

SS LAWRENCE AND PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWSLETTER



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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

16th-17th March 2019 Year C Psalter 3 and Proper of Season

DPL: The Abbey Church, Downside; St Benedict, Stratton-on-the-Fosse

Second Collection: Building Fund ext week: Cafod Appeal Collection



SAT 16th	CS	5.00pm	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	Bridgette Murray (Fmass)
SUN 17th		11.00am	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	Deceased of Soriano, Soares Family
Tues 19th	StP	1.30pm	Funeral Mass for Phyllis Bentall RIP (At St Paul's)	
Wed 20th		9.30am	Mass	William Kelly (Fmass)
Thur 21st	CS	12.00pm	Funeral Mass for Mary Gunning RIP (At St Lawrence)	
Fri 22nd	CS	9.30am	Mass Followed by Stations of the Cross	John James Green (Fmass)
SAT 23rd	CS	5.00pm	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT	
SUN 24th		11.00am	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT	Deceased of Carmo, Viana, Silva Family
Tues 26th	CS	9.30am	Mass	
Wed 27th		9.30am	Mass Followed by Stations of the Cross	
Thur 28th		9.30am	Liturgy of the Word and HC (Convent)	
Fri 29th	CS	9.30am	Mass	
SAT 30th	CS	5.00pm	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Laetare Sunday)	Carl Magee (Fmass)
SUN 31st		11.00am	FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Laetare Sunday)	Dermot Hunt (Fmass)

Confession at St Lawrence Saturday 10.00am- 10.30am, after 11.00am Mass at St Paul's or by appointment.

To contact a Priest: Fr Jim Williams (01454) 312161 or Fr Frank Bermingham 0117 9833939.

Parish Office Our Lady of Lourdes 0117 9498743. To send items for the Newsletter e-mail Hélène - bush.helene@gmail.com

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISHES IN COMMUNION FOR MISSION

St. Augustine				St. John Fisher			Our Lady of Lourdes			
Sat	16th	Mass	6.00pm	Wed 20th	Mass	9.30am	Sun	17th	Mass	9.00am/6.00pm
Sun	17th	Mass	9.30am				Mon	18th	Mass	9:30am
Tue	19th	Mass	7.30pm				Tue	19th	Mass	9.30am
Wed	20th	No Mass					Wed	20th	No Mass	
Thur	21st	Mass	9.30am				Thur	21st	Mass	9.30am
Fri	22nd	Funeral Mass	1.30pm				Fri	22nd	W&HC	9.30am
Fri	22nd	Adoration	7.00pm				Sat	23rd	Mass	9.30am
Fri	22nd	Mass	7.30pm				Sun	24th	Mass	9.00am/6.00pm
Sat	23rd	Mass	6.00pm							
Sun	24th	Mass	9.30am							

PLEASE CHECK WEBSITE TO CONFIRM TIMES:
staugustinesbristol.blogspot.co.uk



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Bishop Declan is to celebrate **Liturgies of Reconciliation during the Season of Lent across the diocese.** He is inviting our diocesan community to gather with him in celebration of God's merciful love as part of our Lenten journey and this Year of Prayer. Priests will be available at each venue to celebrate Sacramental Reconciliation. Each Liturgy will start at 7.00pm:

Thursday 21 March - St Osmund, Salisbury Thursday 28 March - St Gregory, Cheltenham
Thursday 4 April - Holy Family, Swindon Thursday 11 April - St George, Taunton

National prayer and fasting day

On Saturday 23rd March, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia in this country. Your prayers and fasting are urgently needed, and it really does save lives.

For details of our life-saving work please see: www.GoodCounselNetwork.com



FIRE DRILL at St LAWRENCE Sat 23rd March

MUSTER POINT

The **MUSTER POINT** is back through the church gates, left along the pavement on the main road, towards the old NatWest bank and War Memorial Cross.



The Holy Father's Intentions for March - Universal: That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

44 BONUS BALL: Game 832 w/n 1 Bob O'Neil; Game 833 w/n 37 Mary O'Connell, £25 each and £50 to the Building Fund. Going on Holiday? Pay in advance see P.O'Rourke or K. Chapman.

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What's on?



