



St Teresa's, Beaconsfield & St Dunstan's, Bourne End



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Clergy Moves

As you know, Fr Francis will be moving to Milton Keynes in September, where he will be drawing together five existing parishes into one new pastoral unit with a team of four priests, two deacons and a religious sister. Fr Sean Healy, who is currently in Daventry and was the Parish Priest in Burnham for many years, will be coming to replace him, along with Fr Shyju Chacko. Fr Francis' last weekend with us will be 16th/17th September when there will be refreshments and a chance to say farewell after each of the weekend Masses at St Teresa's. At St Dunstan's, we will do the same after 10 am Mass on Sunday, 10th September.



Catholic? Going to University this year?

Make sure you look out for your Catholic Chaplaincy. Most of our universities and higher education institutions have a dedicated Catholic chaplain based in the university or local parish. The Catholic chaplaincy is a place to explore your faith as a young adult and to meet other young people with similar interests from a range of backgrounds. To find your local chaplaincy and for contact details of all the university chaplains and Catholic student services, please visit: www.catholicsatuniversity.org.uk



St Dunstan's Reading Group

is taking a break over the summer. The group will meet again on Thursday, 14th September when they will discuss 'When Breath Becomes Air' by Paul Kalanithi. All are welcome to come along.

Lighthouse Lost Property

If your child left anything behind at the Lighthouse summer camp last week, lost items have been stored in the Fitzwilliams Centre at St Mary's Church in Beaconsfield Old Town and are ready for collection! Please contact St Mary's church office on 01494 676690 to arrange collection. Any items not reclaimed by the beginning of September will be donated to charity.



One Can Trust

Summer is here and many of you are looking forward to going away on a well-earned holiday. Before you go, please spare a thought for parents of children who would normally take free school lunches and now have to provide for this over the long holiday. Please consider putting any of the following into the red basket at the back of St Teresa's church or shopping trolley at St Dunstan's:

- Tinned fruit
- Tinned custard or rice pudding
- Jelly/Angel Delight
- Tinned meat pies
- Tinned & packed mashed potatoes
- Pasta sauce

Many thanks for all your kind support. Please ensure that all donated items have long expiry dates or are at least in date!!



London Run

Please could all food donations to the London Run be items that are easily opened by hand and that can be immediately consumed with no preparation, as they are distributed to people living on the streets. Very many thanks for your ongoing generosity.

Bucks Historic Churches Trust - Ride & Stride

The annual sponsored Ride & Stride in aid of the Bucks Historic Churches Trust will take place on Saturday, 9th September between 10 am and 6 pm. The objective of the Ride is to assist the preservation of our historic churches and chapels of all denominations, whilst at the same time enabling those participating to have an enjoyable and interesting day out - either by bicycle, horse or on foot!

Both of our parishes will be welcoming people and a list of other participating churches and sponsorship forms can be found at the back of each church.



Luther 500: Shaping the Modern World

A series of events in the churches of Beaconsfield to mark the 500th anniversary of Martin Luther's protest which sparked the 16th century Protestant Reformation will be held on five consecutive Saturdays, beginning on 14th October at the United Reformed Church in Aylesbury End. The talks will be held from 10 am until midday, breaking at 11 am for refreshments. Breakfast will be available from 9 am and there will also be illustrated lunchtime talks on the music of the Reformation. Details on the whole series of talks are available from the church notice boards.

Catholic Social Action Network

is an agency of the Bishops' Conference, which seeks to promote social justice, particularly for the poor and vulnerable in the UK. They are holding a Conference which is designed as an informative and encouraging day for volunteers with interactive workshops on formation, missional communities and ways to connect our faith-based sources to lasting change. The conference will be held at CCLA, 85 Queen Victoria Street, London on Friday, 29th September from 9.30 am to 5 pm. For those who wish to attend, Mass will be celebrated nearby at 9 am. Confirmed keynote speakers include Paul Hackwood (Director, Church Urban Fund) and Baroness Shirley Williams, bringing their own perspective on the challenges and rewards of faith-based social action. For tickets and the agenda, please visit www.eventbrite.co.uk

Money Matters

- Last weekend's collection at St Teresa's amounted to £1,938.75, including £1,100 in standing orders.
- Last Sunday's collection at St Dunstan's amounted to £583.80, including £220 in standing orders.

Many thanks

Young Catholic Adult Weekend

Are you aged 18-40? Do you want to deepen your knowledge of the Catholic faith, learn its devotions and meet like minded people? Young Catholic Adults are organising a weekend at Douai Abbey in Berkshire from 20th to 22nd October. You'll be able to hear catechetical talks, learn how to sing Gregorian Chant, say the Rosary, socialise and have fun. Book soon as places are limited!

Prices start from £18.50. To book, please visit:

v1.bookwhen.com/youngcatholicadults-douai2017

For updates, visit:

youngcatholicadults-latestnews.blogspot.co.uk or

www.youngcatholicadults.co.uk/events.htm.

Pastoral Listening with Prayer Ministry Course

This course is ideal for all those who find themselves working in a context where they accompany a diverse range of people and would like to develop their listening skills, grow their understanding of discernment and become more confident in offering prayer ministry. The course will run

for 6 sessions: 9.30am-2.30pm from 5th September to 12th October and will take place

at the Wycombe Homeless Connection offices, 8 Castle Street, High Wycombe, Bucks HP13 6RF. The total cost of the course is £75. Further details available from the back of church. Please note that places are limited and booking is available on line at www.pelagos.co.uk



Catholic Singles

is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information visit www.catholicssingles.org.uk or tel. 0161 941 3498.

LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK - Year A (Matthew)

Twentieth Sunday of the Year

5.30 pm	St Teresa's	<i>Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession</i>
6 pm (Sat)	St Teresa's	Mass: Daniel Doherty RIP John Lurvey RIP
8.45 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Madge & John O'Connor RIP May & Jim Dineen RIP
10 am	St Dunstan's	Mass: Francis Regan RIP
11.30 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Skye Wilsnagh RIP

Monday

9.30 am **St Pius X** St Teresa's *Word & Communion*

Tuesday

9.30 am **The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary** St Dunstan's Mass: Special Intention

Wednesday

9.30 am St Teresa's *Word & Communion*

Thursday

9.30 am **St Bartholomew** St Teresa's Mass: Special Intention

Friday

9.30 am St Teresa's Mass: Holy Souls
9.30 am St Dunstan's Mass: Private Intention

