

JOB OPPORTUNITIES in CATHOLIC SCHOOLS & ORGANISATIONS:

Please see notice board in church entrance for info on all current positions.

Parish Gift Aid	Michael H. Jones	T: 020 8780 2328
The Offertory Collection last weekend amounted to: £619.76 – Many thanks <i>(This does not include £1,450 per month from standing orders).</i>		
The Retiring Collection this weekend is for a Financial Appeal towards the cost of the recent re-decoration of our church.		
The Retiring Collection next week will be for an Appeal by the Missionary Sisters for the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mother of Christ.		

Masses & Services for this weekend:			12/13 May 2018
(Sat) 12 May	Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Eamon McCluskey Snr (2 nd Anniversary)
Sun 13 May	Family (Sung)Mass Polish Mass	8.30am 10.30am 12.45pm	Peri & the Holy Souls People of the Parish
Day		Time	Intention
Mon 14	St Matthias	*9.30am	Holy Communion Service
Tues 15 May	Feria	*9.30am 10-10.30am	Holy Communion Service Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for quiet prayer.
Wed 16	St Simon Stock	*9.30am	Holy Communion Service
Thurs 17	Feria	*9.30am	Holy Communion Service
Fri 18	Feria	*9.30am	Holy Communion Service
Sat 19	Feria	*9.30am	Holy Communion Service
Next Weekend:		19/20 May	Sunday Masses – Pentecost Sunday (B)
(Sat) 19	Vigil Mass	6.00pm	Julian Dowmunt-Iwaszkiewicz (10 th Anniversary)
Sun 20 May		8.30am	Intentions of the Jacobs Family
Family (Sung) Mass		10.30am	People of the Parish
Confession on Saturdays: 10am-10.30am and 5.30pm-5.45pm or just ask. <i>* Please note that there is no 9.30am Mass on Mon, Tues, Weds, Thurs, Fri & Sat of this week; instead Prayers, Readings and Communion.</i>			

**CATHOLIC PARISH OF CHRIST THE KING
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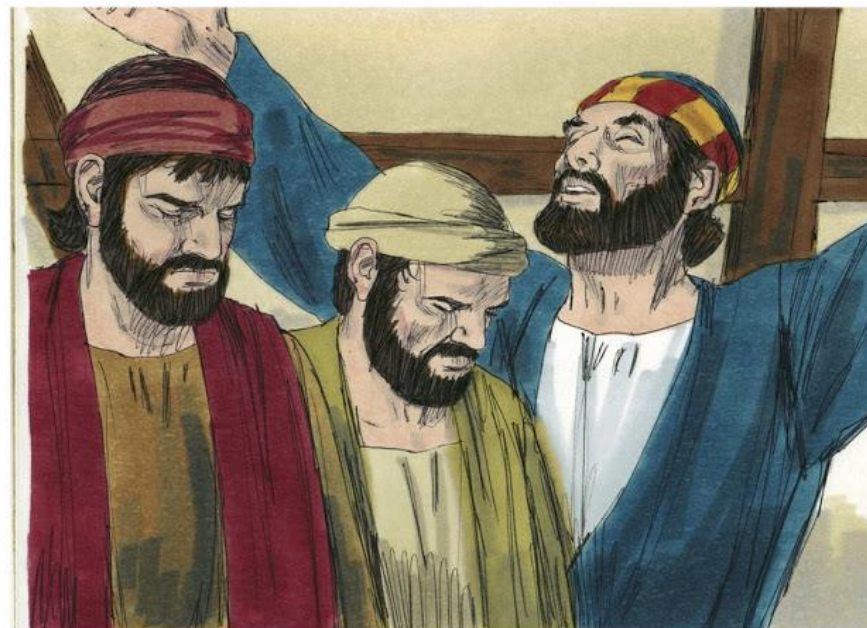
Wed/Thurs/Fri 10.00a.m. - 3.00 p.m.

e.g. for Hall Bookings etc.

Safeguarding: Call 07927 123 926



**13th May 2018
Seventh Sunday of Easter Year (B)**



UPDATE ON FR ANTHONY: Fr Anthony has come through his heart valve operation very well. He is returning to the parish to continue his recuperation this Monday. He will be holding the meeting for First Holy Communion parents on Monday evening but will not be carrying out any other parish work until further notice. He is not allowed to drive for 6 weeks after the operation. **Fr Michael Holman SJ** from Wimbledon will continue to supply here for WEEKENDS during Fr Anthony's recuperation. Fr Michael will be here on Weekends, First Confessions, maybe First Communion, Confirmation, Baptisms and Funerals will be covered as well as Baptism Preparation. Please watch the newsletter so you are not caught out by changes. **In an Emergency** the Jesuits are happy to be called. Fr Michael's mobile: 07816 872 592. Jesuit Community: 020 8947 8294.

