

CAFOD Join us for an afternoon of input, reflection and prayer focusing on Blessed Oscar Romero in this Year of Mercy. Saturday, 7th May, 12.15pm– 3.30pm at Sacred Heart Parish Centre, 5 Beaudesert, Leighton Buzzard LU7 1HZ. Julian Filochowski (Romero Trust) and Deacon David Curtis will lead the day. Please bring a shared lunch. To book a place and to let us know if transport is a problem do get in touch on 01844 274723 or email: dpurfield@cafod.org.uk CAFOD are looking for volunteers who would be interested in being trained up by CAFOD to deliver in their parish and other parishes either one or a few of the following: Laudato Si' reflection sessions. Campaign events. Speaking at Mass sessions. All expenses will be met. It is a wonderful opportunity to share and empower others. If you would be interested in CAFOD's work, then please contact Deborah Purfield as above.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE INVITATION Monday, 9th May at 7.00pm, we will be celebrating our World Union of Catholic Women's Organisations service followed by Wine and Cheese, and welcome all the ladies of the Parish to join us.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL meet at 2.00pm on Tuesday, 10th May in the Sacristy at Our Lady of Peace. New members would be welcome. If you know of anyone who would like a visit from the SVP please advise Yvonne.

UPCOMING EVENT IN SUPPORT OF PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS We are seeing, in the news every day, the tragic effects of the Syrian conflict. From a distance, there seems little that we can do to help; however, this is not actually the case. We can help in a very real and comforting way. We have connected with a newly registered charity called Medical Aid and Support for Syria (MASS). Through this group we are establishing contacts with Christian Churches in the Lebanon close to the Syrian border. Regardless of their faith or nationality, these churches are supporting many refugees affected by the most dreadful and appalling persecution. We want to show them they're not forgotten, that we have them in our hearts and minds. We want to send them a message of love and support. On Friday, 13th May at 7.30pm a Novena service will take place at Our Lady of Peace Church. An Ecumenical service – everyone is welcome – to show our support of persecuted Christians in the conflict. The service will be filmed and we will send DVD's to those churches as an expression of our love and to show them that they are in our thoughts and prayers. We hope you can join us – here – on Friday 13th. Bring friends and family. The more people that are gathered – the more prayers and support we can provide. We look forward to seeing you. For more information please contact Bob Bryant: 01628 543650

BLESSING OF THE GRAVES This will take place at Slough Cemetery on Sunday, 22nd May at 2.00pm, and is an opportunity for us to pray for our deceased loved ones buried there.

VOCATIONS WEEKEND for young women (20s and 30s) Theme: Discerning God's Call in my life. Dates: 27th - 29th May. Location: Broadstairs, Kent. The weekend is organised by the sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ). There will be input from the FCJ sisters on different aspects of vowed life, and time for prayer, reflection and discussion with other young women who are also considering a vocation to religious life. It is an opportunity to live community life for a weekend and meet some sisters! For more information contact Sr Lynne fcj at lynnefcj@hotmail.com or visit our website <http://www.fcjsisters.org>



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1ST MAY 2016 (PARISH MASS BOOK PAGE 273)

PARISH FINANCES Weekend: 23rd – 24th April : Loose £755.12. Envelopes £439. Standing Orders £446. Total £1,640.12. The retiring collection for the people of the Ukraine amounted to £413.12. Many, many thanks for your generosity.

GIFT AID OFFERTORY ENVELOPES For the next week could **ALL** those who have envelopes please write your name on the envelope. Also please could those who have the following box numbers collect their boxes which are in the Sacristy in Our Lady of Peace Church. Numbers 7 and 66. If you are a UK taxpayer, you could add 25p to every £1 that you give to your Parish (at no cost to yourself) through Gift Aid. If you require any further information please ring Yvonne on 01628 605764 or email as above.

CHANGE OF MASS TIME Please note that Mass on Monday, 2nd May will be at 10.00am in Our Lady of Peace.

DECEASED Please pray for the following who died recently:
James McGrath RIP, his Requiem Mass will be in Our Lady of Peace on Tuesday, 3rd May at 9.30am.
Cornelius Restall RIP, his Requiem Mass will be in Our Lady of Peace on Monday, 9th May at 1.45pm, followed by committal at Slough Crematorium.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

