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Saturday	18 Mar	<u>6.30pm</u>	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Tom Usher RIP - Tim Gibbs
Sunday	19 Mar	<u>9.00am</u>	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH – Knights Presentation
		<u>10.30am</u>	Joe Francis RIP – Renee Francis
		<u>4.00pm</u>	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		<u>5.00pm</u>	Rose & Terry Foreman RIP (Ann.) F.M.
Monday	20 Mar	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION – FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH ST JOSEPH
		<u>9.00am</u>	Good Estate of Kamal – E & M Mendis (SPOUSE of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY)
		<u>4.00pm</u>	RECEPTION OF THE BODY OF BABY ANGEL McDONAGH
Tuesday	21 Mar	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH
		<u>9.00am</u>	Eileen Darby RIP (Ann.) – S & D Scowen
		<u>10.30am</u>	REQUIEM MASS: Baby Angel McDonagh RIP
Wednesday	22 Mar	<u>9.00am</u>	Mary Downing RIP - Anniversary
		<u>10.00am</u>	REQUIEM MASS: Julius Nathaniel Baptiste RIP
		<u>1.00pm</u>	REQUIEM MASS: John O'Kane RIP
		6.00pm	- 7.00pm - CHILDREN'S CHOIR
		<u>7.00pm</u>	- 8.30pm LENT TALK: No 4 – 'Gospel of St Luke' – by Canon Victor Darlington
Thursday	23 Mar	8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH
		<u>9.00am</u>	HOLY SOULS
		<u>2.30pm</u>	WEDDING: Gavin Brian Wannacott & Brook Madlene Care
Friday	24 Mar	<u>8.15am</u>	DARENT VALLEY HOSPITAL: Mass: William Mahon RIP (F.M.)
		8.30am	EXPOSITION & ADORATION - FOR THE GOOD OF THE PARISH
		<u>9.00am</u>	HOLY SOULS
		<u>3.30pm</u>	STATIONS OF THE CROSS – Led by the Children of St Anselm's School
		<u>4.00pm</u>	JUNIOR CLUB (Hall – ball games)
		<u>6.30pm</u>	- 7.30pm CONFIRMATION CLASS – GROUP B
Saturday	25 Mar	<u>10.00am</u>	Fr John McCormack RIP (Ann.) THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD
		<u>11.00am</u>	BAPTISM: Jamie Desmond Rushbrook
		2.00pm	BAPTISM: Michael Franklin Ward
		<u>6.30pm</u>	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Vincent Jude Ounsworth RIP - Helena
Sunday	26 Mar	<u>9.00am</u>	Margaret Warley RIP
		<u>10.30am</u>	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH 5TH SUNDAY OF LENT (A)
		2.30pm	BAPTISM: Chianugo Nathan Nnazilim Orji
		<u>4.00pm</u>	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		<u>5.00pm</u>	Euan Labouchardiere RIP - Labouchardiere

CLEANING TEAMS: 19.03.23 Team 'C' (African Community), 21.03.23 Team 'D' (L. Hovell, Doris)

LENT TALKS: Now we have reached the half way with regards to these talks. It is quite heartening to see a positive response from the parishioners. This week twenty two people turned up for the meeting. The subject was St Mark's Gospel. Mr John Scott gave a good presentation, and as we were set up in groups we had time to reflect and share our thoughts on the material presented to us for study. This week Canon Victor Darlington B.Th SSL STD episcopal vicar for the South East (Diocese of Southwark) is delivering a talk on the Gospel of St Luke. He is well versed with the scriptures. I look forward to see a greater participation from the Parish.

PERU PROJECT: On behalf of Fr Alex I would like to thank you most heartily for your most generous support. We have now raised the sum of one thousand four hundred and fifty pounds. The appeal is ongoing. One is still free to hand in any donation. God blesses the generous giver.

CONFIRMATION: This week the Confirmation Class is for **GROUP B**. The tie is from 6.30pm till 7.30pm on Friday 24th March at the Conference Centre.

POOR PARISHES (2ND COLLECTION): Collection for Poor Parishes formerly known as "For the Needs of the Diocese". This collection enables the Archbishop to make grants to some of the poorer parishes in the diocese)

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION (PARENT'S MEETING): On Thursday the 23 March there is a meeting for parents of children making their First Holy Communion. Parents are requested to bring their child's attendance sheet to the meeting. The venue is the Conference Centre at 7.00pm.

FEAST OF ST JOSEPH: Monday 20 March is the feast of St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary and Patron of the Universal Church. He is the patron of the dying.