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Sunday 12th March 2017

2nd Sunday of Lent

MINISTERIES

Week beginning Monday 13th March 2017

Cleaning June Parrington, Eileen Hulton, Audrey O'Malley

Readers Sat Phil Mooney **Sun** Catherine Gunn

Eucharistic Ministers Sat Audrey O'Malley, Andy Dineen, Celia Dineen, Julie Brookes **Sun** Eleanor Lambe, Gabrielle Rogers, Jo Horrocks-Potts, John Brown **Offertory Procession** Sat Eve / Di **Sun** Nott Family **Music 3rd Week** Sat 6.00pm **Sun 10.00am**

Children Liturgy Debbie **Flowers** Margaret & Veronica

SERVICES THIS WEEK Mass Mon.9.00am,Tue. 9.00am, Wed. 9.00am, Thu.9.00am, Fri **8.15am (in St. Mary's School).** Sat. 6.00pm, Sun 10.00am. **Reconciliation Sat. 10.30 - 11.00am**

OFFERTORY COLLECTION. 12th February 2017 Gift Aid £420 Loose £310. Total £ 730. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS Margaret Bolton (3) , For all who died in the Zebrugger Disaster, Gary Cumberland.

BLACKBURN FOOD BANK. The request this week is for tinned meat (especially corned beef) ,tinned veg, long life milk plus the usual items. The box is in the church porch. Thank you for your very generous support

EDGES Meet for the last in the present series on Wednesday from 6.30 - 8.00pm.in the parish centre. Year 6 and 7 welcome. The Edges group along with a group from St. Mary's School made a significant impact on the Vocations Mass held in St. Joseph's Blackburn last Wednesday.

200 CLUB DRAW Congratulations to the winners in this months draw. £50 204 Kath Kinney. £25 108 Brian Lloyd. £15 31 Agnes & Frank Corban. £10 133 K. Lord.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S. Thank you for your support for the coffee morning and fund raising last Sunday which raised **£1,260. Magnificent.** If you have any petitions you would like them to take to Lourdes at Easter then put them through the letter box. Also if you want them to light a candle put the money in an envelope marked "Candle" and put that through the letter box.

KEEPING IN TOUCH GROUP would like to thank all who donated to and supported their coffee morning. A successful and happy occasion which raised **£362.80p.** Thank you for your generosity which is a great help to them in their work with the sick and housebound in our parish.

DIOCESAN ALMANACS on sale in the porch priced £3.

FRIDAY MORNING MASS for the next few week will be held in St. Mary's School at **8.15am.** A Fair-trade breakfast will be provided for the children who attend this Mass. All welcome.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST there is a basket at the back of church for the CAFOD envelopes. Thank you for your support.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are now available at the back of church. If you do not have envelopes and would like them please see Fr. Leo.

DIRECT DEBITS can be made on a monthly basis to the parish. This means you pay direct to the bank and it is credited to the parish. If you are interested further information can be obtained from Fr. Leo.

WELCOME to Gabriel Henry Howe, Emily Grace Elizabeth Moulden and Samuel Leo Heakin who are being baptised here this Sunday. We congratulate their families and friends.

ST. MARYS RAMBLERS next walk will be on Thursday 30th March. Park near the Bulls Head at 9.30am for a six mile walk around Wilpshire and Dinkley. Leaders Bernard (247570) and Chris.

We pray for Father Norman Arkwright, Jean Wilson, Joan Robson, Margaret Whip, Raymond Marsh, Linda Pannuzzo, Kathleen Gooden, Martin Gooden, Jenny Kenny, Joe Kemp, Steven Grimes, Eileen Matthews, Eamon Byrne, Nafees Bhatti, Rani Bhatti,, Bryn Roberts, Bernard Hargreaves, James Murphy, Mike Bagley, Patricia Grimshaw, Bert Handley, Joseph Smith, Michael Lupton, Harry Tomlinson, Rita Tomlinson, Megan McDonnell, Laurie Brokenshire, Anne Cunliffe, Gary Cumberland. We remember **Father Geoffrey Hilton, Roger Boyle and all who died recently** together with **Ron Elliott and** all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

"Stay with us, Lord on our journey."