

Saint Thomas More Roman Catholic Church

Iford Parish ✠ Bournemouth Ordinariate Group ✠ Bournemouth Kerala Community

Weekly Newsletter

CALENDAR

START TIME	*MAIN EVENT*	*OCCASION / MASS INTENTION*	*PRECEDED / FOLLOWED BY*
Sat 25/03 18:00	**Sunday-Vigil-Mass**	**Lent 4; MI: Teresa Evans, Edward Ferris (RIP)**	**PB Confessions from 17.30**
Sun 26/03 09:30	**Sunday-Mass**	**Lent 4**	**FB refreshments**
11:15	**Ordinariate-Use-Mass**	**Lent 4**	***No Caféchesis***
16:30	Choral-Evensong	Lent 4	PB Choir 15.30; FB Benediction
Tue 28/03 09:30	Weekday-Mass	Feria; MI: Kevin Martin (RIP)	
Wed 29/03 10:30	Ordinariate-Use-Mass	Feria	FB refreshments
Thu 30/03 09:30	Weekday-Mass	Feria	
19:00	Meeting	Local/Parish Pastoral Council	
Fri 31/03 09:30	Weekday-Mass	Feria; MI Enid Price (RIP; *NB 1st anniversary)*	FB Church cleaning
19:00	Stations-of-the-Cross		
Sat 01/04 18:00	**Sunday-Vigil-Mass**	**Lent 5**	**PB Confessions from 17.30**
Sun 02/04 09:30	**Sunday-Mass**	**Lent 5; MI Enid Price (RIP)**	**FB refreshments**
11:15	**Ordinariate-Use-Mass**	**Lent 5**	**FB Caféchesis on St Edith Stein**
16:00	**Syro-Malabar-Mass**	**Lent 6 *(NB Lent 1 ≡ Quinquagesima Sunday)***	**PB FHC Catechesis from 15:00**
WELCOME BACK TO IFORD FIRST SUNDAYS, FR ANEESH JOSEPH SJ AND OUR BOURNEMOUTH KERALA CATHOLIC COMMUNITY!			
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Wed 05/04 19:30	**Reconciliation-Service**	**We are hosting this Pastoral Area event *NB Confession at least once/year is an obligation for every confirmed Catholic.***	**FB Confessions *(heard by your Avon Stour Pastoral Area parish priests)***

STEWARDSHIP & ALMSGIVING

***COLLECTING THIS WEEKEND*:** Clergy Assistance Fund *(diocesan/obligatory)*.

COLLECTED LAST WEEKEND:

Standing Orders	Dated Envelopes	Loose Cash	Total
£201.00	£104.42	£98.00	£403.42 Thank you!

PLANNED GIVING. All who give by Envelope or Standing Order have a new box in the Narthex; please take yours, even if yo might not use it. If you don't have one, please would you sign up? Forms in Narthex or ring Steve on 01202 426648.

***MISSIO RED BOXES & DIRECT DEBITS FOR 2016*: £783.52**. This is an outstanding effort by our parish. Many thanks!

FELLOWSHIP & OTHER EVENTS

PASTORAL AREA ALPHA COURSE. Please keep praying! Info: avonstourpastoralarea.org/alpha%20cou rse.html.

DIOCESAN WEDNESDAY WEBINARS ON LECTIONARY, 19:00-22:00, portsmouthdiocese.o rg.uk/formation/webinar.

PREPARING OURSELVES FOR EASTER RETREAT, 11-17 Apr, Cold Ash Centre of Franciscan Spirituality. Directed by Sr Margare Taylor FMM, Dip. Psych., HV Cert, SCM, SRN. Contact: 01635 865353, coldashcentre@hotmail.co .uk.

CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF SPRING CONCERTS, Sat 22 Apr 19:00, Boscombe Salvation Army, 76 Palmerston Road, BH1 4HT. Vintage Brass, St Peter's Community Choir & Christchurch U3A. See poster. Contact: 01425 650015.

SIGNIFICANT WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES MASS, Sat 24 Jun 11:00 @ St Bede's Church, Basingstoke for those celebrating a 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+ years in 2017. Contact: anniversaries@po rtsmouthdiocese.o rg.uk.

WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE, 10-13 Jul, all invited. Contact: Madeleine Hemsley, 01258 480778.

DON BOSCO BOYS' CAMP, 23-29 Jul, St Cassian Centre, Hungerford. Contact:dbcamps@po rtsmouthdiocese.o rg.uk.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE, 16-23 Sep. Contact: Barry & Jo, 01202 398216, josephinehenw ood@virginmedia.co m.

SOUTHAMPTON CELEBRATE WEEKEND, 30 Sep-1 Oct, St George College, Swaythling, Southampton, SO16 3DQ. Daily Mass, confessions, teaching, drama. Contact: Peter & Lynda, 02380 292058. Info: celebrateconference.org.