

St Thomas More Bulletin for the 8th Sunday Year A

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Mass Times

Saturday 1st March

Vigil of Sunday 4.30 pm

Sunday 2nd March

9.15 am

Monday 3rd March

9.30 am at St Paul's

Tuesday 4th March

9.00 am at St Thomas More,

Wednesday 5th March

7.30 pm at St Thomas More

Thursday 6th March

9.00 am at St Thomas More

9.30am Exposition & Benediction

Friday 7th March

7.00 pm Stations of the Cross

7.30 pm at St Thomas More

Saturday 8th March

10.00 am at St Mary's

Vigil of Sunday 4.30 pm

East

Sunday 9th March

9.15 am

Mass Intentions

8th Sunday of the Year

People of the Parish

Feria

Feria

Ash Wednesday

Fast & Abstinence

Feria

Int of Tom & Judith Foxon

Feria

Feria

Peace in Syria & Middle

1st Sunday of Lent

People of the Parish

The Sacrament of Reconciliation

Available before the Saturday Vigil Mass from 4.00 pm and by appointment at any other time.

Weekend Masses at St Paul's and St Mary's

St Paul's	Saturday Vigil 6.00 pm	Sunday 9.30 am
St Mary's		Sunday 11.00 am

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1/2 March	VIGIL MASS	SUNDAY MASS
E Minister	F Cordes	M Bennett
Reader	N Byron	G Adesso
Sides Person	Mr & Mrs Harrington	Mr & Mrs Tivey
8/9 March	VIGIL MASS	SUNDAY MASS
E Minister	J Melia	A Tivey
Reader	A Davis	J Erskine
Sides Person	Mr & Mrs Bastow	D Goodliffe
Church Cleaners for March	B Pritchett, D Goodliffe, N Byron & D Lavelle	

News Items

Prayers for the Sick: Fr John, Margaret Magner, Margaret Pietryka, John Simcock, Sheila Leatherland, June DeLee, Margaret Cummins, Deirdre Dinsdale, Siobhan Grinnel-More, Roger Livens, , Frank Slattery, Teresa O'Dowd, Kath O'Dowd, Naomi Hardwick, Margaret Shaw, John Doyle, Teresa Alanach, Mrs Man-Fong, Olive Gould.

St Thomas More Good Neighbours Group Please note that if you expressed interest in joining this new initiative in the Parish then please attend a further meeting on Saturday 1st March after the 4.30 pm Mass to take matters forward.

Pancake Day 4 March. See Poster on the Notice Board. Come and enjoy Pancake Day at St Thomas More and also join in and celebrate a special birthday for Fr John. Frying commences at 6.30 pm. Envelopes are available on the table at the back of Church if you would like to make a financial gift as a thank-you to Fr John. Please return your envelope to Deacon Anthony by Sunday 2 March

Singles' Club. The next lunch will be on Sunday March 9th at The Country Cottage Hotel, Ruddington at 1.00 p.m. Please let Maureen know if you intend to come.

Mass Intentions You may have noticed that masses are being celebrated both during the week and at the weekend without a specific intention. Please consider having a mass offered for a loved one or a deceased relative or friend.

Women's World Day of Prayer. Service for Wollaton group of churches at Grangewood Methodist church on Friday March 7, 2.30p.m.

Speaker: Mrs Anne Whelpton. Refreshments

Stations of the Cross Throughout Lent Stations of the Cross will take place as follows:

Wednesday 7:30pm St Paul's

Friday 7:00pm St Thomas More (Exposition and Benediction will now be after morning Mass on Thursday)

Sunday 10:30am St Mary's

NDCYS (Nottingham Diocesan Catholic Youth Service) If you're a family with young children or teenagers and would like an 'Away Day' with a difference, Retreat Days for groups and families at The Briars may be what you're looking for. Next Day Retreats: Saturday 24th May Saturday 5th July For more information contact Bernie Walsh on:- Tel: 01773 852044 or email: bookings@ndcys.com

CAFOD 'Dig Deep' is the theme for the CAFOD Lent Fast Day this year.

On the church porch notice board today you will see the CAFOD poster asking us to 'Dig Deep' for the Lent Fast Day appeal on Friday, 14th March. Next week we will be giving out the Fast Day envelopes and prayer cards. Digging is what we are being asked to do ... dig deep into ourselves, our faith, our relationship with God and the people around us... and through the alms we give we can dig deep into our pockets!!!

Teaching Opportunities

Saint Thomas More Catholic Voluntary Academy, Leicester has vacancies for an Assistant Headteacher and a Class Teacher. Further details available from Mrs Jones, Office Manager, tel 0116 2706365, email: office@st-thomasmore.leicester.sch.uk or the school website: www.st-thomasmoreprimary.org.uk Closing date: Monday 10th March (noon).