

Our Lady of Peace & Blessed Dominic Barberi

CONFESSIONS will be heard in the confessional on the **FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH, i.e. Friday 5th March, from 6.30pm,** or by appointment



• Offertory collection 31st January:

Envelopes £151.60
Loose cash £393.73
Standing Orders £646.50
Total: £1191.83

- Special collection for Catholic Education Service raised a total of **£230.88**

Thank you for your kind donations

- Special collection NEXT Sunday 14th February is our annual collection for **Cabrini Children's Society.** DONATION ENVELOPES are available in Advent Room

The Cabrini Children's Society provides support & care for some of the most vulnerable children and young people in our community. Their work includes providing counselling for school age children experiencing stress & exclusion; residential care for young people with special needs; and catechetical programmes for children and young people with disabilities. The Society relies on the generosity and good will of the Catholic community to continue its work in our diocese. Please give what you can to help give the next generation the chance they deserve

NEWS AND FORTHCOMING EVENTS

TONIGHT!

CYGnet group: our next youth group meeting is **TODAY Sunday 7th February** in the Lady Chapel. Arrive 6.45pm to start at 7pm. Finishes at 9.15pm. Refreshments, music and fun provided. See you there



My Day By Day - Lent issue now available from the Advent Room - only **£1 per copy.** Also **Infant & Junior editions** of Lent issue - only **50p** each

MASS TIMES and DIARY 7th - 14th FEBRUARY 2010

DATE	TIME	DEDICATION	MASS INTENTION	DIARY
Sunday 7 th Feb.	9 am 11 am 5 pm	5th Sunday Ordinary Time	Joseph & Roseline Fernando Thanksgiving - safe return & health Claire Kavanagh RIP (aged 31)	7pm: CYGnet Youth Group (Lady Chapel)
Mon. 8 th	NO MASS			
Tuesday 9 th Feb.	9.20: Rosary 9.45 am		John Noonan RIP (recently deceased)	
Wednes. 10 th Feb.	9.20: Rosary 9.45 am	St. Scholastica	Hrm Luke Erede Ejohwomu; Eileen Cafferty - healing & recovery	
Thursday 11 th Feb.	9.20: Rosary 9.45 am	Our Lady of Lourdes	Harry & Dora Ward RIP (Foundation Mass)	2.45pm: Fr. A. at St. Dominic Savio 8pm: PPC meeting (D.B. Room)
Friday 12 th Feb.	9.20: Rosary 9.45 am		Holy Souls	
Sat. 13 th	NO MASS			
Sunday 14 th Feb.	9 am 11 am 5 pm	6th Sunday Ordinary Time	Kathleen Winston RIP Ibhade & Ehize Ozoh (marriage) Annick Vinet RIP	Baptism: Zoë Anne Harwood

***** CHILDREN'S LITURGY during 9am and 11am Masses each week *****

CUBS Mondays 6.45pm / BEAVERS Thursdays 5.30pm / SCOUTS Fridays 8pm each week in **HALL**



Please keep in your prayers all those whose anniversaries occur about this time:

Anna Pelickan (1978), Roselyn Fernando (1990), Agnes Teresa Walsh (2007), Kathleen Patience (1977), Catherine Winston (2004), Mary Wallace (1987), and Ann Mackie (1992).

! LENT IS FAST APPROACHING!

Ash Wednesday this year is on 17th February.
Stations of the Cross will be held during Lent every Friday at 7.30pm and every Sunday at 4pm.

All are welcome to attend on any day - **AND.....** See opposite!



Latest newsletter from

Blessed Hugh Faringdon School is now available - see mauve sheets in box on table in Advent Room

SOUP OF THE DAY...

WITH A CHANCE TO PRAY

Two opportunities every Friday in Lent to have 'Soup for Body and Soul'!

1. Every Friday afternoon at 12 noon there will be 15 minutes of prayer and reflection followed by a Soup Lunch;
2. Every Friday evening there will be a chance to partake of a 'fasting meal' before Stations of the Cross at 7.30 pm. Soup, rolls & fruit will be served from 6.30 pm. All will receive a warm welcome - whether coming from home or straight from work.



Donations on all occasions will go to CAFOD

MARRIAGE PREPARATION 2010 -

this year's Marriage Preparation sessions will be held here on



Saturday 27th February 11am-4pm,
Wednesday 3rd March 8pm-9.30pm,
& Weds. 10th March 8pm-9.30pm.

