

BISHOP ELLIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: BARKBY THORPE LANE, THURMASTON, LEICESTER. LE4 8GP. TEL: 0116 269 5510. Headteacher required, Starting 27th August 2019. The successful candidate will: Be a practising Catholic with a strong personal faith and a vision for whole school Catholic education. An excellent opportunity to lead a strong school to achieve outstanding. You will find a full application pack at www.bishopellis.leics.sch.uk Visits to the school can be arranged by calling Sarah Kennedy at the school office on 0116 269 5510. Closing date for applications is 10am Monday 11th March with interviews being held on Monday 18th March 2019.

THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Friday 8th May 2020. I have arranged with Bishop Patrick to come to our parish on May 8th 2020 to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation, the Sacrament when our young adults will publicly profess and declare their intent to live their Christian faith, to be true disciples of Christ in their daily lives. Preparation will begin on a monthly basis after Easter, but please keep an eye on the newsletter for a preliminary meeting and presentation fairly soon and before the formal preparation meetings begin. Children who will be attending secondary school in 2020 will be eligible age wise. **WATCH THIS SPACE.**

“ A BACK UP”!! It is the wish of Fr Owen and the Parish Pastoral Council that there should be a “Back Up”, a second person to take over responsibility in all ministries in the parish, to cover the person, or persons, currently involved with, and for certain responsibilities. Most areas of responsibility in the parish are in fact covered by a “Back up person” in the event of sickness, holidays or any other emergencies. One area that is not currently covered is the typing of the weekly newsletter, and occasionally specialised office work required from time to time. As you all know, Lisa does a splendid job in typing our weekly newsletter. But we need a “Back up”. This work is voluntary. If you have reasonable computer skills and would be willing to help, please see Fr Owen. Lisa would be willing to give you any help, advice or guidance to set you up. Thanking you in anticipation.

10th March 2019

Readers: 6.30pm: M Atkins **10.00am:** G Hill C Goddard
Eucharistic Ministers: 6.30pm: S Tacey N Tiney F Wilson D Bebb P Bebb
10.00am: Mary Hall V Winter R Blagburn J Lowe K Crawford (Weekday B)
Counters: C Parry V English
Welcomers: 6.30pm: B O'Malley M O'Malley B Coombs
10.00am: J Clarke D Esler-Woodward B Stewart
Bidding Prayers: P Green

17th March 2019

Readers: 6.30pm: M Mihovilovic **10.00am:** G Powell H Powell
Eucharistic Ministers: 6.30pm: M Douglas P Green A Hall Mary Hall Mike Hall
10.00am: T Page S Jones W Kwacz J Lowe S McGlone (Weekday B)
Counters: G Powell H Powell G Hill
Welcomers: 6.30pm: S Maguire M-A Campbell M Furlong
10.00am: B Shepherd C Sheppard M Douglas
Bidding Prayers: J Rowland



Our Lady of Victories

Market Harborough

10th March 2019
 First Week of Lent
 Psalter Week 1

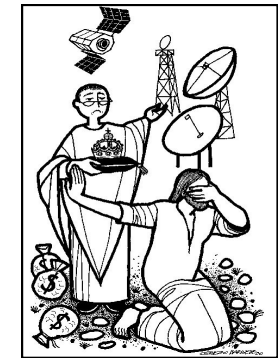
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 Catholic Club: 01858 463 601
 Parish Website: www.olvic.com
 Safeguarding Representatives: Christine Reed and Theresa Kendrick 07748591398 / 01858465637
 Diocese of Nottingham: Company Number 7151646 Charity Number: 1134449
 Registered Address: Wilson House, 25 Derby Road, Nottingham, NG1 5AW

Schools:
 Parish Primary: St. Joseph's Academy 01858-465359.
 Deanery Comprehensive: St. Paul's 0116 241 4057
 Parish Accountant: Angela Wade: 0777 322 9041
 Parish Gift Aid Organiser: Stephen McGlone 01858-465939
 Parish Pastoral Council Members: see photos on notice board

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT: *We, the faith community of Our Lady of Victories Parish, with our values rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, accept our mission: to come together to worship God, to welcome everybody, to work with and in our local community as Christians in the Catholic tradition, in openness and fellowship with Christians in Churches Together in Market Harborough, to love, learn from, and support each other, in our spiritual growth, to witness to our faith in words, actions and compassionate service to others.*

