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14- 22 Oct 2017

PARISH PRIEST:

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PARISH SCHOOL – St Anselm's

Headteacher – Mrs Laura White

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Saturday	14 Oct	6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Bridget Philps RIP - Leslie Hovell
Sunday	15 Oct	9.00am	Thanksgiving - Bernie & Tony
		11.00am	Margaret & Kenneth Jackson RIP-Maureen Jackson <u>28th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (A)</u>
		2.30pm	Baptism: <i>Conor Alfred Corry</i>
		5.00pm	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
Monday	16 Oct	9.00am	Personal Intention - Mary Revington
		2.00pm	- 3.00pm MEDUGORJE PRAYER GROUP
Tuesday	17 Oct	9.00am	Good Estate of Mary Fitzgerald - Eileen
Wednesday	18 Oct	8.00am	Members of the Minton & Flewin Family - F.M. (NB. EARLY Mass today)
		2.30pm	SENIOR PARISHIONER'S TEA PARTY ST LUKE- EVANGELIST
		6.00pm	- 7.00pm CONFIRMATION CLASS
Thursday	19 Oct	9.00am	Sean Quigley RIP - Mary McGlynn & Family
Friday	20 Oct	8.15am	DARENT VALLEY HOSPITAL: Private Intention
		9.00am	Theresa Weston RIP - Eileen Mahon
		10.00am	- 3.00pm Junior Club (Chislehurst Caves)
		7.00pm	- 9.00pm - Senior Club (Pizza Hut)
Saturday	21 Oct	10.00am	Imelda Lohan - Anne McGloin OUR LADY
		2.00pm	Baptisms: <i>Lilly Scarlett & Joshua Taylor Walker</i>
		6.30pm	FIRST MASS OF SUNDAY: Keith Blacker RIP - Enda Blacker
Sunday	22 Oct	9.00am	Paul Owa RIP - ACCA of St Vincent
		11.00am	FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE PARISH <u>29th SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (A)</u>
		5.00pm	Mary & Joe Goulding - The Pike Family

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: 15.10.17 Team'C' (African Community), 24.10.17 Team'D' (L Hovell, P Wall)

ADMISSION TO RECEPTION CLASS FOR SEPTEMBER 2018: If you have a child born between 1/9/13 and 31/8/14 you can apply for a place in the Reception Class at St Anselm's Catholic Primary School. You will need to complete a **Supplementary Information Form (SIF)**. The SIF is available from the school office or you can download a copy from the school website www.st-anselms.kent.sch.uk. All completed SIF's must be submitted to St Anselm's Catholic Primary School by the 15th January 2018. You will also need to complete a local authority **online application form** via www.kent.gov.uk/ola. The online application process opens on 6th November 2017 and closes on 15th January 2018. **Please note both forms must be completed.** **An Admission Meeting will be held on Monday 6th November 2017 at 10.00am in the school hall.** Mrs White, the Headteacher will explain the admissions process and talk about the school. **if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the School Office**

PARISH in COUNCIL MEETING: I would like to thank everyone who attended the Parish in Council meeting last Sunday. From the attached report, one is able to see the progress that we have made as a Parish, and continue to look forward to building the Parish community.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Today Sunday at the 11.00am Mass an Enrollment Service will be held for would be first communicants. Having finished a series of five talks for parents now it is the turn of the children to commence the preparation for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Eucharist. This programme starts with an Enrollment Service for the children. After the enrollment the parents will pledge their support to assist their child or children in the preparations.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: (2ND COLLECTION for MISSIO) MISSIO is the Church's official organ for the support of foreign missions. The collection taken on World mission Sunday goes in its entirety to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young and poor. MISSIO works through local bishops, Churches and missionary congregations to ensure that resources are distributed equitably and justly on the basis of need. The money goes directly from England and Wales to the bishops in the mission territories, local churches, directly helping local church. THE COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE NEXT WEEKEND.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR (Saturday 11th Nov 2017 12-4pm) See attached poster. A very Special Christmas Bazaar Draw will start from next weekend.

FLORENCE USHER: Florence would like to thank all those who supported her on her Marathon run for Peru. Most of the sponsor money has come in. We will be able to give you the final figure in next week's newsletter.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE & CONGRESS: The Eucharistic Congress will take place from 7th -9th Sept 2018. The theme is, "I am the Bread of Life". We are looking for **two volunteers to represent the Parish**.

RED BOXES: Would red box holders kindly bring in their boxes. Anyone who has a problem can ring Valerie on 07810833326 or email: vhammond@sky.com and she will collect.

Last week's Offertory: 12.10.17 - £ 1129.43