Any couples in the parish getting married this year are welcome to attend - if you've not already done so, **please contact the Parish Office to confirm your attendance**

The local **Life Group** will shortly be selling Easter quiz sheets at £1 each; prizes awarded to all correct entries. Is there anyone in our parish willing to sell a few quiz sheets on behalf of Life? If you can help, please contact Kathleen Hamilton: 0118 942 9245

WEDNESDAY CLUB: If anyone would like to join us at the Wednesday Club you would be very welcome - we have a game of bingo, a cup of tea and lots of friendly chat! We meet on 2 Wednesdays a month at 2pm - 3.30pm in the Carl Barton Room (small hall). A lift can be arranged to get you there and home again, if required. Do let us know if you would like to come along. Tel: Melly 9698595 or Maggie 9887661 or contact the Parish Office

SPUC - thank you for recent donations for their White Flower appeal. See poster in Advent Room



WANTED - Violinist and/or woodwind instrumentalist

to play with a small folk group for a St. Patrick's Day Celebration (17th March). Must be aged 18 or over. If interested, please leave your contact details with the Parish Office



Annual Novena to St. Joseph: all are invited to join the Mill Hill Community for special Novena of Masses & prayers. The Novena Masses will be offered in St. Joseph's Church, Cookham Road, Maidenhead from Wed. 10th March to Thurs. 18th March - see posters in Advent Room for further details

PRICE INCREASES:

Catholic Life magazine is now £3.50 per copy. **The Catholic Times** has increased to £1.20 per copy. Copies of both publications available in Advent Room.

NEW!

Coming soon - a new monthly publication, "**Catholic Companion**" - recipes, puzzles, prayers and short stories. £1 per copy

Woodley Jumbulance Group: The Italian Dolomites is the location for our holiday by Jumbulance this year.

We are away from Saturday 25th September - Sunday 3rd October, leaving from St. John Bosco church, Woodley. The new hotel is available to view at www.hotelalpin.it We have vacancies for nurses, helpers, both male & female, and VIPs (anyone who is disabled or who needs to be accompanied). For more information please contact John Gill 9694769; Marie O'Gorman 9691927; or Anne MacDonald 9585841

St. Dominic Savio School: CONSULTATION -

ADMISSIONS SEPTEMBER 2011: As required by new regulations, the governing body of

St. Dominic Savio Catholic Primary School will be conducting a consultation on its proposed admissions policy for the school year 2011-2012. The consultation period runs for a minimum period of 8 weeks from 5th January to 28th February 2010. Copies of the proposed policy can be obtained from the school office or downloaded from the school website:

www.st-dominicsavio.wokingham.sch.uk

Comments on policy should be sent to the clerk to the governors at the school by 28th February. The governing body will consider all comments received before determining the policy by 15th April 2010

**Do you like this new format for our newsletter?
All feedback is welcome...
Please let Jane know if you have any comments**

The Office is open this week from
Tuesday to Friday, 9am - 2pm



LODDON VALLEY PASTORAL AREA

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

- ◆ **St. John Bosco, Woodley:** Sat. 6.30pm, Sun. 10am.
- ◆ **Christ the King, Whitley:** Sat. 6.30pm, Sun. 10am.
- ◆ **St. Thomas More, Twyford:** Sat. 6.30pm, Sun. 10.30am.
- ◆ **Our Lady of Peace, Wargrave:** Sun. 9am.

Emergency contact numbers for Ministry of a priest:

Fr. Anthony Ikhenoba 0118 966 3711,
Fr. Chris Whelan 0118 969 3423,
Fr. Bruce Barnes 0118 931 4469,
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PLEASE CALL YOUR OWN PRIEST FIRST

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7th February 2010

Year C

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Christian Credentials

To be entrusted with positions of responsibility in society, we have to have credentials that prove our worth. We need to prove our expertise, experience, and so forth and so on.

In the case of Christians in relation to our mission from Christ, we need only be humble and accept the power of God over us. These all sound easy but are challenging.

Three great examples of those who exhibited the quality of humility in doing the will of God were Isaiah, Peter and Paul, and in addition they made available their time and resources for the service of God and man. This combination of humility and availability resulted in great resounding success in their ministry and mission. We are all invited to have these simple credentials if we want to succeed in our calling.

Fr. Anthony



*Follow me, says the Lord,
and I will make you fishers of men*

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for February/March is now available - take a copy**