Times of Services

Sunday: 1st of Lent
 Sat.6.30pm Mass - intentions of Y.D.
 8.30am Mass at Husbands Bosworth - The Parishioners
 10.00am Mass - Thomas Murphy R.I.P. (10th Anniv.)
Monday: Lenten Feria
 9.45am Morning Prayer of the Church
 10.00am Mass - Terry & Rita Ferguson R.I.P.
Tuesday: Lenten Feria
 9.00am Mass - Jerry Dolan R.I.P.
 Rosary after Mass
Wednesday: Lenten Feria
 9.45am Morning Prayer of the Church
 10.00am Mass - Julia Cunniff R.I.P.
Thursday: Lenten Feria
 9.30 am - The Blessed Sacrament will be Exposed on the Altar
 9.40am - Rosary
 10.00am Mass - Rosemary Wrigley R.I.P.
 5.45pm Mass at Hothorpe Hall for a Special Visiting Group
Friday: Lenten Feria - FAMILY FAST DAY
 NO MORNING MASS
 12.30pm - Lent Lunchtime Service at the Congregational Church
 2.30pm - Funeral Service in Church for John Robert McCready
 7.00pm Stations of the Cross
 7.30pm Mass - God's Blessings for Barbara Clements
Saturday: Lenten Feria
 NO MORNING MASS (Mass in the Prison)
 6.30pm 1st Mass of Sunday 17th March - Paddy Cotter R.I.P. (birthday memento)
Sunday : 2nd of Lent
 8.30am Mass at Husbands Bosworth - The Parishioners
 10.00am Mass - Joan Helmore R.I.P.
 12noon - Baptism of Luca Garrett Taylor



Jesus was led by the Spirit through the wilderness and was tempted there.

Confessions Saturday
 11.00 - 11.30 am
 5.30 - 6.00 pm.
 & on request

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
 Wednesday
 10.30—11.00 a.m.

REQUIESCANT IN PACE: (Anniversary 1st - 31st March)

John O'Neill 1985; John Joseph O'Brien (Snr) 1986; Charles Edward Lee 1987; Margaret Ellen Millward 1987; Estella Periera 1987; Edward Charlton 1987; Esther Eagers 1988; Dr. Pauline Kathleen Hearth 1989; August Schlegel 1989; Francis Nicholas Booth 1989; May Ann Hackett 1990; Thomas Joseph McNulty 1990; Walter Stanley Tooms 1991; Emma Kathleen Stafford 1991; Gordon Woodend Morris 1991; John Joseph O'Brien 1992; Jozef Partyka 1992; Veronica Tomblin 1993; Ruby Ada Broughton 1993; Percy Sandell 1993; Barbara Paul 1994; Joanna Nowakowska 1994; Kathleen Mary Amy Stanyon 1994; Dominica Venezaila 1994; Fred Webb 1995; Vivienne Edna Walsham-Smith 1996; Madeline Moore 1997; Hugh Conghan 1997; Les James Guy 1998; Viola Frances Robinson 1999; Margaret Meara 2001; Evelyn Webb 2004 Alan Stewart Barwick 2005; Margaret Anne Payne 2006; Krystyna Teresa Bibby 2006; Gabriele Guerriero 2006; Carmen Peiro 2007; Ted Chapman 2008; Des Grocock 2008; Margaret O'Brien 2008; Felix Wojdat 2009; James Troughton 2009; Arthur Kendrick 2009; Leonard George (Lee) Westley 2010; Bernard Holt Halsall 2011; Harry Shuttleworth 2013; Nick Westgate 2013; Evelyn Joyce Brunning 2013; John Joseph Maloney 2014; Beryl Violet Bromley 2014; Earnest Joseph Goldsmith 2014; Brenda Hosgood 2014; Herbert John Wells 2014; Brian Joseph Connellan 2014; Muriel Joan Helmore 2014; John Christopher Hurley 2015; Margery Winifred Dorothy Burditt 2015; Mary Eileen Piggin 2016; Rita Mary Taylor 2017; Angela Priscilla Molyneux 2017; Susan Scampton 2018; Ann White 2018;

Canon Leo Moens 1961; Fr. James Kearns 1966; Fr. Edward Byron 1980; Canon Thomas O'Keefe 1981; Fr. John Pelgroms 1982; Fr. Patrick Reidy 1983; Mgr Arthur Bird 1985; Canon Victor Key 1998; Canon Michael Cryan 2001; Fr. Joseph Maguire 2002; Canon James Kavanagh 2009; ' *Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.*

OUR PRAYERS AND CONDOLENCE are offered to the family of John Robert McCready, whose funeral service takes place here in Our Church this coming Friday at 2.30pm. May his soul rest in peace. May our prayers be a comfort to his wife and family.

