St Hugh's Catholic Church

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Twentieth Sunday of the Year - 17 August 2014

YEAR A (Weekdays Cycle 2) – Eucharistic Prayer 3
Sanctuary Lamp burnt for Peace in the Middle East

MASS TIMES AND EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday 17 August 2014 (Twentieth Sunday of the Year)

9.30am Mass Josephine Alcock RIP (Eileen Sprakes and Family)

Tuesday 19 August (Feria)

9.30am Mass Dolores O'Sullivan (Birthday Mass)

Thursday 21 August (St Pius X, Pope)

9.30am Service of Word & Communion

Friday 22 August (The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

9.30am Mass Margaret Lohan (Get well)

Sunday 24 August (Twenty-First Sunday of the Year)

9.30am Mass Hugh McDermott RIP anniv (Marie & Family)

ROTAS

| | <u>Readers</u> | <u>Cleaners</u> | <u>Flowers</u> |
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| 17 August | Eamon Hughes | Mary Verissimo | Volunteer |
| 24 August | Domini Gregory | Mrs McGuinn & Shey | M McDermott |

LAST WEEK

Collections Envelopes £150.00 Loose £113.00 Standing Orders £100.00

Attendance 100

News & Events

Rosary Rally: The Annual Rosary Rally will take place at Grace Dieu Manor, Leicestershire on Sunday 24th August, beginning with Mass at 3pm. The principal celebrant will be Fr Anselm Stark OCSO from Mount St Bernard Abbey. After Mass there will be a break for picnics and refreshment resuming at 5pm with solemn crowning of the statue of Our Lady followed by the rosary, benediction and the blessing of the sick. See notice board for further details.

Derby Irish Association: The Irish Centre in Becket Street will hold a dance on 24th August, starting 8pm. Live music and dancing to Pat Breslin. Irish/Modern/Country. Entry is free.

Appointment

Fr Ka Fai has been asked and appointed parochial administrator of St Thomas More, Wollaton in addition to the Parish of St Hugh, Borrowash, from Wednesday 1 October 2014. Sunday Mass remains at 9.30am, but there will be some changes during the weekday and others.

Baptism Preparation: Starting this September, parents wanting Baptism for their child will first need to complete a short programme of preparation. At the request of Deanery clergy, the Deanery Pastoral Council will be running 6 separate preparation programmes between October this year and June next year. Each programme will consist of two evening sessions. The first will be shared with our neighbouring parishes while the second will be in our parish. Our first programme will start on 22nd October. There will be two further programmes in February and May/March and June. Parents with a child for Baptism should contact Fr Ka Fai in the usual way and he will tell you what happens next.

First Holy Communion 2015

There will be a meeting with the Parents and children who intend to make their First Holy Communion in May 2013. The meeting will take place on Thursday 2 October at 7pm in the Parish Meeting Room. The children need to be in Year 3 or above in primary school, and parishioners or regular worshippers here at St Hugh's Parish.

Why be a Catholic?

If you ae not a Catholic but are curious to know what Catholics believe and why – or if you are interested in becoming a Catholic yourself – please join a group on Tuesday evenings at 7.30pm at St Joseph's Church, Burton Road, Derby from 16 September. This is an opportunity to explore life options and to reflect on what matters most in life in a relaxed way. Although the evenings are primarily directed those thinking of becoming a Catholic there is no obligation whatsoever to do so. For queries or more information please contact Fr John on 01332 343777.

Gift Aid Declaration Form

If you have taken a form to sign then please can you return the Form to Fr Ka Fai as soon as you can? I am hoping to forward the forms to Margot Madin who is our parish Gift Aid organiser. Once again I like to thank you all who have either increased your offertory giving, or signed up a Gift Aid Declaration Form and set up a Standing Order. All these help towards the upkeep of the Parish.

Mass intentions:

There are now few Mass intentions for Sundays but very, very few during the weekdays. If you like to have Mass said for the deceased members of family or friends, or special intentions for various occasions please fill in a Mass intention envelope available at the back of the church and return it to Fr Ka Fai. The suggested Mass stipend is £10.

Legacies:

Have you thought about leaving something for the parish in your will? The parish relies on the generosity and charity of the people to keep it going, and it is always appreciated for the wonderful commitments and loyalty people of St Hugh's Parish shown over the past years. We are very much a parish family and do whatever we can to keep the parish family going. Thank you for your support and generosity.

St Vincent de Paul Society: September 2014 will be 'Awareness Month' for the St Vincent de Paul Society in England & Wales. The aim of the month, which takes as its theme 'Concern is not enough', is to raise the profile of the society and SVP members are being encouraged to publicise their work in a number of ways, including a poster campaign featuring five different posters which are intended to run weekly from the last weekend in August until the end of September. Where possible, the society is hoping for its members to be given the opportunity to speak to the congregation at the end of Mass about the SVP and its work.

Prayers for the Sick (as well as those receive Holy Communion on Sunday), please also remember Paddy McDermott who is housebound; Brin Lyons who is recovering from a hip operation; Tony Gregory who is receiving chemotherapy; Ian Chater who is recovering from his leg problem.

For those who died - Mary Novak RIP, Marlene Bender RIP