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22 - 30 June 2024

PARISH PRIEST:			Fr Patrick Zammit	Tel: 01322 279955
PARISH PRIEST EMERITUS (Retired):			Fr Michael Leach	
PERMANENT DEACON:			Rev Michael Dale	
PARISH SCHOOL – St Anselm's			Headteacher – Mrs Laura White	Tel: 01322 225173
Saturday	22 June	6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: HOLY SOULS	
Sunday	23 June	9.00am	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
		10.30am	Paul Owa RIP – Mrs Owa	12TH SUNDAY (YR B)
		2.30pm	BAPTISM: Annarica Rosie Mahon	
		5.00pm	DECEASED CLERGY OF THE PACT	
Monday	24 June	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION – FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH	
		9.00am	Danny Crowley RIP (Ann.) – J Crowley	
		3.00pm	BAPTISM: Nora-Doll Bridget Angel Maugan	
Tuesday	25 June	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH	
		9.00am	Sujeeva Hugawila RIP – Milton Fernando	
Wednesday	26 June	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH	
		9.00am	Thanksgiving – Ward Family	
		2.00pm	SENIOR PARISHIONERS AFTERNOON TEA PARTY	
		6.00pm	- 7.00pm CHILDREN'S CHOIR (in the Presbytery)	
Thursday	27 June	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION – FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH	
		9.00am	Anne Wheaton RIP – Brian Wheaton	
		5.00pm	- 6.00pm: CONFIRMATION CLASS	
Friday	28 June	8.15am	Darent Valley Hospital. Mass: Josephine Larson RIP	ST IRENAEUS
		8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH	(BISHOP & MARTYR)
		9.00am	James William Chambers RIP	DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH
Saturday	29 June	10.00am	Fr Albert Ryan RIP (Ann.)	BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
		2.00pm	BAPTISM: Delalla O'Brien	
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: For the Good Estate of Gemma Fogarty – Dale Fam	
Sunday	30 June	9.00am	Eileen & Jim Mahon RIP – Mahon Family	
		10.30am	The Intention of Ejemen Iyona	SS PETER & PAUL (APOSTLES) (YR B)
		5.00pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	

CLEANING TEAMS: 22.06.24: Team 'B' (Gemma Kagho, Karen & Steve Coleman), 30.06.24: Team 'C' (African Community, Lucy Jacobs), 05.07.24: Team 'D' (Lesley Hovell, Doris), 14.07.24: Team 'E' (E Ranson, John Murphy, Alicia), 20/21.07.24: Team 'F' (Filipino Community), 27.07.24: Team 'G' (Polish Community, Beata, Dawid)

FR ALEX: (PERU) Fr Alex visit is a source of inspiration to our parish. The multifaceted of his parish is an example of true ministry where the Church is in the spiritual, moral and physical nature of the Churches mission from its inception. It is good for our parish to be supporting such ministry. You will be glad to know that this time round as a result of the appeal we had a few weeks ago, the parish presented Fr Alex with a cheque of £4500. We consider our Parish as a Missionary Parish.

PETER'S PENCE: (2nd COLLECTION: 29/30 June 2024) by reason of the bond of unity and charity, the bishops of the Church, with their people, join together to produce those means which the Holy Father and the Apostolic See need to exercise works of mercy and charity and its service of the Universal Church. The faithful's offerings to the Holy Father are destined to church needs, humanitarian initiatives and social promotion projects, as well as to the support of the Holy See. The Pope, being the pastor of the whole Church, is attentive to the material needs of poor diocese, religious institutes and faithful in grave difficulties; the poor, children, the elderly, those marginalized and the victims of war and natural disasters. Concrete aid is thus made available to bishops or diocese in need, to Catholic education, assistance, to refugees and immigrants.

FORMATION of a PARISH PASTORAL TEAM: The Parish needs to respond to the physical growth that has taken place and is still ongoing. This is a slow process. One's hope is to lay the foundation for this ministry to take off. This can only come about if each one of us play a part. Hopefully the meeting we are holding this Friday will set the wheels in motion. As I write this I am looking forward to this coming meeting. May it bear fruit and lay the foundation stone of this fresh undertaking.

JUBILEE YEAR 2025: The Holy Father declared the year 2025 as a Jubilee Year. The theme for the year is, "Hope does not disappoint". I am sure we will hear more about this theme in the future.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025: In preparation for next year's Parish First Holy Communion. A meeting has been arranged for Friday 12 July 2024 at 7.00pm at the Conference Centre. Any parent who wishes their children to receive the First Eucharist is asked to fill in the 1st Holy Communion 2025 Form.