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25 June- 3 July 2016

PARISH PRIEST:

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PERMANENT DEACON:

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Headteacher – Mrs Laura White

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Saturday	25 June	6.30pm	FIRST MASS of SUNDAY: Bruce Brown RIP (Ann.)	
Sunday	26 June	9.00am	For the People of the Parish	13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)
		11.00am	Paul Owa RIP - Michael Russell	SCHOOL MASS
		2.30pm	BAPTISM: Jasper James Welch	
		5.00pm	Piotr Tuszynski RIP - Jagielski Family	
Monday	27 June	9.00am	Bro. Raphael - Eileen Mahon	
		2.00pm	- 3.00pm MEDUGORJE PRAYER GROUP (in the Presbytery)	
Tuesday	28 June	9.00am	Pietro Matarazzo-Teresa Morosini	ST IRENAEUS
Wednesday	29 June	9.00am	Canon Albert Ryan RIP (Ann.)	SS PETER & PAUL (APOSTLES)
Thursday	30 June	9.00am	Michael Egan RIP (Ann.) - Janet Crowley	
Friday	1 July	8.15am	DARENT VALLEY HOSPITAL: Holy Souls	
		9.00am	Kathleen Reynolds - Anon.	
		4.15pm	-8.00pm JUNIOR CLUB (Mote Park - weather permitting)	
Saturday	2 July	10.00am	Bernard Prosser RIP (Ann.)	OUR LADY
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS of SUNDAY: Veronica Falzon RIP - Robert Falzon	
Sunday	3 July	9.00am	Teresa White RIP-Chris & Carmel White	14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)
		11.00am	Jim Bentley RIP (Ann.)	
		3.00pm	BAPTISM: Michelle Adanna Nwankwo	
		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 **TEA ROTA:** check your new rota

CLEANING TEAMS: 28.06.16 Team'D'(L. Hovell, P Wall), 2.07.16 Team'E'(E Ranson, D Marshall, L Goode)

1st HOLY COMMUNION 2017: This is the time of the year when we start planning for the next year's Holy Communion. This year we have seen a marked increase in the number of children receiving the Sacrament of the Eucharist. It is important to remind you that our parish programme is a two year programme. This applies to all children who wish to make their first Holy Communion, whether they attend a Catholic School or not. The preparation for the sacrament starts in Year 2. The first year the children will attend the Bible Club. Here they explore some of the main events in the Old Testament to provide them with a background to the New Testament. In the New Testament Jesus gives us the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Eucharist. For the parents who were unable to attend the meeting there is still time to enroll their child or children. The enrolment Forms are to be found at the back of the Church by the blue notice board. Once the form is filled it is to be returned to the Presbytery. May I remind parents that there is a time limit for applying.

ST ANSELM'S FUN DAY: Saturday 2 July - 12-4pm. Admission: £1 - adults, children FREE. At St Anselm's Primary School Littlebrook Manor Way, Dartford DA1 5EA. Bouncy Castle/Bungee Run/Slide, Archery/ Refreshments/BBQ/Ice Creams/Face Painting/Tattoos/Tombola/Beat the Goalie/Tug O War and lots more.....

Knights of St Columba: RACE NIGHT- we are holding a Race Night at ST VINCENT'S PARISH HALL. Raising funds for Knights of St Columba Charitable Causes. First Race at 7.30pm. Date: **Friday 24 June 2016.**

Admission Free - Buy a Horse for £5 with a chance to win £20 - Bet on the night - Bring your own drinks & nibbles. A great fun social event.

MASS INTENTIONS: Very shortly I will be preparing the Summer newsletter. If anyone wishes to have a Mass said during this time one is asked to book the Mass in good time especially if it is an anniversary Mass.

Altar Servers Summer Break: SUMMER 2016 - Tuesday 9 - Friday 12 August, Woldingham Surrey (Cost:£135). This is an excellent few days for boy and girl servers aged 10-15. Meeting in a holiday atmosphere activities include talks, discussions, prayer, daily Mass, as well as sport, Chessington World of Adventures, Laser Elite, Swimming. For more details take form, download from www.stanselm.dartford.wordpress.com or contact Fr Stephen Boyle, Tel: 01322 220075, email: stanselm01@googlemail.com

PETER'S PENCE: (Retiring Collection) - This weekend 25/26 June. Through Peter's Pence Collection, we stand in solidarity with all Catholics all over the world to support the charitable works of Pope Francis. Contributions to this collection are used to support the Holy Father as he reaches out to those suffering the effects of war and violence, natural disasters, and religious persecution. As he has reminded us in this Jubilee Year of Mercy, "the time has come for the Church to take up the joyful call to mercy once more. It is time to return to the basics and to bear the weaknesses and struggles of our brothers and sisters. Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instils in us the courage to look to the future with hope"

Banns of Marriage (2nd Banns): 1) *Amelia Alice Ford & Christopher Stephen Foady of Lady Jane Place, Dartford*
2) *Margaret, Mary O'Connor & Daniel Michael O'Riordan of Martin Drive, Stone*

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY: 19.06.16 - £931.35 **2nd Collection:** £86.58 (Catholic Trust)