

Newsletter for the Parishes of St John Vianney & St Thomas Becket

Twenty Fourth & Twenty Fifth Sundays Yr A

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“What does it matter to you whether Jesus wishes to guide you to Heaven by way of the desert or by the meadow, so long as He is always with you and you arrive at the position of a blessed eternity?” Padre Pio.

THIS TUESDAY ~ Sr. Phyllis, myself, and 43 parishioners (from present & former parishes) will be departing on pilgrimage to the shrines of France, visiting Paris, Lourdes, Nevers & Lisieux. Please be assured of our prayers. There will be an early morning departure Mass at St Bede's at 6.15am. Do feel free to join us. My thanks to those who are looking after the Parish in my absence. Please note that this Newsletter covers the next two weekends. There will be no Newsletter next week. God Bless ~ Fr Paul

WE WELCOME ~ Johnson to our Sunday Masses. Johnson is preparing for the Priesthood and will be spending the next six months living and working in our community. Welcome!

FAITH MEETINGS ~ Following Bishop Barron's acclaimed series 'Catholicism' will begin this Tuesday. Meeting at St Bede's 7.00pm. Open to all. Please speak to Deacon David for further details.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL ~ Yes, it's that time of year again! In aid of children in need in Easter Europe to give them something special this Christmas. Items to look out for: Toothbrush/paste, stationery, small toy, new underwear, beanie and gloves, sweets but NOT food. Further details to follow. Last year we collected a fantastic 215 shoeboxes. Thank you for your support.

OUR CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL ~ St Nicholas's, are having an Open Evening on Thursday 24th September 4-6pm. *“Come and explore our classrooms, meet our staff and students, and discover what makes St Nicholas such a special place to learn, grow, and thrive. If you are unable to attend our Open Evening, please contact us to arrange a personal tour of the school”* admin@st-nicholas.cheshire.sch.uk

MARRIAGE HELP ~ Communication failure is a major cause of marital breakdown - 1,000's of couples have found Retrouvaille helped their relationship. Retrouvaille is not counselling but a programme to help married couples work through conflicts more effectively. We focus on helping restore trust and hope. www.Retrouvaille.org.uk 07887 296 983

THE PARISH SVP ~ Will be making an Appeal on the weekend of 26/27 September, seeking your support with their ministry to the poor and the needy.

FINANCE ~ Thank you for two recent donations for Mary's Meals: £100 from Our Lady's (Coffee money) and £30 anonymous. www.marysmeals.org.uk

“A tree is known by its Fruit; a man by his deeds. A good deed is never lost; he who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love.”

St. Basil the Great.

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Phil Gogarty
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Victoria Grey
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Holy Hour</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners
MONDAY 14th	<i>EXALTATION OF THE CROSS</i>	
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners
TUESDAY 15th	<i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i>	
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	John Joyce
11.00am	<i>St Bede's</i>	<i>Requiem</i> ~ Susan Tracy
WEDNESDAY 16th	<i>Ss Cornelius & Cyprian</i>	
12.00am (<i>Rosary 11.30am</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Eamon Downey
THURSDAY 17th	<i>St Robert Bellarmine</i>	
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Andrew O'Flynn
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	John Moorhead Int.
FRIDAY 18th		
9.30am (<i>8.30am Exposition</i>)	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Enid Stanton Int.
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Niruben Prajapati
SATURDAY 19th		
11.00 – 11.50am (<i>Exposition</i>)	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Josi & Mary (Thanksgiving)
5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Richard Int.
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Schofield Int.
SUNDAY 20th	<i>25th Sunday Year A</i>	
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int.
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Lazowski Family
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Holy Hour</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners
MONDAY 21st	<i>ST MATTHEW</i>	
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Yearley Int.
TUESDAY 22nd		
10.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	UCM Intention
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Jim Rafferty
WEDNESDAY 23rd	<i>Padre Pio</i>	
12.00am (<i>Rosary 11.30am</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Saro, Nella, Emanuela & Lucia
THURSDAY 24th	<i>OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM</i>	
9.30am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Mary Quigley
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Pauline Atkinson
FRIDAY 25th		
10.00am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Requiem</i> ~ Theresa Leather
12.00pm	<i>St Bede's</i>	Lorenzo, Maria & Rita
12.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Nuptial</i> ~ Hannah & Tom
SATURDAY 26th	<i>Ss Cosmas & Damian</i>	
11.00 – 11.50am (<i>Exposition</i>)	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation</i>
12.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	David & Marie Harrison
5.30pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>Our Lady's</i>	Richard & Damian White
6.00pm (<i>vigil</i>)	<i>St Bede's</i>	Parishioners
SUNDAY 27th	<i>26th SUNDAY YEAR A</i>	
9.15am	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Mary Cosgrove
11.00am	<i>St Thomas Becket</i>	Priest's Int.
11.15am	<i>St Bede's</i>	Hughes Family
4.00pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	<i>Holy Hour</i>
5.30pm	<i>St Wilfrid's</i>	Parishioners