

# ST FRANCIS BEDWORTH

## OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART

### BULKINGTON



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**RECENTLY DECEASED MAY THEY REST IN PEACE** Fr Ron Cosslett, Anne Gilsenan Sheila Hill, Pat Thomas

**The sick and their carers :-** Susan Basnett, Sheila Hill, Pat Sugrue, Liam Carroll, Graham Sheen, Richard Beardsley and Julie Wastie-Beardsley, Natalie Sugrue, Mr Roe, Paul Tedds, Mary Evans, , Norman Barr, Peter Moore, Janet Pittam, Sue Owen, Jean Kimber, Lauren Glynn, Baby Florence, Tina & Baby, Rebecca Woodward, Wendy Williams, Nuala Nash, Sr Mary Veronica, Paul Wooding, Pat McKenna, Ronald Boote, Carmel Brady, Eddie Head, John Ison, Chris Ison, Pat Skeritt, Debbie Colby, Paul Jobling, Ean Conway, Pat Birch, Margaret Smith, James Pawsey, Janette Woodford, Oswin Kavanagh Jackson, Eileen Kennedy, James Walker, Eamon Hurley, Mary Hannigan, Michael Ryan, Paul Culleton, Norma and Lester, Ferdi, Theresa Rowe, Theresa Rose Tedds, Helen Taylor, Alicia (Babs) Fitzpatrick,

#### Mass Schedule

<b>Saturday 7th June</b>	<b>Pentecost</b>	
St Francis Mass	11 00 am	1st Holy Communions
St Francis	3.00-340pm	Confessions
St Francis Mass	4 00pm	People of the Parish
<b>Sunday 8th June</b>	<b>Pentecost</b>	
OLSH Mass	9 30 am	Dominic Dolan 10th A
St Francis Mass	11 30 am	Raymond Thomas Small RIP 1st A
<b>Monday 9th June</b>	<b>No Mass Rosary 4.00pm</b>	
<b>Tuesday 10th June</b>		
OLSH Mass	9 30 am	Thanksgiving Sacred Heart of Jesus
<b>Wednesday 11th June</b>		
St Francis Mass	9 30 am	Raymond Thomas Small RIP 1st A
St Francis Requiem	12 30 pm	Ann Gilsenan RIP
<b>Thursday 12th June</b>		
OLSH Mass	9 30 am	Fr Bob Wright RIP—Birthday
<b>Friday 13th June</b>		
St Francis Mass	9 30 am	Sp Int
<b>Saturday 14th June</b>	<b>Most Holy Trinity</b>	
OLSH Mass	2 00pm	First Holy Communions
St Francis	3.00-340pm	Confessions
St Francis Mass	4 00pm	Andrew Colby RIP
<b>Sunday 15th June</b>	<b>Most Holy Trinity</b>	
OLSH Mass	9 30 am	Mary O'Sullivan
St Francis Mass	11 30 am	Philomena Morrison

**OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS:** June 1st  
 St Francis £603.84 OLSH £670.50 + Standing Orders  
 Totals are inclusive of Gift Aid and Non Gift Aid envelope giving.  
 They include donations given. Standing Orders vary week by week.

**WE ARE SHORT ON MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE PARISH PLEASE  
 CONSIDER OFFERING MASSES IN THE PARISH FOR INTENTIONS THE  
 DONATIONS GO TOWARDS THE UPKEEP OF OUR PRIEST AND PARISH**

The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Charlotte Culleton & Julie Sedgely. (Bedworth & Bulkington) contacted at: [sg.sfoa.bedworth@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.sfoa.bedworth@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk)

#### **FR PATRICK WRITES**

Saint John Henry Cardinal Newman's favourite little prayer,  
 "Come Holy Spirit:"  
 "Come Holy Spirit  
 Make our ears to hear  
 Make our eyes to see  
 Make our mouths to speak  
 Make our hearts to seek  
 Make our hands to reach out  
 And touch the world with your love. AMEN."

**THE GIFT OF PIETY:** A pious man, who had reached the age of 105 suddenly stopped going to church. Alarmed by the old fellow's absence after so many years of faithful attendance, the priest went to see him. He found him in excellent health, so the priest asked, "How come after all these years we don't see you at Mass anymore?" The old man lowered his voice. "I'll tell you, Father," he whispered. "When I got to be 90, I expected God to take me any day. But then I got to be 95, then 100, then 105. So, I figured that God is very busy and must have forgotten about me, and I don't want to remind Him just in case!"

**THE SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST** celebrates the birthday of the church. The Holy Spirit descended upon Mary and the disciples. Filling them with the fire of courage, while removing the fear that threatened to overwhelm them. Confirming them in truth of Jesus truly Risen and Messiah, the Redeemer, the Saviour of the world!

