

FUNERAL for VINCENT McELHONE RIP

The Requiem Mass for Vincent will take place on Tuesday 27th February at 11.30am, followed by the burial at Old Linslade Cemetery.

PCSO RACHEL CARNE AT FRIDAY LUNCH

PCSO Rachel Carne has asked to come along to the Friday Lunch this week to make herself available to anyone who wants a chat about local policing or who have any personal concerns or anxieties. So come along and keep her busy!

MISSIO and LENT



Please use Lent as a time for helping others by contributing to the Missio/Red Box Appeal in support of the work of the Mill Hill Missionaries.

CAFOD BIG LENT WALK.

Lent has started and so has the 'Big Lent Walk'! There has been a great response of over 30 parishioners (+ Fr John!) It's not too late to join; the sign-up sheets are still at the back of church.

You may like to pray in solidarity with the communities facing hardship around the world. CAFOD prayer cards to be given out after Mass. Sponsor sheets are also available, or you can give on-line www.justgiving.com/page/big-lent-walk

J&P FILM NIGHT

A good crowd gathered to watch 'The Miracle Club' and £118.26 was raised for HCPT. Thank you to all who attended.

ECO-SOCIAL: Wednesday 21st February

Are you keen to meet others who are interested in low impact living, green energy, conservation and the like? There is a monthly 'Eco-social' at the Crooked Crow Bar from 7.30pm every 3rd Wednesday of the month: next session 21st February. No agenda – just chat!

LIGHT UP LENT: 29th February – 7th March

A diocesan Week of Accompanied Prayer, a retreat in everyday life. One-to-one support each day for a week, via Zoom, from an experienced prayer guide. More information at: <https://pastoralministryoffice.org/event/lightuplent/>

VOLUNTEER/S NEEDED

Leighton Linslade Homeless Service has run the town's community foodbank for several years. It works on a very respected referral basis with Central Bedfordshire Council's social services, Citizens Advice, Amicus Trust, NOAH outreach team, family support practitioners and mental health support workers. The charity's trustees are keen to continue the high-quality service provided and seek a person who has good organisational skills and willingness to commit to coordinating the foodbank. To discuss this voluntary role and to visit the foodbank, please contact: 07501087708 or 07842122429.

NO MORE UNWANTED PRESENTS!!!

Thank you for your donations, but please, please don't bring along any more unwanted Christmas presents, we have so much they are becoming unwanted here as well!

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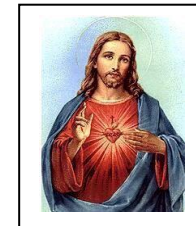
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1st Sunday of Lent, Year B

18th February 2024

Saturday	17 th	1 st of Lent	Confessions Mass	5.45-6.00pm 6.15pm	Peter Norton anniv
Sunday	18 th	1 st of Lent	Mass Mass	9.00am 11.00am	Michael Duggan RIP Frances Grant RIP
Monday	19 th	Feria	Morning Prayer Mass	9.30am 10.00am	Esther Kelly
Thursday	22 nd	Chair of St Peter	Mass	10.00am	Jimmy Cunningham Snr
Friday	23 rd	Feria	Rosary Mass Cross	9.30am 10.00am 7.00pm	Marta & Miceli RIP
Saturday	24 th	Benediction and 2 nd of Lent	Confessions Confessions Mass	10-10.30am 5.45-6.00pm 6.15pm	Special Intention
Sunday	25 th	2 nd of Lent	Mass Mass	9.00am 11.00am	Vincent Atkinson RIP Liam Marrone RIP

CAFOD FAMILY FAST

Next Friday is CAFOD Family Fast day, and there will be a second collection next weekend for CAFOD. Envelopes are available on the entrance table. Please give as generously as you can.

This Lent your donations will help hard working people like James the fisherman in Liberia with resources, tools and training to feed their families for good. Use the envelopes available today or donate online at cafod.org.uk and please join us in praying with James that our sisters and brothers around the world have what they need to feed their families. You can watch a video telling James' story at <https://vimeo.com/895898302/0bf12dbd18>. Thank you for all your support.

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR LENT AT SACRED HEART

Morning Prayer: Monday mornings – starting February 19th at 9.30am

Stations of the Cross: Friday evenings at 7.00pm