the religious and moral sphere, it was about the only way he could hope to run a residential, Industrial School on a long term basis on the 5 shillings per pupil per week maintenance grant which came from the combined contributions of the Home Office and the London School Board. The Brothers would not demand a salary - only their Board and lodging - whereas lay teachers had to be paid.'* As an expression of gratitude to the brothers and an act of thanksgiving to God, a Mass is being said on Sunday 15th March 2020 at 11.00am. Everyone associated with the Brothers is welcome to attend. After Mass there will be light refreshments in the Hall from 12-1.00pm. A member of the Brothers from Ireland will join us for this act of thanksgiving.

Archbishop Emeritus Archbishop Peter Smith: Please pray for the Good Estate of Archbishop Peter Smith who is critically ill.

Last Week's Offertory: 08.03.2020 - £974.25

2nd Collection (Poor Parishes): £257.57