



ST ANSELM'S NEWSLETTER

10 February 2019
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C)

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PARISH TEAM

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Assistant Priest:

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Parish Evangelisation

Coordinator:

Susan Cawley

Parish Administrator:

Safira Viegas

Safeguarding

Representatives:

Rita Khokhar and
Vincentinha Rebelo

NOTE: In case you are admitted to hospital, In light of data protection please indicate on entering hospital that your details are to be passed to the RC Chaplain. State that you would like the RC Chaplain to visit you.

SUNDAY

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time:
Mass Books 133-135

NEXT SUNDAY:

Jeremiah 17:5-8;
Psalm 1:1-4; 1
Corinthians 15:12,16-20;
Luke 6:17, 20-26

PLANNING TO GET MARRIED IN THIS COUNTRY OR ABROAD,

You Must Make Contact with **Fr George Thayriam S.J.** 6 Months before the Date for Your Wedding

MASS INTENTIONS: 10 FEBRUARY – 17 FEBRUARY

Saturday	12 noon	Special Intention
Saturday	6.30 pm	Josinho & Sapiencia Fernandes (R.I.P)
Sunday	8.00 am	Gerard Webb (R.I.P)
Sunday	9.45 am	Peter John (R.I.P)
Sunday	11.30 am	Thanksgiving to St. Anthony & Holy Family
Sunday	6.30 pm	People of the Parish
Monday	9.15 am	Selma Pires & Family (souls in purgatory)
Tuesday	8 am	Mena (Thanksgiving & for good health)
Wednesday	8 am	Selma Pires & Family (Thanksgiving)
Thursday	in the Parish Centre	Mena (Thanksgiving)
Friday		Eulalia Dias & Family (Thanksgiving to St. Jude)
Saturday	12 noon	Special Intention
Saturday	6.30 pm	Ashley & Jasba Camelo (Thanksgiving)
Sunday	8.00 am	People of the Parish
Sunday	9.45 am	Vincent Da Silva & family (Good health)
Sunday	11.30 am	Iris & Peter Correia (Thanksgiving)
Sunday	6.30 pm	Mathai Thomas (R.I.P)
Sunday	6.30 pm	People of the Parish

PARISH DIARY

Sunday: 4.30pm Holy Hour
5.30pm Novena

Tuesday: 7.45 pm AA Meeting

Wednesday: 6.00pm Charismatic Meeting

Thursday: 2-3pm Tamil Novena

Friday: 6:00 pm Legion of Mary

Saturday: 4:00pm Konkani Mass

Sunday: 3:00 pm Malayalam Mass
4.30pm Holy Hour
5.30pm Novena

Collections: Offertory: £1887.87;

CAFOD: £10.00

Today: Collection for Racial Justice.

NOTICES

On Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th February, Stephanie Beech from Jesuit Missions will be visiting St Anselm's Parish to make their annual appeal. Jesuit Missions supports the efforts of the Jesuits and their partners who work with vulnerable and marginalised people in 21 counties across Africa, Asia and Latin America. Jesuit Missions Gift Aid envelopes will be available on the day.

Church Cleaning Team 3: Saturday 16 February; Chris, Sharitha, Ana Joaquina, Danny Cardozo & Bellma Rodrigues.

Funeral Mass of Arthur McKenzie on Monday 11th February 2019 at 12 noon followed by burial at Greenford Park Cemetery at 1.30 pm.

The Church Will Be Closed For Building Works: Mass will be celebrated at 8 a.m. in the Church on Tuesday 12 February after which the church will be closed. Mass will be celebrated Wednesday 13 - Friday 15 February at 8 a.m. in the Parish Centre. The church will reopen mid-morning on Saturday 16 February and will be open over the weekend for Sunday Masses. It will be closed again from Monday 18 - Friday 22 February and on these days Mass will be celebrated at 8 a.m. in the Parish Centre. It will reopen mid morning on Saturday 23 February.

RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults - for adults wishing to be baptised and received into the Catholic Church) If you have ever wondered about what it is like to be a Catholic, come along to our Saturday evening meeting which takes place after the 6.30 Mass. We meet to help each other along, on our faith journey, discovering a more personal relationship with God who invites us to be part of the Catholic community, responding to the needs of our world.

If you have any questions or would like to know more about becoming a catholic, contact Sue in the Parish Office or by ring 0208 574 3300 /07305 269 289 to speak to her. You can also email her on susancawley@rcdow.org.uk

The big Sleepout is coming to Southall: This event is being hosted in the church in

COUNSELLING IN ST ANSELMS:

Fr Thayriam is available to provide a counselling service in our parish. If you would like to meet with him please contact the Rectory or email thayriam123@gmail.com or phone 0208 574 3300 / 07405438543

BAPTISM PREPARATION PROGRAMME:

Sunday 10 March, 2 - 4 p.m. In the Rectory. Parents please bring a copy of your baptism certificate with you.

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW LIVING WITH DOMESTIC ABUSE?

You have a right to be free and safe. For confidential advice and support call: 08082000247. freephone 24 Hour National Domestic Violence Helpline, run in partnership between Women's Aid and Refuge.

