



14th October 2018

Collections for w/e 7th October 2018	
Loose Plates & Envelopes	£1,338.00
Standing Orders	£ 414.00
Total	£1,752.00
2 nd collection (Cafod)	£685

Cake Stall to help fund the Refugee resettlement project - Next Sunday after the 9 & 11 O'clock Masses there will be a cake stall in the Parish Centre, to help raise some funds for this Project. Other Parishes in our deanery have already started to contribute to this humanitarian need, thanks to St. Mary's caring group for arranging this stall. If you want to donate a cake please drop them into the parish Centre before Mass.

If you think our parish could hold an event, or direct some of the proceeds from a planned event towards the **Refugee resettlement deanery project**, just get in touch. We are currently holding the money (£700 towards our £9000 target) in St Mary's accounts under a ring-fenced nominal, so anyone who would like to contribute in a personal capacity can now do so by cheque. For more information, contact Lis Martin: phone (01332 552627) or email lisjmartin@aol.com

For Baptism at St. Mary's, Holy Family or Christ The King Parishes please speak to one of the clergy or contact our Catechetical coordinator, Fran at: fran@brightshark.co.uk

Please keep baby Charlotte and her family in your prayers as she receives the Sacrament of Baptism this Sunday.

Please pray for the youngsters from our Post-Confirmation group who are having a retreat at The Briars this weekend.

RCIA - Interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the faith? Have you been away from the Church for a while and would like to refresh your understanding? You are welcome to attend our RCIA / Journey in Faith programme on Monday evenings 7pm to 8.30pm. For more information contact our priests or Fran Wickes on 07951 143 648 or fran@brightshark.co.uk

Project Arusha Fundraising- If you are interested in supporting Project Arusha and have yet to make a Will, please see the leaflets at the back of the Church, regarding such. All proceeds will be gratefully received and will get to the Project.

October Devotions: The Rosary will take place after Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament every day in October at approximately 12.40pm except Sundays and will conclude just before 1.00 o'clock Mass.

St. Oscar Romero – Oscar Romero will be canonised on **Sunday 14th October**. A display celebrating this event is planned in the parish centre between 14th Oct. – 3rd Nov. (the day of National Thanksgiving). Please consider contributing to CAFOD, or adding your personal message to the display, during this time.

St. Mary's Retired Group Programme starts at 2:00pm at St. Mary's Parish Centre

- 17th October - October Devotions followed by a Shared Buffet.
- 31st October - Speaker: Paul Newsham. Topic: Superstitions
- 14th November - Speaker: Bob Massey. Topic: Inventions by Mistake

Seek the Face of Christ, Saturday 20th October - A follow up day / legacy event to the Adoremus Congress held in Liverpool at St. Benedict's School Duffield Road DE 22 1 JD from 10am until 2.30pm. The day will include workshops on; The Eucharist and Families and Children, The Sick and the Housebound, Parish life and Schools and youth. Come along and find out more. Everyone welcome.

Clare Merry – a talk on Genetics & Incarnation at the parish centre, **Tuesday 23rd October** at 7.30pm to 9.30pm. Clare will present a new understanding of evolution and a new understanding of creation of which Incarnation is the sign. Questions and discussion afterwards. All views welcome. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. This free event is a fringe event to the Faith in Science series sponsored by Derby Anglican Cathedral and the University of Derby.

Modern Day Slavery/Trafficking Free Half Day Training: Advance notice of this special opportunity **Wednesday 24th October**

9.30 am – 1 p.m. at Byron House, Floor 2, 2A Maid Marian Way, Nottingham, NG1 6HS. This interactive training day is aimed at all staff (paid or volunteers) working for NGOs (non-governmental organisations), faith community organisations, all non-first responders for cases of modern slavery. The commissioned provider is Hope for Justice who provide 'Modern Slavery Awareness' training to frontline professionals. Their programme delivers high quality, interactive training and provides frontline professional and their volunteers with the skills they need to successfully identify victims or cases of Modern Slavery and respond appropriately.

To book a place please follow the link <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/modern-slavery-traffickingtraining-session-for-ngos-non-governmental-organisations-third-sector-tickets-44547520834> or let our

Northern Saints Pilgrimage and Midweek Retreat Monday the 22nd to Friday the 26th October, there are some remaining places left for our If you wish to come to this event, please contact me **as soon as possible** by text message or return email to reserve your place. Bishop Patrick and OGF look forward to welcoming you among us as we journey from Nottingham (Sacred Heart, Carlton) where we board our coach and travel to York first, and then to Durham and surrounding areas. Weather permitting, we will visit the Holy Island at Lindisfarne during the week.

'Let Earth be Glad' - the Justice and Peace Commission's annual assembly, is on **Saturday 10th November 2018** at St Hugh's in Lincoln, a short walk from the railway station. Come and join other Catholics who care about justice, peace and creation. With Graham Gordon, CAFOD's Head of Public Policy, and Cllr Chris Burke, recent Mayor of Lincoln, we'll imagine what a 'zero-carbon' diocese will look like. Join us for a day of inspiration, challenge and networking, opening with Mass celebrated by Bishop Patrick. Share exciting new plans for justice and peace. Book free: jpnotttingham.eventbrite.co.uk or call 07470 907656.

St Joseph's Catholic Academy, Matlock are seeking to appoint an inspirational Year 2 Teacher. The post is due to commence from January 2019 but could start sooner depending on availability of the applicant. We are seeking to appoint a teacher who is committed to the Catholic education of the children. For further information or would like to request an application pack, please do not hesitate to contact the headteacher on 01629 583616 or tmcnamara@st-josephsrc-pri.derbyshire.sch.uk

Messiah in a Day- Another chance to become a part of something amazing for Christmas. The 4th Come and Sing event of **Handel's 'Messiah'** with Richard Roddis at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Mickleover Derby, **Sunday 16th December**. All proceeds to the Kaoma Orphanage Zambia and Jeel alAmeel boys' home. For further details and an application form contact either Gillian von Fragstein gvonfragstein@hotmail.com or Martina Longworth martina.longworth@btinternet.com

The latest Eucharistic Minister rota is now available for collection in the sacristy.



If you hear the fire alarm leave by the nearest exit following the instructions of the fire marshals. The Assembly Point is in the car park

**With every blessing for the coming week from Canon Geoffrey & Fr. Tim
Please present items for the newsletter by Wednesday 2.30pm for the following Sunday**