

## BIBLE STUDY GROUP

There will be a meeting of the Bible Study group this Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March, at 2.00pm in the Parish Hall. Everyone welcome.

## MISSIO and LENT



Please help yourselves to a copy of the Spring edition of "Mission Today", on the shelf at the back of church.

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

## CAFOD BIG LENT WALK.

40 people, including Fr John are actively involved in our parish Big Lent Walk for CAFOD. Please join them in prayer or sponsorship: prayer cards and sponsorship forms still available at the back of church or via Just Giving at:

[www.justgiving.com/page/big-lent-walk](http://www.justgiving.com/page/big-lent-walk)

## SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE: Appeal for Helpers

Our rota of helpers to make tea and coffee after the 11am Mass on Sundays is somewhat depleted, and needs a bit of a boost. If you come to coffee, could you please think about joining our happy band of volunteers. Many thanks.

## PILGRIMAGE TO ROME 2025

We are planning a possible pilgrimage to Rome from 5<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> May 2025. This has been designated a Holy Year by Pope Francis, when the opening of the Holy Doors is one of the main rituals. It will be a 3 centred pilgrimage, featuring: walking through the Holy Doors of the 4 papal basilicas of Rome and a General Papal Audience, then travelling by coach to Loreto to see the Sanctuary of the Holy House, finishing in Assisi which will include visits to the Basilica of St Francis, the church of St Clare and San Damiano.

The cost will be £2,089 per person, based on sharing a double or twin ensuite room. If you are interested, initially please add your name to the list at the back of church and then more information will follow.

## LEIGHTON LINSLADE CONCERT BAND: Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 7.30pm

LLCB will be presenting their "Spring Spectacular", starting at 7:30pm in Hockliffe Street Baptist Church (doors open 7:00pm). Their band now has 42 members covering all the usual Concert Band instruments and they will be playing a wide variety of music to suit all tastes. Tickets: £10 adults and £8 for children.

## LINSDALE SINGERS CONCERT: Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March, 3.30pm

A concert for Holy Week, on Passion Sunday, at St Barnabas Church, Linslade. An hour of unaccompanied choral music, going through the events of Holy Week, covering a wide range of composers, styles and periods from Tallis in the sixteenth century through Victoria, Bruckner and Stanford to living composers Norwegian Ola Gjeilo and Canadian Eleanor Daley, followed by tea and cakes in the hall, in aid of the church.

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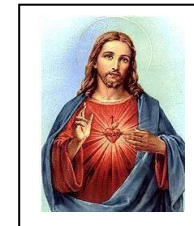
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## 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent, Year B


10<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Saturday	9 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> of Lent	Confessions Mass	5.45-6.00pm 6.15pm	Vincent McElhone RIP
Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> of Lent	Mass Mass	9.00am 11.00am	K & M Rowley RIP J Asprilla Campos RIP
Monday	11 <sup>th</sup>	Feria Station	Morning Prayer Mass Mass	9.30am 10.00am 7.00pm	Mick Sorgente anniv
Thursday	14 <sup>th</sup>	Feria	Mass	10.00am	Enza & Carmelo Bianca RIP
Friday	15 <sup>th</sup>	Feria Stations	Rosary Mass of the Cross	9.30am 10.00am 7.00pm	Mary Snee RIP
Saturday	16 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> of Lent	Benediction Confessions Mass	10-10.30am 5.45-6.00pm 6.15pm	Mario Bibbo anniv
Sunday	17 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> of Lent	Mass Mass	9.00am 11.00am	G D'Angelico & J Dunning RIP Monica Archer RIP

## CAFOD FRIDAY FAST DAY COLLECTION

A total of £1,317.78 of which £552.75 was gift aided, was generously given at the recent CAFOD collection. Thank you for all your support.

## STATION MASS with BISHOP DAVID: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March

 Bishop David will be celebrating five "Station Masses" across the Diocese this Lent, and one of these will be here at Sacred Heart, this Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> March, at 7.00pm. The origin dates back to when the Pope would travel during Lent to different "stations" in Rome, these being different churches within his diocese as Bishop of Rome. The Mass will be followed by simple "Lenten refreshments" in the hall. Please do come if you can.

## OTHER SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR LENT AT SACRED HEART

**Morning Prayer:** Monday mornings at 9.30am

**Stations of the Cross:** Friday evenings at 7.00pm