## **ST FRANCIS AND OLSH VISITING THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Thank you to those who came to the meeting expressing an interest in helping with the care of the sick and housebound. We have managed to have volunteers from the Extraordinary Ministers to cover over 30 housebound parishioners in the parish. On the 22nd June, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, there will be a recommissioning of Extraordinary Ministers for both parishes at 9 30 am OLSH and 11 30 am ST Francis Masses. There will be a Mass at OLSH for the sick with anointing, on Sunday 7th September at 2 pm with a cup of tea afterwards in the hall. The housebound will be invited to come along to this Mass and we will be asking parishioners and families to help to bring them. All are invited to come along and if you feel the need and benefit of being anointed you are welcome!

## **ST FRANCIS BEDWORTH NEWS**

### **150TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CATHOLIC MISSION AT ST FRANCIS**

**PEACE GARDEN AND GOTTO REMEMBRANCE PLAQUES** In the garden beyond the grotto the land has been cleared under the trees and we hope to create a peace garden and there will be plaques on the grotto wall. These Plaques will be placed on the Grotto wall and will be in Grey Granite with contrasting lettering and priced at £100 per plaque. The idea is two fold; one a remembrance for loved ones and also the money raised will go towards renovating the hall. The grotto has been rejuvenated with an added water feature to represent the healing streams of Lourdes. If you are interested in purchasing a plaque please leave name and details with Fr Pat, Mary or Fr Jinse.

### **WORK HAS ALREADY BEGUN ON THE HALL.**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THE CAR PARK SPACE IN FRONT OF THE PRESBYTERY AND BY THE CHURCH IS FOR DISABLED PARKING ONLY AS WELL AS FR'S AND SISTERS CARS**

**100 CLUB TOTE** Mary Smith (Sunday) and Maureen Brennan (SAT) will be leading this fundraising event. Please support raise funds and win prizes! 1st No 86 2nd No 11 3rd prize No 24.

**CHOIR** Looking forward to the 150 - year Celebration Mass with the Archbishop, we need to have a good choir. The school are more than happy to help with this but we do need adults as well. Nothing too difficult, a new Mass setting and hymns that will have a flavour of tradition and modern.

**1ST HOLY COMMUNIONS** Saturday 7th June in church Please pray for the children receiving their 1st Holy Communion.

**BAPTISMS FOR ST FRANCIS AND OLSH** Please see Fr Patrick at Mass to arrange a meeting to set a date for a baptism

## **OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART BULKINGTON NEWS**

**SATURDAY MORNING MASS CONFESSIONS AND EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.** From September I will be introducing a Saturday morning Mass at 10 00am followed by confessions until 11. During the confessions there will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**OVER 50'S ALL WELCOME!** 2ND Thursday Each Month 2:00-4:00 12th June AGM & Cake

**UCM** Next Meeting Wednesday 11th June Simmer Basket Raffle, will be drawn after the 9 30 Mass Sunday 15th June Tickets will be sold after Masses on the 8th and 15th June. Last UCM meeting before the summer break Wed 25th June.

**BULKINGTON 100 CLUB** Numbers are available if you would like to join at £2.00 per month. The June draw took place at the UCM meeting Prizes are £60, £25 and £15. See Janet Cooper.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 14th June** Please pray for all those in this year's First Communion group - Alex, Bobby, Carson, Christina, Damien, Elaine, Kajus, Klea, Jakub, Marika, Natalia, Nataniel, Sara and Theo.

**COMMUNION FOR THE SICK:** If anyone you know is sick or housebound and would like to receive Communion, please contact the parish while sisters are away on leave. 07701303830

**MASSSES ARE LIVE STREAMED:** Before each weekday Mass, the Rosary will be said at 9.15am. Masses at St Francis and OLSH are streamed live on YouTube.

**READING ROTA** New Rota now available. Tel 07900024385/ cogs3561@hotmail.com

### **CHRISTMAS SHOEBOXES**

Thank you to everyone who continues to support the Christmas Shoebox appeal. We have received lots of lovely items for the boxes, many of which are handmade, such as hats, scarves, gloves and pencil cases. In addition, parishioners have been very generous in making financial donations towards the cost of transporting the boxes to children in Eastern Europe. Each box now costs £3.50 to send, so our annual target of between 2500 and 3000 incurs a bill of up to £10,500. Items for the boxes may be left at the back of church or can be collected by arrangement. Tel 07900024385/ cogs3561@hotmail.com.

**ANNIVERSARIES** Rev Gerard McArdle, Rev Cyril Adams, Rev Joseph Lanny, Rev Joseph Davenport, Rev John Harrington, Christina Aikman, John McCarroll, Sr Stella Quinn, Jean Wood, Walter Golby, Ray Durkin, Elizabeth Garry, Glenys Magill, Ruby Chedlow, Alan Whitehead, Barbara Pitman, Sr Helena Piggott, Hazel Mary Quinney, James Craig, Pierce (Pierrie) Fleming, Eileen Shakespeare, Marion Williams, Mary Jean Walshe, Raymond Small

## **OTHER NEWS DIOCESE DEANERY AND BEYOND**

**DEANERY YOUNG ADULTS GROUP** St Osburg's 7pm to 9pm. Meeting dates, 17th June. To find out more please email Fr Benedict fr.benedict.skippier@rcaob.org.uk.