COELIAC hosts are available at each Mass in a pyx beside Fr Anthony/Fr Michael

FINANCIAL APPEAL: This weekend, 12/13 May, our Parish Treasurer, **Margaret Pedder, will be making a financial appeal.** There will also be a one-off **Retiring Collection** to raise funds towards the cost of the recent re-decoration of the interior of the church. The total cost of the work was £18,928, which compares very favourably with the last time the church was re-decorated in 2005, when the decoration cost over £25,000.

Please give generously. If you are not at mass, but would like to send a donation, bank transfers can be made to Christ The King Church, Sort code: 60-50-01, Account number: 36006076. The reference should be your name, followed by GA if you are a member of the gift aid scheme. For anyone not currently a member of our Gift Aid scheme please consider using one of the special white Gift Aid envelopes available from the newsletter tables for your donation.

RE-SCHEDULING OF SECOND COLLECTION FOR WORLD

COMMUNICATIONS DAY – Please note that this Collection has been rescheduled to the Weekend of **2/3 June 2018**. For anyone with special Gift Aid Envelopes please hold on to them and bring them in on 2/3 June.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION: The nineteenth Preparation Session, 'Sacrament of Reconciliation - 2', for those enrolled, will take place this **Sunday 13 MAY**. The last meeting for FHC Parents will be this **Monday 14 May at 8pm in the Hall** – please note the date in last week's newsletter was incorrect. **Fr Anthony is returning especially to hold this meeting.**

CONFIRMATION: Confirmation is scheduled for **Saturday 9 June 2018 at 6pm** with the **Retreat** taking place **THIS Friday 18 May – Sunday 20 May**. The **sixth preparation session**, for those enrolled, will take place **this Thursday 17 May at 8.15-9.15pm in the Hall**.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Baptism dates and Preparation Sessions for 2018 are listed in the porch.
Confirmation Ceremony – Sat 9 June at 6.00pm Mass
First Holy Communion Ceremony – Sun 24 June at 10.30am Mass.

RETIRING COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND of 19/20 May: Next weekend we welcome **Sr Sebastian from the Congregation of the Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mother of Christ**. She will be speaking at all masses about the work of the Sisters and to appeal for some financial help as they are part of the Missionary Church here in England & Wales.

INVITATION FROM THE CARMELITESTO THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF ST JUDE TO A SUMMER CELEBTATION ON 26 MAY 2018:

The Summer Celebration will include an outside Mass, a Saint Jude procession, a chance to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation, meet some friars, and purchase some items from the Shrine Shop, an opportunity to light a candle and to pray and leave intentions at the Shrine of St Jude. Timetable starts at 11.00am finishing with open air mass starting at 13.30pm followed by the Procession and prayers. The Shrine is at: 34 Tanners Street, Faversham, Kent, ME13 7JW. All Welcome!

SPANISH EXCHANGE? Would anyone be interested in an exchange visit with an 11-year old Spanish girl who would like to spend a fortnight in London or June or July? The Spanish family would entertain the English girl for a similar period. If interested please contact John Pedder who knows the family well on 020 8946 4458 or 07775 858 293.

BOOKING OUR HALL: For those of you who are not aware, our hall, (with full kitchen facilities), is available for bookings. It is particularly popular for children's parties, meetings, music concerts, family lunches/teas etc... Our rates are the most reasonable of any halls in the area - £20 per hr for leisure bookings of parishioners of CTK and £25 for non-parishioners or parishioners booking for business purposes. *So, please do consider using the hall, you will be having fun whilst supporting your parish! Bookings can be made via the Parish Office.*

NEW PARISHIONERS Welcome. Please take a **Parish Directory Leaflet** (light blue). Ask a Welcomer. Also please complete a **Parish Registration Form**, available from the church entrance and return it to the Presbytery letter box at 9 Crescent Gardens, just around the corner.

BAPTISMS: Please see Fr Michael. Please see poster in lobby for dates for 2018.

MARRIAGES: Please give at least six months' notice.