



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF CHRIST THE KING, BROMBOROUGH

3rd Sunday of Lent

Sunday Readings Cycle B Weekday I

6th / 7th March 2021



Lord Jesus, you are the new temple: the holy temple of your body was pierced and broken for us. Grant me today the gift of worship and praise as I delight in your cross, by which you have redeemed the world.

MASSES AT CHRIST THE KING

Isn't the church looking great! We are still on schedule for it to be completed in time for us to all celebrate together at Easter. Once the redecoration work is completed we will be back open again for all masses (scheduled from Saturday 20th March). Plans are being finalised for Easter and will be communicated in the coming weeks.

For the time being, please continue to book in for the weekend masses - each week our available space is slightly different as the decorators move around the church. Please be mindful of the your surroundings/the scaffolding while you are in the church.

As you come into church each week please remember the basics of "Hands, Face, Space". Please only attend church as a household/support bubble. Please sanitise your hands upon entry/exit. Please wear an appropriate face covering at all times.

We have embraced technology during our enforced closure and Fr Tom is saying weekday masses live daily from the presbytery via Zoom. We had some hiccups at the beginning but it's working great now! **If you wish to join us then please use this link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87140670084?pwd=Q1g0MTdMRIQ0ZmRIMUhhYVYzVVVWdz09> or you can use the Meeting ID 871 4067 0084 and Passcode 402168.** The link is also available on our website.

LENT During Lent this year we are holding weekly **Stations of the Cross** followed by a small **Lentern Talk** via Zoom. This is being hosted by Fr Tom on **Fridays at 7pm**. We are using the same Zoom link as for weekday masses to minimise confusion. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87140670084?pwd=Q1g0MTdMRIQ0ZmRIMUhhYVYzVVVWdz09> or you can use the **Meeting ID 871 4067 0084** and **Passcode 402168**

ATTENTION ALL GIFT AID DONORS The parish will soon begin the process of claiming back the Gift Aid Tax Refunds on donations made in the year 2020-2021. If you have moved house in the last year or your circumstances have changed and you no longer pay income tax (or if for any reason you do not wish to remain in the Gift Aid Scheme) please contact **Brenda Frodsham** on 334 1802. **Note:** If you are a tax payer and not in the Gift Aid scheme, why not join and help the parish to benefit from some of your Income Tax? If you do not pay but your wife or husband is a tax payer, why not get them to join?

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES The new offertory envelopes will be available to collect from next weekend. If you are booked in for mass the box will be available as you enter church. If you are unable to attend at the moment don't worry, we will find another way of getting them to you. Thank you so much for your support.

ECUADOR If people do wish to make a cheque donation to our Lenten appeal to provide food for the malnourished children in Our Lady of Mount Carmel parish then please make it out to the 'Franciscan Missionaries of St. Joseph'. Thank you. Vivienne. Please send to Viv. Farnin, 22 Ambleside Close, Bromborough, CH62 7JF. Thank you.

BAPTISMS following on from the government's 'roadmap out of lockdown' announcement this week I can confirm that we will start to make bookings for Baptisms after Easter with the earliest possible date being Sunday 23rd May. This is being done tentatively and may be liable to change depending on the evolving Covid situation. I will be in touch with those who had baptisms cancelled due to Covid after Easter Sunday and ask that others give us a few days to put these in the diary first. If you have any questions or concerns please contact the parish office and we will help as best we can.

Mass Intentions

Sat 6 th	6pm	Peter Doran
Sun 7 th	10am	Valerie Irene Jones & Wladyslawa Williams
Mon 8 th	9:15am	Mike O'Neil
Tue 9 th	9:15am	Michael Proudfoot
Wed 10 th	9:15am	Malcolm Knight
Thu 11 th	9:15am	Ronnie Godwin
Fri 12 th	9:15am	Parr Family
Sat 13 th	6pm	Michael Hynes
Sun 14 th	10am	Paul Sharrock RIP

All 9:15am weekday masses are via Zoom

ROTAS for next week 13th - 14th March

6pm Sat	Readers: Nora Sim
	Eucharistic Minister: Ann Prichard
10am Sun	Readers: Muriel Gosling
	Eucharistic Minister: Les Peers

FLOWERS No flowers during Lent

HOLY WEEK VOICES FROM THE HOLY LAND by Fr Richard Nesbitt is a great prayer resource for your journey with Christ through Lent and Eastertide. Physical and Digital copies are only £7.99 plus postage and raise funds for Friends of the Holy Land. If you would like an order form please contact the parish office.

DIOCESAN YEARBOOKS AND LITURGICAL CALENDARS We still have a number of each available. If you would like one please contact the parish office.

FOODBANK Thank you very much to those who have continued to support Wirral Foodbank throughout the pandemic. It has been a hard year for many and your acts of kindness show how much we care about each other. Their current list of urgent need items includes tinned fish, rice pudding, tea, coffee, juice/squash, sugar (small packets if possible), deodorant, toothpaste and toothbrushes. They have plenty of beans and pasta. Thank you.

LAST WEEKS COLLECTION £ 624.20
Many thanks for your continued support