

2ND – 3RD MARCH 2024

PARISH OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL
FAVERSHAM AND SURROUNDING VILLAGES



WHITEFRIARS, 35 TANNERS STREET, FAVERSHAM ME13 7JW
OUR CHURCH IS OPEN EVERY DAY FROM 8AM – 6.30PM VIA THE SHRINE OF ST JUDE,
ACCESSED FROM THE CAR PARK BEHIND THE CHURCH



THIRD WEEK OF LENT YEAR B

PRAYER AND MASS SCHEDULE THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer 9.00am Monday – Friday, 9.40am Saturday
Evening Prayer 6.00pm Monday – Friday

CHILDREN'S
LITURGY AT THE
SUNDAY 10.30AM
MASS EACH WEEK

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| SATURDAY 2 ND | 10.00AM | Sam – health |
| | 6.00PM | John Franklin RIP |
| SUNDAY 3 RD | 9.00AM | People of the Parish |
| 3 RD SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR B | 10.30AM | Willie Slattery RIP |
| MONDAY 4 TH | 9.15AM | Millie Castelino - birthday |
| TUESDAY 5 TH | 12NOON | Sean Blake – health |
| | 7.00PM | Stations of the Cross |
| WEDNESDAY 6 TH | 9.15 AM | Andrew Ogbaje RIP |
| THURSDAY 7 TH | 9.15 AM | Harry Mutton RIP |
| FRIDAY 8 TH | 9.15 AM | Trevor Castelino RIP |
| | 12 NOON | Lent Lunches in the Baptist church |
| SATURDAY 9 TH | 10.00AM | Joseph & Mary Castelino intentions |
| | 12 NOON | CAFOD Big Lent Walk |
| | 6.00PM | Robin de Rouen RIP |
| SUNDAY 10 TH | 9.00AM | People of the Parish |
| 4 TH SUNDAY OF LENT YEAR B | 10.30AM | Morna Shanahan RIP |

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Baby Sienna Bentley, Mary Maye, Zita Devis, Veronica Cole, Sean Blake, Tommy Gallagher, Paul Durkin, Linda LaDue, Levi Zimba, John Littlefield, Peter & Jessie Duckworth, Tom Turner, Sarah Dean, Janet Daly, Louise Marshallsay, Peter Greene, Patrick Mongan, Maureen Watters, Jerry McDonagh, Martin Hayes, Betty Bushell, Nell Goodwin, Ann Rake, Sammy, Millie Castelino, Wendy Coley, Bob Costa, Ted Davis, Ian Davison, Lucas Harmsworth, Barnaby Marchant, Gail O'Connor, Joan O'Sullivan, Julian Philips, Lola Rinvoluceri, Mario Rinvoluceri, Ginny & Richard Woodroofe and Paul Williams. **AND ALL FOR WHOM WE HAVE BEEN ASKED TO PRAY** including Angela and children, Jim Dunne, Cash family. **PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ALL THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY**, including Bob Tunstall, Morna Shanahan, Lisa Correa, Willie Slattery, Alice, Robin de Rouen, **AS WELL AS THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES ARE AROUND THIS TIME, INCLUDING.** Brian Lewis, Frank Coleman, Nigel Hart, Monica Kesson, Susan Boodle, Ted Chapman, Jeremy Ellis, John Dobbyn, Hilda Thornes, Teresa Considine, William Allenspach, Kenneth Pender, Mary-Josephine Walsh, John McNamara and Kathleen Thompson **WE ALSO PRAY FOR** peace in Ukraine and the Holy Land, for the work of the foodbank, the outreach of the SVP in our parish, for the pilgrims to the Shrine of St Jude.

OUR PARISH IS SERVED BY A COMMUNITY OF CARMELITE FRIARS

KEVIN MELODY, PARISH PRIEST; PAUL DE GROOT, SHRINE CHAPLAIN; RICHARD COPSEY, PROVINCE HISTORIAN

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LENT PRAYER This week's Lent Prayer will be a celebration of the Stations of the Cross on Tuesday at 7.00pm
LENT LUNCHES is an initiative of Churches Together in Faversham to raise money for charitable purposes. A simple soup, bread and cheese lunch is provided in the Baptist church hall for a suggested donation of £3 per person and takes place each Friday of Lent. This year's charity is Child Aid – Eastern Europe.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION. If you are interested in being commissioned as a Eucharistic Minister, please let Fr Kevin know – a preparation date will be arranged soon. Thank you.

EASTER LILIES will once again be placed in the church to remember our deceased loved ones. Please give us the names of your loved ones you would like remembered, along with a donation for the lilies. Names will be taken until Friday, 22nd March to enable the flower arrangers to purchase the lilies in time to decorate the church for Easter. Thank you.

CAFOD'S BIG LENT WALK takes place this Lent, asking for people to commit to walking 200km during the season of Lent - about 5k per day for 40 days. As well as individuals taking part, we will have our own Lent Walk on Saturday March 9th starting at 12 noon from the church - a 5k circular walk in the local area. All are welcome to join us as we raise funds for CAFOD.

ST OSCAR ROMERO 24th March marks the forty-fourth anniversary of the martyrdom of Archbishop Romero in 1980. As usual, to commemorate the life and legacy of St Oscar Romero, the Romero Trust is pleased to offer times to pray, reflect, and be inspired. On Saturday, 16 March at 11am at St Martin-in-the-Fields, Trafalgar Square, London we will have the annual ecumenical service to mark the anniversary. Speaker: Raymond Perrier. For more info see www.romerotrust.org.uk

You can find Sunday's scripture readings here: www.universalis.com/20240303/mass.htm and
Sign-up for the parish news email: www.whitefriarsfaversham.org

Entrance Antiphon: My eyes are always on the Lord, for he rescues my feet from the snare. Turn to me and have mercy on me, for I am alone and poor.

Psalm response: O that today you would listen to his voice! 'Harden not your hearts.'

Gospel Acclamation: Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God! Lord, you are really the saviour of the world: give me the living water, so that I may never get thirsty. Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

Communion Antiphon: For anyone who drinks it, says the Lord, the water I shall give will become in them a spring welling up to eternal life.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY: If you would like to make a donation to the work of the SVP in our parish, you can use their bank account. A/c number: 46075364 S/C: 60-60-04 SVP Faversham



Churches Together in Faversham

LENT LUNCHES 2024

Each Friday of Lent
(16th February – 22 March)

Baptist Church Hall
(behind the carpark next to the library)

12noon – 1.30pm

Soup, bread and cheese

Suggested donation £3

Proceeds to CTIF Charity of the Year:

ChildAid

1 YEAR ANNIVERSARY 16 MARCH 2024 12:30PM MASS
Mass & Celebration

MAIN CELEBRANT
THE MOST REVEREND JOHN WILSON

ST. GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

JOIN US AFTER FOR:

- REFRESHMENTS
- WELCOME ADDRESS FROM JOHN WILSON
- SPEAKERS INCLUDING:
 - RAYMOND FRIEL, CEO OF CSAN, OVERVIEW OF CARITAS ENGLAND AND WALES
 - JOHN COLEBY, CARITAS SOUTHWARK
- CARITAS UPDATES IN AMIGO HALL (2.00PM-4.30PM)
- Q & A SESSION WITH FOUR LOCAL PROJECTS
- NETWORKING

SUPPORT CARITAS SOUTHWARK AND ALL THEIR WORK!

CLOSING REMARKS
CANON VICTOR DARLINGTON
• EPISCOPAL VICAR FOR THE SOUTH EAST AREA

CATHEDRAL HOUSE, WESTMINSTER BRIDGE RD, LONDON SE1 7HY

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