

**STOREHOUSE FOODBANK** supplies between 4 and 8 families every day with enough food for three meals for three days. Donations can be placed in the box in Church. **Personal toiletries (incl toothpaste) Long Life milk, Pasta Sauce, Breakfast Cereals, incl porridge, tinned vegetables (incl potatoes) and biscuits, fresh sliced bread and tinned meat are needed every day.**

Thank you to all at St Edmund's for your support.

**CHURCH CLEANING.** Help is always needed. If you can help, please turn up after 07.30 Mass or after the school run. Tea/coffee and warm welcome guaranteed.



**GOING INTO HOSPITAL?** If you are, **PLEASE** let us know other-wise the Chaplain will not know you are there; the only way we can find you is if you tell us, **so please let us know if you would like a visit.** If you or one of your relatives needs a priest in an emergency, **i.e. imminent danger of death**, please ask a member of staff to ring the switchboard & bleep the Catholic Chaplain. We have the pager with us at all times.

**HELPING HANDS' GROUP** if you are, or know of anyone who is housebound, lonely or in need of practical help, shopping, changing a light bulb etc, or just a visit, or lift to the doctors., contact Sue Fullman 488147 or Mike Sinnott 764236.



**HELP NEEDED WITH CHURCH FLOWERS!**

Whether you have lots of experience, are a keen amateur, or would like to try - your help would be much appreciated by our team of arrangers at St Edmund's. Encouragement and guidance given - Please contact the Parish Office 754358.

**THE REPOSITORY** is open after Wednesday 10.00 Mass, 10.30 & 18.00 Sunday Masses for cards, statues, gifts, Sunday Missals, gifts etc.

**PARISH CLERGY:** Fr Michael Griffin *Priest in Charge*  
Fr Jay Magpuyo *Assistant Priest*  
Rev Alan McMahon *Deacon*

*Also resident in the parish:* Fr John Warrington



# St Edmund's Newsletter

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## Sunday 10th March 2019 - 1st Sunday of Lent (C)

### MASSES & SERVICES THIS WEEK

**Saturday 9th March** *(first of Mass of Sunday)* (p841)

18.00 St Edmund's Special Intention

**Sunday 10th March** **1st Sunday of Lent**

08.30 St Edmund's Sybil Durand †

10.30 St Edmund's Antoine & Victoria Desira †

10.30 Our Lady's, Lawshall Mary Josphine Dove †

**14.00** *St Edmund's Adoration & Benediction*

18.00 St Edmund's For the Parish

**Monday 11th March** **Lent Feria**

**12.30** **West Suffolk Hospital** Richard Beaumont †

**Tuesday 12th March** **Lent Feria**

09.30 St. Edmund's Robin Taylor †

**Wednesday 13th March** **Lent Feria**

10.00 St Edmund's Deceased Club Members

**11.00—12.00** *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

14.00 Our Lady's, Lawshall Kit Machatty

**Thursday 14th March** **Lent Feria**

**18.00** St Edmund's **Reconciliations & Exposition**

**19.00** St Edmund's **Bishop's Lenten Station Mass**

**Friday 15th March** **Lent Feria** **Cafod Lent Fast Day**

**10.30** St Edmund's Requiem Mass for Robin Taylor †

**19.00** St Edmund's *Stations of the Cross*

**Saturday 16th March** **Lent Feria**

10.00 St Edmund's Antony Pratt †

### MASSES AT 'MONTANA' GREAT BARTON

Sunday 10.30; Monday - Saturday 08.15;

### FORTHCOMING SPECIAL LANGUAGE MASSES

Saturday 16th March Malayalam Mass at 13.30 at St Edmund's.

Saturday 16th March Polish Mass at 16.00 at St Edmund's.

### PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH

**FOR OUR SICK:** Sue & Tony Aldous, Imelda Brown, Gerald Curry, Mark de Roeper, Mary de Roeper, Pat Dowson, Bea Edgar, Helen Edrupt, Nicolette Finch, Malcolm & Janis Fincham Jacques, Sr Flora, Marion Fitzgibbons, Winnie Gare, Louise Green, Rita Grimer, David Higgins, Patti Hickson, Jacqui Holmes, Donald Hunt, Gabrielle Lamont, Priscilla Lupton, Francis Nisbett, Stefan Oliver, Dee Peters, Richard Reid, Claire Robinson, David Smeeth-Cardy, Yohanan Suraj, Jason Stronza, Shelagh Szulc, Susan Toole, Mary Tuffen, Robert Watkinson, Pauline Wells, Romayne Wright, Jim Whyte, Thankamma Xavier. May the Lord bring them comfort and healing.

**FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR THIS WEEK.** Theresa Turner, Lawrence Lockey, Veronica Blanchard, Madeleine Grimmer, Richard Beaumont, Eleonor Nisbett Torglioni, Veronica Scanlon, George Foss, Timothy Reardon, Maria Czackowski, Peggy Whitehouse, Muriel Nunn, Jack Sanderson, Gerald Dale, Denis O'Leary, George Newcombe, Fr John McNally, Anthony Falco, Angela Morris, Jane Corbett, Reginald Olivier, Arthur Biggerstaff, Fr Frank Bullivant.

**ROBIN TAYLOR** who died recently & whose Requiem Mass will be on Friday 15th March at 10.30. May he rest in peace and the Lord comfort his family and friends.

**THANK YOU** for your generosity last week. You gave **£1461.97** in the collection and **£596** by standing orders and **£185.20** from Lawshall.



**THIS YEAR LENTEN ALMS ARE FOR 'AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED'**

**YOUR NUMBERED ENVELOPES** are now available from the church porch. If you have not yet signed a Gift Aid Declaration Form and would like to, and/or if you would like to have some numbered envelopes, or a Bank Standing Order Form, please contact the parish office. 754358.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** - Additional Eucharistic Minister Volunteers at the West Suffolk Hospital are urgently needed. If you think you are able to help with this, please speak to Fr Jay.

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Wednesday after 10.00 Mass; Saturday 10.30—11.00 & by appointment

### **MASS AT THE WEST SUFFOLK HOSPITAL**

Beginning Monday 11th March, every Monday Mass will be at 12.30 at the Hospital

### **THIS WEEK'S DIARY**

**SUNDAY 10th MARCH** *PLEASE TAKE A CAFOD ENVELOPE HOME WITH YOU TODAY.*

**ST EDMUND'S SOCIAL CLUB** in the Crypt.

Bar open 12.00 - 14.00 & 19.30 - 23.00.

**WEDNESDAY 13th MARCH**

**16.30 CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP** meet in the Presbytery.

**THURSDAY 14th MARCH**

**18.00 CONFESSIONS** and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until

**19.00 BISHOP'S LENTEN STATION MASS** followed by Soup in the Crypt

**FRIDAY 15th MARCH**

**CAFOD LENT FAST DAY** when we eat/buy less and give what we have saved to those less fortunate than ourselves via the second collection this weekend.

**09.00 - 11.00 ST EDMUND'S PARENT & TODDLER GROUP** in the Crypt (during term time). Parents/Carers & Toddlers, why not come and join the fun? Just turn up - £1 per session.

**ST EDMUND'S SOCIAL CLUB** in the Crypt. Bar open 19.30 - 23.00. Darts 20.00

**SATURDAY 16th MARCH**

**19.00 - 23.00 THE CRYPT SESSIONS - DJ nights** in the Crypt. Come along to hear and dance along to some great music £3 entry All proceeds to charity. Details from [l.green125@btinternet.com](mailto:l.green125@btinternet.com)

**SUNDAY 17th MARCH**

**14.00 BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE** in the Presbytery

**ST EDMUND'S SOCIAL CLUB** in the Crypt.

Bar open 12.00 - 14.00 & 19.30 - 23.00. Bingo 19.30

### **ST EDMUND'S SOCIAL CLUB**

**MEMBERS' MEETING** - Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March, 19.30 in the Crypt. An opportunity for you all to come along and share your thoughts and ideas for your Social Club.

**THE CHRIS HARDING MEMORIAL QUIZ** – Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 19.30 in the Crypt. Teams of up to 4 £20.00 per team. All proceeds will go to The Alzheimer's Society in Chris' memory, we hope to make this an annual event Contact Yvonne 0771 8047684