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28 September - 6 October 2019

Saturday	28 Sept	6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Holy Souls	
Sunday	29 Sept	9.00am	Catherine O'Connor RIP (Ann.) - J Crowley	26TH SUNDAY (C)
		11.00am	Michael Joseph Vas RIP - Mrs Nazareth	
		3.00pm	Baptism: Harry James Few	
		5.00pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
Monday	30 Sept	9.00am	Thanksgiving - Berlyn, Sanja, Mary	ST JEROME (Priest & Dr of the CHURCH)
		2.00pm	- 3.00pm - MEDUGORJE PRAYER GROUP	
Tuesday	1 Oct	9.00am	Thomas Carlyle (Tommy) RIP Moira Oldham & Bridie Godfery Fam.	ST THERESE of the CHILD JESUS
				THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS
Wednesday	2 Oct	9.00am	Donor's Intention - Cio Joy	
Thursday	3 Oct	9.00am	Ivy Emma Bowgett RIP (Ann.)	
		5.00pm	- 6.00pm CONFIRMATION CLASS	
		7.00pm	- 8.00pm 1ST HOLY COMMUNION - PARENTS MEETING (4th Talk)	
Friday	4 Oct	8.15am	Darent Valley Hosp: MASS: Holy Souls	
		9.00am	Good Estate of Anne McKinney - Husband	
		3.45pm	- 7.00pm Junior Club (Cinema)	
Saturday	5 Oct	10.00am	Anne Wheaton RIP - Brian Wheaton	OUR LADY
		11.00am	Baptism: Aidan Rodder-Brown	
		12.00pm	Baptism: David Pacyno	
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Hermann Rosch RIP - Rita Usher	
Sunday	6 Oct	9.00am	Nigel Giddings RIP - Mr & Mrs S & E O'Sullivan	27TH SUNDAY (C)
		11.00am	Assamina de Barros RIP - Joel & Isabel de Silva	
		3.00pm	Baptism: Daniel Tanilore Ajayi	
		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, Sat 9.30-10am **TEA ROTA:** check your new rota

CLEANING TEAMS: 05.10.19 - Team'E'(E Ranson), 12.10.19 Team'F'(G Rabino, C Elazagui, D Teves, J Fe, A K Galang)

PARISH IN COUNCIL MEETING: A fair representative of the Parish attended the Parish In Council meeting.

Those present contributed greatly and to their credit the meeting was worthwhile having. There were a number of headings which were discussed at some length and other points were there for general information. The meeting started just after one and concluded at half past four. By usual standards it was a long but productive meeting. Everyone was given the opportunity to participate in this ongoing exploration. Everyone who received the newsletter was given a copy of the agenda. This was made to enable greater participation by giving everyone a chance to comment and offer suggestions. A report on the meeting is attached to the newsletter. I look forward to any comments or suggestions.

EXPLORATION of the FAITH: The Exploration of the Faith meeting is a weekly meeting for anyone who wishes to explore the teaching of the catholic Church. For whom are these meetings? They are for anyone who wishes to deepen one's knowledge and faith journey for anyone who wishes to enhance the fullness of faith. A mother has just been received and a young father will be received this Sunday having gone on this journey of exploration. If anyone wish to embark on such a journey please let me know.

GRAND CHRISTMAS DRAW: Tickets are now on sale for the Grand Christmas Draw. Always grateful for your assistance in promoting, selling and buying raffle tickets. (£2 per book.)

CAFOD: (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development): 4th October 2019- **FAMILY FAST DAY** (See poster for more information).

ST COLUMBA'S CATHOLIC BOYS SCHOOL: Open Day on Saturday 5 October at 9.30am. See Poster for more information.

HARVEST DAY: Today is Harvest Day - SEE POSTER FOR MORE INFORMATION

WORLD MISSION: That month (October) should be considered in all countries as the month of the World Mission. The penultimate Sunday, the day proclaimed 'World Mission Sunday', is the high point. That day will be celebrated in all the local churches as a feast of catholicity and universal solidarity. On that day, Christians the world over will recognise their common responsibility with regard to the evangelisation of the world.

MISSIO:

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: The Bishops are inviting the Church in England and Wales, through 2020, to listen afresh. The Campaign Year will start on the first Sunday of Advent, 1 December 2019, and events will take place at the CCF and across the diocese throughout 2020. For the latest information look at: ccftootingbec.org.uk/scripture2020 & rcsouthwark.co.uk/2020Word

REDEDICATION of ENGLAND AS DOWRY OF MARY: A time-line has been prepared, as follows: 1Jan 2020: Formal announcement by the Bishops, 21 Feb 2020: Start of 33 day consecration to Jesus through Mary, 25 Mar 2020: Consecration to Jesus through Mary on this day, 26-28 March 2020: a three -day triduum of prayer, 29 Mar 2020: Personal rededication Dowry of Mary in every Cathedral, every parish, and as many homes as possible.

Last Week's Offertory: 22.09.19 - £1151.71