

**Please pray for those who are sick:** Dedee Flint, Kath Heatley, Elizabeth Lennon, Brendan Lennon, Harriet Taylor, Veronica Oswell, Tracey Cox, Suzanne Ovens, Michael Evans, Bernadette Beards, Christopher Browne, Ann Warriner and Nigel Weston. You are welcome to add prayer intentions to the Prayer Board by the Sacred Heart statue. (Please update us if you wish to have a name removed or added to the list)

**EUCCHARISTIC DEVOTION** - Each Monday there will be Exposition after Mass in the Day Chapel I till 8 pm. All welcome to share this time of silent prayer.

**Parish Diary this week:**

Monday Club is reopening at 2pm on 5<sup>th</sup> February.

**HOLIDAY CLUB RESULTS    Week 7**

£50 - 1097 T Mortimore

£10 - 1526 P Hill

£10 – 1672 B Spicer

We are always looking for new members – the odds are better than the Lottery! **See Theresa, Jim or Tony in the hall after Mass. Your support is very much appreciated.**

**FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME** –There will be a session for children on **Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> February** at 6pm in the Hall.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENT.** The group of children from the parish preparing for First Holy Communion this year will be publicly enrolled in the programme in a short ceremony at the start of Mass on Sunday morning. Please remember them and their families and their catechist in your prayers in the weeks ahead.

**ON YOUR BIKE!** A request has been made from one of the Syrian refugee families now living in Rugby for a couple of children's bikes for children age 12 and 10. If you could help please contact Brian Davies on 810886 . Thanks

**THE GIFT OF YEARS** : We welcome Lindsey Pelloguin who will be speaking at Masses here this weekend about an exciting new development taking place in Rugby. Rugby Churches are working together to improve the spiritual care of elderly residents in our local residential homes.

**Last week's Collection:** £ 297 (plus standing orders)

**CAFOD:** £9 Racial Justice £111 Thank you.

**ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEK**

**Readers: Sat:** A. Hunter, P. Francis

**Sun:** H. Potter, R. Potter, T. Davis

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Sat :** S. Barton, S. Leary

**Sun:** S. Leader, M. McCormick, C. Warburton

**Welcomers/Coffee:** Sat: V. York

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**Satellites:** Liz Teeton

**Children's Liturgy:** Carmel Capelet

**Cleaning rota:** Team 8: C. Bailie, G. Reid

**Music:** Sun: J. Howes

**Cantor:** As arranged

**Offertory Counters:** Team G: K & T Mahon

**Flowers:** None in Lent

**Foodbank 4<sup>th</sup> Feb:** Team 6: V. Richards & S. Melia

**LENT LUNCHESES**

Lent begins on 14<sup>th</sup> February and we hope to start Lent Lunches on Friday, 16<sup>th</sup>. We need volunteers to prepare a simple lunch of soup, bread and cheese. (The soup does not have to be homemade). Mass will be at 11.45am. All profits go to CAFOD. See list for Volunteers on notice board.

**LENT RETREAT DAY** organised by Diocesan Justice and Peace Commission on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February at St Pauls Covent, Selly Park , Birmingham 10am to 4pm. Open to all. See details on noticeboard or ask Fr Gerry for more details.

**LIFE SUNDAY** : This weekend there is a Retiring Collection for Life Charity which was founded in the Archdiocese but is now national to provide a positive and helpful response to women facing crisis pregnancies and possible abortion. It also does valuable education work in schools on The Gospel of Life. You may be familiar with the Life Shop in Rugby. Please lend this very worthy organisation your support as it seeks to respond in a compassionate way to the crises being faced today.