YOUNG ADULTS OF ST ANSELM'S

meet every Sunday after 6:30pm mass. Please do join us.

support of Hope for Southall Street Homeless. More details and how to support the event will be available, shortly. If you are interested in participating in the Sleepout, contact Sue in the Parish Office on 0208 574 3300 or 07305 269 289 or by email: susancawley@rcdow.org.uk

On 15 March 2019, we will be grabbing a sleeping bag, braving the cold and sleeping out in the car park at St. Anselm's Church. Support us by joining us and getting sponsorship, or by donating via this link: <https://mydonate.bt.com/fundraisers/hssh>

Hope for Southall Street Homeless based in the heart of Southall, this fantastic charity provides temporary accommodation, expert advice and advocacy for vulnerable and isolated people as well as access to a day centre, aimed at helping people to (re)discover different skills.

Meeting of the Christian Network Against Caste Discrimination Monday, 11th February 2019 from 2pm - 4.30pm, St. Anselm's Parish Centre

Update on UK Caste legislation The British Government has acknowledged that caste-based discrimination does exist in this country. Recently, however, the government withdrew legislation to make it illegal to discriminate on the basis of caste. Meena Varma, Co-ordinator of the All Party Parliamentary Group for Dalits and Director of Dalit Solidarity Network [DSNUK] will lead a discussion on caste based discrimination in the United Kingdom, how it came about that the government withdrew the legislation and how to respond to this

Mass in Honour of Our Lady of Lourdes with Anointing of the Sick on Saturday 9th February at 2pm in Westminster Cathedral. The Sacrament of the Sick will be administered during the Mass by the bishops and priests. All are welcome, no seat reservations or tickets.

Proclaim Spring Gathering 2019: Forming Missionary Disciples, Building Missionary Parishes with Bishop John Wilson on Saturday 16th March, 9.30am - 3pm St Mark's Catholic School, Hounslow.

Welcoming The Word; Father Gerard writes: Attached to the newsletter you will find a sheet prepared by the St Beuno's Jesuit Spirituality Centre with the readings for the Feast of the Epiphany. It is offered to help people develop and maintain a personal relationship with God through Christ by praying the Word of God in advance of the Sunday liturgy. I invite you to make use of it in your homes with your families and friends or by yourself. Preparing the readings in advance of the following Sunday truly brings the Word of God alive to us when it is proclaimed on Sunday in the Church.

A group of parishioners meets on Wednesdays after Mass in the Parish Centre to pray and reflect on the readings for the following Sunday. The group will follow this useful resource and will be led by Sue Cawley, our Parish Evangelisation Coordinator.

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Is this for you OR for someone you know? St Scholastica's Retreat – Open Day – Saturday, 16th February, 2019 The Retreat offers sheltered housing to practising Catholics aged 60 or over in 36 self-contained flats at £491pcm – more information on the poster and from The Warden: Deacon Seán Duffy – Princes Risborough (01844) 344437. Email: info@stscholasticas.co.uk www.stscholasticas.co.uk

How long have you been married? If this year it is 5,10, 25, 30, 40,50, 60, 60+ years then the Cardinal is inviting you to a celebration at Westminster Cathedral at 3.00pm on Saturday 8th June to give thanks to God and to renew your vows. If you hope to go please leave your details with Safira, the Parish Administrator in the Parish Office: your names, date and church of your wedding, your address, telephone number and email address if you have one. She will send these to the Cardinal's office and they will send you a personal invitation from the Cardinal.

The protection of minors in the Church" (21-24 February 2019). Pope calls for church leaders to attend abuse summit in the Vatican. This will be the first global gathering of

bishops to discuss the worldwide scandal of abuse in the Church. The February meeting and shows that Pope Francis has made the protection of minors a fundamental priority for the Church. The meeting is not only about keeping children safe from harm worldwide. Pope Francis wants Church leaders to have a full understanding of the devastating impact that clerical sexual abuse has on victims. The Pope said: "Let it be clear that before these abominations the Church will spare no effort to do all that is necessary to bring to justice whosoever has committed such crimes. The Church will never seek to hush up or not take seriously any case. It is undeniable that some in the past, out of irresponsibility, disbelief, lack of training, inexperience, or spiritual and human short-sightedness, treated many cases without the seriousness and promptness that was due. That must never happen again. This is the choice and the decision of the whole Church. This coming February, the Church will restate her firm resolve to pursue unstintingly a path of purification. She will question, with the help of experts, how best to protect children, to avoid these tragedies, to bring healing and restoration to the victims, and to improve the training imparted in seminaries. An effort will be made to make past mistakes opportunities for eliminating this scourge, not only from the body of the Church but also from that of society. For if this grave tragedy has involved some consecrated ministers, we can ask how deeply rooted it may be in our societies and in our families. Consequently, the Church will not be limited to healing her own wounds, but will seek to deal squarely with this evil that causes the slow death of so many persons, on the moral, psychological and human levels."

Westminster Diocesan Pilgrimage led by Cardinal Vincent Nichols to Lourdes, 20-26th July 2019 by air, train or coach. More information and booking: Tel. 01732 886666 www.tangney-tours.com/westminster