

# The Weekly News Sheet for S. Cuthbert's, Castle Vale & S. George's Minworth.

## SERVICE TIMES

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2010**

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

[S. George's.] 9.00 am Sung Eucharist  
[S. Cuthbert's] 10.30 am Solemn Eucharist

Mid Week Services at S. Cuthbert's

**Ash Wednesday** 12 noon Eucharist & Homily  
7.30pm Solemn Eucharist & Homily

Thursday 7.00pm Eucharist

Friday 10.00am Eucharist

Mid Week Services at S. George's

**Ash Wednesday** 9.30am Eucharist & Homily

Thursday 9.30am Eucharist

**Next Sunday: 21<sup>st</sup> February 2010**

**First Sunday of Lent**

[S. George's] 9.00 am Sung Eucharist.  
[S. Cuthbert's] 10.30 am Solemn Eucharist.  
[S. Cuthbert's] 6.00pm Stations of the Cross & Benediction

## Regular Events at Saint Cuthbert's

Monday 9.00 am Stay & Play Group  
10.00 am Reader's Fellowship  
Wednesday 5.00 pm Youngstars Aged 8-12  
6.50 pm Youngstars Aged 12-18

**2010 PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM.** The Deposits of £30 [non-returnable] are now due for Walsingham.

**SHROVE TUESDAY 16<sup>th</sup> February.** Our now Annual Shrove Tuesday Beetle Drive and Pancake Social will be at S Cuthbert's this year. Tickets are available today for £3.50 including Beetle Card, Pancake and Tea or Coffee. Proceeds to the Bishop of Ebbsfleet's Lent Appeal for the Diocese of Ho, in Africa to help provide a 4 x 4 Vehicle to help the Bishop get around his large rural Diocese.

**QUIZ & FISH SUPPER NIGHT** S. George's are holding a Fish and Chip Supper and Quiz night on February 26<sup>th</sup> Tickets £5 available from Michelle Holland and Niki Finegan.

## LENT 2010

**PRE-LENT CONFESSIONS.** Fr. James will be available at S. Cuthbert's from 6pm -7pm Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>. Please sign up for this or speak to him to make alternative arrangements.

## ASH WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY

[S. George's] 9.30am Eucharist & Homily  
[S. Cuthbert's] 12 noon Eucharist & Homily  
[St.Cuthbert's] 7.30pm Solemn Eucharist & Homily

**FRIDAYS IN LENT:** We will be holding a series of Soup Lunches on the Fridays of Lent [Soup a Roll and Cheese with a Cup of Tea or Coffee in return for a donation. Perhaps in line with what you would pay for "lunch out"] Members of the congregations at the "Fellowship and S. Gerard's will be invited to join us at S.Cuthbert's 12 and 1.30 each week. Proceeds to be shared between the Haiti Appeal and a local hardship Charity.

**SUNDAY'S DURING LENT.** We will follow The Way of the Cross at 6pm each Sunday at S. Cuthbert's [Except Feb 28<sup>th</sup> when we will share Stations at S. Gerard's]. We will conclude the devotion on the other Sundays with Benediction. [Except March 14<sup>th</sup>, when some of the Congregation from S. Gerard's will join us at S. Cuthbert's]

**Stewardship:** At each of our Churches we need to raise a certain amount of money each week to meet our obligations. Last week we raised these amounts:

S. George's target: £100, raised £115.

S. Cuthbert's target: £330, raised £307

*Thank you, to everyone who contributed to these sums.*

**Items for The News Sheet.** Must reach Annette our PCC and Pew Sheet Secretary by Thursday Evening.

You can phone or email her with your notices.

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**WORD OF GOD:** It's easy to forget that whatever we have today, houses, cars, possessions etc, are only temporary. They do not last; but we do, forever. And the way we use what we own in this world affects us for eternity.

**WORD FOR TODAY:** Let us pray for the Church throughout the world that it may be a living sign of the beatitudes and may bring relief and hope to those who now suffer but who one day will see the face of God.

**Our Week of Prayer** Please Remember the following in your Prayers during the week:-

**The Church & our Parish.** Pope Benedict; Bartholomew the Ecumenical Patriarch; Rowan, our Archbishop; Andrew and Keith his Provincial Visitors; David, Bishop of this Diocese and Andrew Bishop of Aston. Our Christian brothers and sisters on the Vale and at Minworth.

**Our Nation.** For Elizabeth our Queen and her Ministers, for our representatives in Westminster and Europe and our Councillors.

**Peace:** The People of the Congo, of The Holy Land, For our Troops in Iraq & Afghanistan and for those waiting anxiously at home, for their safe return.

**Our Community:** Our Local Schools, Places of work and entertainment. Those who use our Halls. Our neighbours. C.V.C.H.A. Staff. Our M.E.P., M.P. Local and City Councillors. Local Police, Fire and Ambulance Services.

**The Sick:** Fr.Theo, Fr.James, Fr.John, Revd, Fred Carrol Muriel, John, Sunny, Hilda, Paige,Joan, Myrtle, Dora, Elizabeth, Roma, Dorreen, Shirley, Vera, Irene, Barbara,Robert

**The Departed** Norma Betty Bagle, Lettice (Cissy) Turley, Olive Orton and any others who have died recently, especially if they died suddenly, alone, unprepared, or with no one to pray for them. Also Those with Anniversaries at this time Lily White (Years Mind Monday) Walter Bladen, Edna May Pemberton Claire Higgott, Thomas William Parkes, Olive Jackson, Christine Jarrott,

**The Sanctuary Lamp at S. Cuthbert's** burns this week to the glory of God and for the Parish.