

# SAINT EDMUND'S PARISH – CALNE

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## THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 24 FEBRUARY 2019

**Church Cleaning: Week 4**

**Divine Office: Week 3**

SATURDAY Eve of the Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Mass at 6.00 pm.**

SUNDAY **THE SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

*Melksham Mass at 9.00 am.*

MONDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

**Mass at 11.00 am.**

TUESDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

**Mass at 10.00 am.**

WEDNESDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

(Int: Alice & Arthur Curtis)

**Mass at 7.00 pm.**

THURSDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time (Rosary at 9.40 am) (Int: Kevin McGordrick)

**Mass at 10.00 am.**

**Funeral Service for Tanisha Sharon Baverstock at 2.00 pm.**

FRIDAY FEAST OF SAINT DAVID

**Mass at 10.00 am.**

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SATURDAY Weekday in Ordinary Time

*Melksham Mass at 10.00 am.*

Eve of the Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Mass at 6.00 pm.**

Confessions from 5.30 pm to 5.50 pm and at call.

**MARY'S MEALS:** The raffle raised £214.65 (with a small donation) and a cheque has been sent to the charity. Money received by the charity will be doubled by the British government up until Easter. Thank you again.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** (formerly Women's World Day of Prayer) will be held this year at St Mary's Church, Calne, on Friday 1 March at 10.30 am. The service has been prepared by Christian women of Slovenia, who are relatively new to the WDP movement and the theme is "Come – Everything is Ready." All welcome.

**FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT** runs from 25 February to 10 March. Use this opportunity to support our Traidcraft stall that supports producers in marginalised communities across the world and, through the Doorway drop-in centre in Chippenham, those in our own community who are homeless, sofa surfing, or who have difficulty sustaining a tenancy.

**Calne Big Fairtrade Event** takes place on Saturday 2 March at the Library, between 4.30 and 7.30 pm celebrating 40 years of fair-trade in the UK. The event includes refreshments, fair-trade stalls, fair-trade film 'She Deserves a Living Income', a fair-trade sketch by the Calne Players, and a fair-trade Cake competition. Further details, and rules for entering the Cake Competition, at [www.calnefairtrade.org.uk](http://www.calnefairtrade.org.uk).

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:** The next session will be held on 3 March during the 11am Mass. All children are welcome and parents can accompany them if preferred. It would be good to have some more helpers. Please talk to Teresa Quinn or Father Vincent if you are interested.

**NATIONAL NOVENA TO SAINT JOSEPH** takes place from 10 to 18 March at Saint Joseph's, Maidenhead and Herbert House, Liverpool. You are invited to send your petitions and request a Novena booklet so you can join in from home by praying the daily Novena prayer. Details on the notice board in the porch.

**LENT LECTURE SERIES "FIVE TO MIDNIGHT – ACTION FOR HOPE"** on Climate Change, The Environment and Sustainable Living is organised by Calne Partnership of Churches. First keynote lecture is "Climate Change – Action for Hope" given by Rt Rev'd Nicholas Holtam, Bishop of Salisbury, on Monday 11 March at 7.30 pm in our Church. All welcome. See the poster in the porch for full programme details throughout March and early April.

**LENT COURSE "THE JOY OF HOPE"** is an inspiring and practical new filmed course from the CaFE production team. Filmed on the holy Greek island of Patmos where Scripture says St John had a life-changing revelation of heaven, it is presented by CaFE Director David Payne, whom some of you have heard and enjoyed in previous courses. There will be light refreshments, a short video, discussion and prayer in the parish hall on Thursday evenings during Lent from 7.30-9.00 pm on 14, 21, 28 March and 4 April. All welcome

### DIOCESAN EVENTS:

**Saturday 30 March:** Day for Sacristans and MCs at The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beeches Green, Stroud, starting with Mass at 10am. Refreshments provided but bring your own lunch. Further information Doreen Wyatt on 0117 902 5595 and registration is through [adult.education@cliftondiocese.com](mailto: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](http://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, Elizabeth Wilkins and Tanisha Baverstock (RIP). If you know a parishioner who is unwell or housebound please inform Fr Vincent.