PLEASE REMEMBER the sick of our Parish: Nathan Le Roux, Carole Tearle, Carol Borowski, Alison Roach, Maisie McFarlane, Simon Holwell, Florence Peters, Larry and Linda Pritchard, Mo Malone, John Norman, Ron Shaw, Sharmaine Deans, Ronald Deans, Raul Khan, Angela Brown, Hilton & Mary Hughes, Jane McMahon, Abid Ali, Joan Langer, Caroline Tembe, Joanna Deverill, Sabah Ali-Marat, Samina Jalal, James Deegan, Deacon Douglas Denny, baby Matthew William Davis, Annie Dias, Michele Di Gangi, Daisy Wingrove, Mary Morrissey, Mary Green, Michele Deluca, Marian Bellamy, Demetri Mackri, Charlie Young, Lynn Arnold, Graham Loudon, Ann Cronin, Mabel McCulloch, Phyllis Wallbank, Joanna Glowinski, Rosemary Conry, Ann Gurrie, Kathleen Jemmett, Fr David, Jerry Ellis, Francis Cashell, Jim Scott, Kathleen Richardson.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

Saturday 5.15pm-5.45pm 6.00pm	30th April Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Confessions Maisie McFarlane and Tony Byrne Intentions (Rosary Group) In thanksgiving (Walsh)
Sunday 9.00am 9.45am 11.30am	1st May St Gilbert's Our Lady of Peace St Andrew's	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Susan and Janette Jones RIP (Jones) First Holy Communion children (Rosary Group) Mother Angelica RIP (Denise, Kate & Florence) Olinda Nazareth RIP and Katie Simoes RIP Sepala & K Ratna) People of the Parish
Monday 10.00am	2nd May Our Lady of Peace	Vescia family (Foundation) Jean Conroy RIP (Potter)
Tuesday 9.30am	3rd May Our Lady of Peace	Requiem Mass James McGrath RIP
Wednesday 9.30am	4th May Our Lady of Peace	Service of Word and Holy Communion
Thursday 9.30am	5th May St Andrew's	Joanita D'Souza RIP (Almeida) Mother Angelica RIP (Rosary Group)
Friday 9.30am	6th May Our Lady of Peace	Sick & Housebound of the Parish (Foundation) Maura Potter Intentions (Rosary Group)
Saturday 11.00am 5.15pm-5.45pm 6.00pm	7th May Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace Our Lady of Peace	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD First Holy Communion Mass Confessions Danny Smith RIP (Kathleen) Eugene O'Driscoll RIP & Robert Ferguson Int
Sunday 9.45am 11.30am	8th May Our Lady of Peace St Andrew's	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD Mary Lawlor RIP (4 th Anniversary) (Lawlor) The Rosary Group (Denise) People of the Parish George Attride RIP (Deignan) John Carmichael RIP



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CHILDREN WHO MAKE THEIR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ON SATURDAY, 7TH MAY 2016

Olaniran Abomide, Koyenum Adoh, Louis Basey, Lewis Clarke, Aine Conlon, Stefan Gaweda, Grace Goddard, Oliver Griffiths-Nieto, Marcel Guzynski, Paige Hosking, Anthony Joce-Boland, Taylah Joce-Butler, Annrose Kuthokathen, Maiya Lye, Louie McGrory, Ciara McNulty, Felix Norman, Lucia Norman, Willow Norman, Nicholas Puczc, Sara Maria Rendon Olaya, Daniel Rossiter, Aedan Sharp, Jessica Udell, Elise Zethofer-Knowles, Olivia Zielinska

Please continue to pray for our children so that they will grow in their appreciation of the Sacraments of Confession and Holy Communion.

CONGRATULATIONS to Dorian Kasprzyk who is to be Baptised on Monday, 2nd May, and to Clara Akehurst and Penny Whattle who are to be Baptised on Saturday, 7th May. Please pray for their parents, grandparents and Godparents.

READERS & EXTRAORDINARY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA 7th – 8th May

Saturday 6.00pm Patsy Murphy and Mike Connolly.

Sunday 9.45am Readers : Edward Agbaje and Anna Goldberg.

Eucharist Ministers : Jennifer Ossei-Williams, Maura Potter, Andrea Barry, Lisa Mennone, Pearl Eatwell.

14th – 15th May

Saturday 6.00pm Patsy Murphy and John Barry.

9.45am Readers : Denise McClintock and Robert Bryant.

Eucharist Ministers : Hadrian Lobo, Tina Koenig, Barbara Bryant, Franka Deluca, Pearl Eatwell.

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL are seeking the following positions :

- Enthusiastic, dedicated Teachers of English (2 Maternity Cover and 1 Permanent) for their successful department.
- Enthusiastic, dedicated Teacher of Science for their rapidly expanding department.
- Enthusiastic, dedicated Teacher of Maths for their successful department.

Applications to be completed by 20th May. Interviews week commencing 23rd May. School visits welcome. For further details including an application form please see School website or email : o.mcateer@st-josephs.slough.sch.uk



CONFIRMATION PROGRAM For those who have enrolled for the Sacrament of Confirmation, the seventh Session will be on Tuesday, 3rd May from 7.00pm to 8.00pm and will be held in **ST ANDREW'S** The Sacrament of Confirmation will be conferred by Bishop Peter this year on Tuesday, 21st June at 7.30pm in Our Lady of Peace.