Stations of the Cross	Friday 22nd March	10.00am	St Lawrence
FIRE DRILL	Saturday 23rd March	???	St Lawrence Church
Stations of the Cross	Friday 29th March	10.00am	St Lawrence
Coffee Morning	Saturday 30th March	9.30-12 noon	St Lawrence Parish Hall
Service of Reconciliation	Wednesday 3rd April	7.30pm	St Augustine's
Stations of the Cross	Friday 5th April	10.00am	St Lawrence
Healing Mass	Sunday 7th April	3.00pm	St Paul's
Service of Reconciliation	Tuesday 9th April	7.30pm	St Paul's
Service of Reconciliation	Thursday 11th April	7.30pm	Our Lady of Lourdes
Coffee Morning	Saturday 13th April	9.30-12 noon	St Lawrence Parish Hall
Passover Mass & Meal	Tuesday 16th April	6.00pm	St Paul's
Chrism Mass	Wednesday 17th April	11.00am	Clifton Cathedral
Coffee Morning	Saturday 27 April	9.30 - 12 noon	St Lawrence Parish Hall



Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes -
23rd - 30th August 2019
Coach and Jumbulance leave from St Teresa's, Filton on Thursday 22nd August. For further information email: Lourdes@cliftondiocese.com

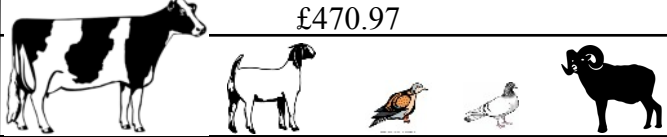
INTENTION FOR WEEK TWO OF LENT
Pray for the sick, disabled and those wounded in wars. Do I support them in any way? Do I visit the sick?

NEW COUNTER REQUIRED URGENTLY
Volunteer needed to Join our counters team. This will maintain the requirement for a team of three to count once every six weeks. Please contact Terry Organ - GA.chippingsodbury.stlawrence@cliftondiocese.com

PRINKNASH PRAYER RETREATS
Saturdays in Lent
See Notice Board



Collection 9th/10th March
£470.97




Coffee after 11.00 Mass
It would be very helpful to have a good number of volunteers so we can have refreshments every week. Please see Judith after Mass if you can help.


Living Your Faith Summer Camps
Viney Hill, Forest of Dean. For more information and booking: cliftondiocese.com.

Year of Prayer - Reflections
Anyone who has climbed any sort of mountain knows the joy which can come when encountering the view at the top. The same is true for the disciples when they see Jesus transfigured. This experience gives them an insight into the very nature of Christ's divinity. They want to hold onto it, but Jesus knows the path he is about to take. Conscious of this, Jesus allows the disciples an experience which will remind them of the goodness of God when faced with utter desolation. This moment of grace is what St. Ignatius calls, 'consolation'. The disciples will need to remember this experience when they see Jesus not transfigured on the mountain but decimated on the Cross. As we pray this week, let us reflect upon and remember the moments of grace we have experienced in life and give thanks for their capacity to see us through the difficult times.

Dear Parishioners, Please note that the Parish now has a new email address for all Safeguarding matters or concerns. It has been updated on the newsletter heading and now reads PSR.chippingsodbury.stlawrence@cliftondiocese.com Although the address references St Lawrence and Chipping Sodbury it does of course cover St Paul's Church as well. This change is to make the email system more secure and to comply with the new GDPR requirements. Carol Lawler is still contactable by phone on the number on the newsletter. Thank you - Carol Lawler and Louise Harris

foodbank  **The following items are required for the Food Bank for March:** Smash - sachets, boxes or drums; tinned rice pudding; twin puddings; bottles of squash; tinned corn beef; tinned mixed vegetables and female deodorants. Thank you for your continued support.

Safeguarding our Vulnerable Adults and Children: All church activities are subject to safeguarding policies and procedures. We encourage everyone to access these policies which can be found in the Diocesan Resource along with important contact numbers on the safeguarding pages. **Parish website:** <http://www.stlawrenceandstpaul.co.uk/cliftondiocese.html>
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 Society of Saint Vincent de Paul
TURNING CONCERN INTO ACTION
Meets regularly at St Paul's. To join please phone 01454 312161
Email csandyatesvp@gmail.com

Useful links:
www.stlawrenceandstpaul.co.uk
www.cliftondiocese.com
www.vatican.va

If you are interested in learning about the ethos, aims, and works of the Legion of Mary
Tel: 01454 321749