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THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 10 FEBRUARY 2019

Church Cleaning: Week 2

Divine Office: Week 1

SATURDAY	Eve of the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	(Int: Pro Pop)	Mass at 6.00 pm.
SUNDAY	THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	<i>Melksham</i>	Mass at 9.00 am.
		(Int: Eddie Keevan & Euge Donegan)	Mass at 11.00 am.
MONDAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time		Mass at 10.00 am.
TUESDAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time		Mass at 7.00 pm.
WEDNESDAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time	(Int: Kitty Ryan, RIP)	<i>Melksham</i> Mass at 10.00 am.
THURSDAY	FEAST OF SAINTS CYRIL, MONK, AND METHIDIUS (Rosary at 9.40 am)		Mass at 10.00 am.
FRIDAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time		Mass at 10.00 am.
SATURDAY	Weekday in Ordinary Time	(Int: Mother's Prayers Group)	<i>Melksham</i> Mass at 10.00 am.
	Eve of the Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time		Mass at 6.00 pm.

Confessions from 5.30 pm to 5.50 pm and at call.

100 CLUB draw will take place in the Hall after the 11 am Mass.

MARY'S MEALS: The raffle draw took place on Sunday last. All prizes not collected on the day are displayed on a table in the Church Porch with a list of winning tickets. Please check to see if you have won. Thank you

THANKSGIVING MASS: The Mothers' Prayer group of Saint Anthony's, Melksham, invites all women in Saint Edmund's Parish to their annual Thanksgiving Mass on Saturday 16 of February at 10 am to celebrate the Joy of the Lord. Breakfast is provided in the parish hall after Mass, with a talk by Fr Gonzales, concluding with prayer and song. Everything is provided by parishioners of Saint Anthony's, so just bring yourselves.

NEXT WEEKEND marks Racial Justice Sunday, which focuses on the experiences of ethnic communities in England and Wales. It is a day on which we all called to earnestly pray for an end to racism and racial inequality in our country. The theme this year is Dignity of Work, looking at how all people must not be exploited or face discrimination and hatred in their work.

INVITATION: The Parish Community of St Nick's invites all our friends from the parishes of our diocesan family to share our joy as Bishop Declan presides at a Mass of Thanksgiving and Recommitment on the occasion of our 170th Anniversary Year on Tuesday 26th February 2019 at 7.00pm. We look forward to welcoming you, especially those who have family connections with one of the oldest parishes in our diocese. St Nicholas of Tolentino Church, Lawford's Gate, Bristol BS5 0RE (with Church car park on Pennywell Road BS5 0TJ) www.tolentino.org.uk.

DIOCESAN EVENTS:

Friday 15 February to Sunday 17 February: Young Catholic Adults Retreat at Downside Abbey. www.downsideabbey.co.uk/shop/events/monastery-events/is-the-christian-life-possible-today-young-catholic-retreat

Friday 15 February to Sunday 17 February: Vocations Weekend for young women with a theme of 'Follow your Heart - Discernment and Vocation' hosted by the Faithful Companions of Jesus Sisters, Liverpool.

Saturday 2 March: Catholic Youth Ministry Federation Flame is the biggest Catholic Youth Event in the UK. <https://cliftondiocese.com/departments/adult-education/youth-ministry/flame-2019>

Saturday 30 March: The Liturgy Office is hosting a day for Sacristans and MCs at The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beeches Green, Stroud. This day should be of interest to existing sacristans and MCs, both new and 'well seasoned', and those who may wish to know more about what these ministries entail. The day will begin with Mass at 10am and will be led by Paul Moynihan, Master of Ceremonies for Cardinal Vincent Nichols at Westminster Cathedral. Refreshments will be provided but participants will need to bring their own lunch. There is no charge for this day which will end at 3pm. Further information can be obtained from Doreen Wyatt on 0117 902 5595 and registration is through adult.education@cliftondiocese.com.

Wednesday 24 July to Friday 2 Aug: Young Catholic Holy Land Pilgrimage arranged by Downside Abbey & Diocese.

Monday 12 August to Friday 23 August: Diocesan Summer Camps for young people. See Youth Ministry pages on www.cliftondiocese.com.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS all who are unwell or housebound, especially those members of our parish, including Florence Bampton, Kevin Bewley, Teresa Bowyer, Christopher Browne, Teresa Collar, Kathleen Drury, Margaret Heard, Teresa Hickling, Michael McNiff, Maggie Murray, Audrey Tickner and Elizabeth Wilkins. If you know a parishioner who is unwell or housebound please inform Fr Vincent.