ECUMENICAL FRIDAY LUNCHTIME SERVICES: Fridays of Lent as per previous years.

The host church this year will be the Congregational Church. Each Friday service will be lay led (Peter Green and Maureen Douglas are our reps.) starting at 12.30pm sharp and finishing after 20minutes at 12.50pm. This timing gives lunchtime workers an opportunity to attend and get back to work on time. The service each Friday will be followed by a "Hunger Lunch" in which our third World Group are gracious soup makers and servers. I strongly support and recommend this Lenten services to all who possibly can.



ONE WEEK EXTENSION: If as yet you have not completed and returned your Registration Form, **PLEASE, PLEASE** do so now and return it to us within this next week. We must now comply with the New Data Protection Act, which means that we must have your written consent to store your data - namely your names, addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses. This will be vital to us for pastoral care and information. It will be used for that purpose only and cannot be passed on or shared otherwise. PLEASE ACT NOW IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO. Thank you.

**WELCOME:
HARBOROUGH
CHURCHES
TOGETHER**

will be holding their quarterly meeting in our De Trafford room this **MONDAY** at 7.15pm for 7.30pm. Will our reps please do your best to attend.

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH: The Royalist, 29 Western Avenue. LE16 9PL. Second Wednesday of the month - 13th March; 10th April. 12noon - 3pm Lunch and good company, Charity raffle. £7 home cooked 2 course lunch includes activities. To book call: 01858 438080.

JOB VACANCY - CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC VOLUNTARY ACADEMY - Head of School (Junior Site). Salary L10 £49,937. Required from 27th August 2019. Contract Permanent, Full-time. The St Thomas Aquinas Catholic Multi-Academy Trust wish to appoint a talented and inspirational leader as **Head of School (Junior Site)** from 27th August 2019 for Christ the King Catholic Voluntary Academy.

Christ the King is a rapidly expanding Catholic Academy situated in West Leicester. We have two sites: The Junior Site and the Infant Site. This post is for the role of Head of School at Christ the King Junior Site. In the first instance we are looking for a practising Catholic who can:

- Be a confident, supportive and proven team leader
- Motivate and develop their colleagues and maintain the Academy's high standards
- Inspire our children to reach their full potential

We will offer you:

- Dynamic colleagues who have a track record of high performance
- A Christian community of parents and parishes who support the school
- An opportunity to make a real difference at one of Leicester's leading primary schools

Internal and external applications for this post are welcome, with external applicants encouraged to contact the School Business Manager, Mrs Amy Woolley, at office@ctk.leicester.sch.uk to arrange a visit and discuss the role further.

Closing date for applications: 10 am Wednesday 13th March, 2019

Interview Date(s): 19th March 2019

ST JOSEPHS BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB: St Joseph's

After School Club is a busy Club with an oversubscribed waiting list, currently have a vacancy starting at the beginning of the Autumn term 2019 for a Childcare Assistant, working Monday to Friday, term time, 3-6pm. (15hours). The applicant must be reliable, friendly, have some experience of childcare and be able to use their own initiative. Training is available to the right applicant. A clear DBS will be essential. They must also be willing to assist on a rota basis of preparing the children's snacks and clearing away, as well as general housekeeping duties. Please contact Maggie Sparks or Jess Kelly if you are interested in applying on 07967431698, or in writing to St Joseph's Breakfast and After School Club, and hand in to St Joseph's School office or Father Owen for passing on to the club. Alternatively you can email us at stjoeasc@gmail.com. Closing date for applicants is 12th April 2019.



FAMILY FAST DAY: This coming Friday is Family Fast Day. Margaret Atkins will give us a reminder of this important day for all of us and for the work of CAFOD, as she will address as briefly at the end of all our Masses today.

