

ST JOSEPH & ST FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH, RICHMOND

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 12th FEBRUARY 2012

RICHMOND

SAT (VIGIL) 6.30 pm Special Intention
SUNDAY 9.30 am Special Intention

Mon 13 February 9.30 am Communion Service
Tues 14 February 9.30 am Ss Cyril & Methodius, F – Brother Robert
Wed 15 February 9.30 am *Feria* – Brother Robert
Thu 16 February 9.30 am *Feria* – Brother Robert
Fri 17 February 9.30 am *Feria* – Brother Robert
10.00 am – 11.00 am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 18 February 9.30 am *Feria* (Special Intention - McCloskey)

Richmond: Morning Prayer 20 minutes before Mass or Communion Service.

Sun after Mass – coffee/tea in the Parish Hall
Mon 7.45 pm Rosary Group in the sacristy
Tues after Mass - SVP meeting in the sacristy
Wed after Mass – church cleaning

SICK & HOUSEBOUND: Anne Daly, Bernadette Dalby, Marjorie Baxter, Peter & Rosemary Robson, Desiree Agnew, Norman Bruce, Tommy Mackey, Phyllis Conaty, John Rees, Bill Grady, Harold Murphy, Peggy Thompson, Helen Davison, Mary Savage, Catrina Legge, Joseph Ryan, Hester Lappage, Pat Webster, Rose Jacaway, Kathy Edgley, Sheila Swinbank, Lena Codd, Rosalind Scrope, Oliver McFarlane Snr., Raymond Corbally, Eileen Tuffs, Norma White, Fr John Sansour (Paphos), Paul Walker, Gina Pavan, Joyce Conway, Bill James, Lacey Gill, Mary Hogan, William Rees, Tony Pelton, Philip & Mary Buckle, Brenda Cawley, Fred Ashcroft, Grace Brown, Win & Tom Hewitt, David Jefferson, Peter Vollborth, Dora Swainston, Brother Bartholomew Battigan OH.

RECENT DEATHS: Wasyl Bromirskyj; Alan Hall

ANNIVERSARIES: Edna Booth; Michael Healy; Thomas Marsh; Rosemary Owens

OFFERTORY COLLECTION (05 February) Richmond: £538.09p. Wycliffe £133.43 p. Thank you

This weekend we welcome Father Pat O'Neill on Saturday evening and Canon Harney on Sunday to celebrate Mass.

CAFOD This Lent, the government will match pound for pound every donation made to CAFOD. From 17th February to 17th May for this year only, every £1 donation received by CAFOD will be matched-funded by the Department for International Development (DFID). This is a unique opportunity which has the potential to enable CAFOD to help many more people.

ACAT: Javid Houtan Kian, lawyer, was arrested following his defence of Sakineh Mohammadi Ashtiani, an Iranian woman sentenced to death by stoning in 2010. He was sentenced to 11 years imprisonment and has been severely tortured over a long period in solitary confinement. Please pray for him and sign a letter asking for his release.

FEBRUARY BOOK OF THE MONTH: "Lent and Easter Wisdom from St Alphonsus Liguori" by Maurice J Nutt C.Ss.R. Cost £7.95 plus p&p. Available from Castle Hill Bookshop Tel: 01748 824243

LIFTS TO THE SURGERY: SVP members are happy to take elderly members of the congregation to the doctor/nurse/dentist etc. Sometimes we can manage a lift to a hospital too. Brian (850411) is coordinating this, so please ring him or have a word with any SVP member if you would like a lift.

PIETY STALL We would be very grateful if more volunteers could come forward to help with the Piety Stall at either Saturday evening or Sunday morning Mass. Please contact Vivien Pezzini or Pat Cooper. Many thanks.

WYCLIFFE

SUNDAY 11.30 am Special Intention

9.00 am Communion Service
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Wycliffe: Morning Prayer before Mass or Communion Service

Thurs after Mass – coffee/tea in the Parish Hall
Fri Wycliffe – Day of Prayer 10am until 5pm
Fri Richmond – Exposition 10 -11am.
Sat Sacrament of Reconciliation after morning Mass

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION Interested in learning more about the Coordinator's role? Please contact Denis (850667) **this week.**

CHURCH CLEANING this Wednesday after Mass

DIOCESAN WOMEN'S COMMISSION: Saturday 3 March 10.30 am - 1.00 pm Rev Sharon Whittington, Chaplain at St Leonard's Hospice, York will speak on "Spiritual Care at the End of Life" at St Bede's Pastoral Centre, 21 Blossom Street, York YO24 1AQ The AGM will follow at 2.00 pm -2.30 pm. Full details on the notice board.

100 CLUB NOTICE - There are now just six spare numbers, and it would be great to get them all filled, so if anyone would like one (or two), please let me know. Contact details: 'phone 01748 822831; e-mail: dave59.williams@btinternet.com; post to 21 Eastfield Avenue DL10 4NH. Thanks - *Dave Williams*

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION To begin the preparation for the First Holy Communion this year a programme of DVDs are to be shown in St Mary's RC Primary School starting on Tuesday 28th February at 5.30pm. If you would like your child to celebrate their First Holy Communion this year then please contact Father Dan. All parents and the children are invited to attend the first meeting.

THIS WEEK ONLY- All items for the bulletin to Moira by Tuesday evening please