

PARISH OF OUR LADY IMMACULATE, WESTBOURNE

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION INDUCTION: Today, during 11.00am Mass, there will be an Induction for our eleven candidates, signalling the start of their preparation for First Holy Communion, which will take place in June. *Please keep them all in your prayers during this very special time.*

JOHN TAYLOR RIP: Please pray for the repose of the soul of John Taylor, son of Mary Taylor, who died last Sunday. We offer our prayers and condolences to all his family and loved ones during this difficult time.

REQUIEM MASS FOR JOHN TAYLOR RIP: Wednesday, 21st February. 11.00am. *May he rest in peace.*

A SIMPLE DAILY PRAYER BOOK: During Lent, we often try to find ways of deepening our prayer life. In his book *A Simple Daily Prayer*, Fr Andrew presents a way to embark on a daily discipline of prayer based around the structure and content of the Divine Office. It includes a selection of Morning and Evening Prayers, together with readings, psalms, intercessions and space for personal prayer. There is a sample copy in the lobby for anyone who is interested. If you would like to purchase one, please let the parish office know. Price: £5.00.

LENT ACCLAMATION: In the season of Lent, the Gospel Acclamation begins and ends, *Praise to You, O Christ, King of Eternal Glory!* This year, we will be singing a version

Every week during Lent at Our Lady Immaculate:

Wednesdays at 11.30am:	Stations of the Cross (starts 28th February)
Wednesdays at 10.15am:	The Rosary
Fridays at 11.30am:	Confessions
Fridays at Noon:	CAFOD Lenten lunch

composed by Fr. Andrew. To enable those who can read music to join in, it has been printed at the bottom of the newsletter. For those who don't read music, it shouldn't take long to pick up the lyrical melody.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: The repose of the soul of Canon Tim Healy who has passed away, aged 80. He had been a priest of the diocese for 55 years, including, during that time, parish priest of the Sacred Heart, Bournemouth. Details of his funeral will follow next week. *May he rest in peace.*

CAFOD LENT FAST DAY APPEAL: Will take place at the end of both Masses today. Envelopes available in the lobby. *Please note: the CAFOD special collection will be next Sunday, 25th February.*

LENT FAST DAY: This Friday 23rd February. Family Fast Day this Lent is an opportunity to support our brothers and sisters who don't have enough to eat. Your donation will make double the difference: for every pound you donate the UK Government will also donate a pound up to a total of £5 million, meaning that twice the number of lives can be transformed. So please give generously and help us raise £5 million.

LENT SOUP LUNCHES EVERY FRIDAY IN LENT: at Noon in the hall. Please join us - come on your own and make new friends or bring a friend. Soup and roll followed by tea or coffee £3.00 each. All proceeds to CAFOD. *Lent Fast Day is this Friday, 23rd February, so please do come along and support CAFOD. Thank you.*

LENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE: for the Pastoral Area. It will take place at Corpus Christi Church, Boscombe on **Wednesday 21st March at 7.00pm.**

PRAYER GROUP: This Thursday 22nd February, 7.15pm. *All welcome.*

TIMES OF CONFESSIONS: 11.30am **Fridays at Our Lady Immaculate.** The Bournemouth Oratory also has confession 20 minutes before each Mass; Wednesdays 11-12 noon; First Wednesdays 7:30-8:30pm and Saturdays 11-12 noon & 4-5pm.

NEW 100 CLUB: To raise money for the new sound system. If you wish to join, please fill in the gold application form available in the lobby. The **100 Club** will run from 1st March 2018 to 28th February 2019. A draw will take place every month for cash prizes. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up. Your random number will be allocated soon. If you wish to pay by BACS or set up a standing order you will need the shortened version of our name "OLI 100 Club", and not as written on the application form. Any queries, please contact the parish office.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS				
Cycle of Prayer: Candidates for the Sacraments				
SUNDAY	FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT	9.00AM	People of the Parish	
18TH FEB		11.00AM	Members of the Goggin Family RIP	
Mon	19th		<i>No Service</i>	
Tues	20th		11.00am Holy Souls	
Weds	21st		11.00am Requiem Mass for John Taylor RIP	
Thurs	22nd		11.00am Special Intention	
Fri	23rd		11.00am Mary Taylor	
Sat	24th		<i>No Service</i>	
SUNDAY	SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT	9.00AM	People of the Parish	
25TH FEB		11.00AM	Dennis Owen RIP	

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN THE AREA:	
The Annunciation Charminster Road. BH8 9RW 01202 513369	
Bournemouth Oratory 1 Albert Road. BH1 1BZ 01202 551013	
Corpus Christi 17/18 St. James Sq. BH5 2BX 01202 425286	
St. Joseph and St. Walburga 2a Archway Road. BH14 9AZ 01202 746539	
Our Lady of Fatima 35 Brixey Road. BH12 3PB 01202 748166	

PARISH CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

Sun	18	9&11am 11.00am	CAFOD Lent Appeal after both Masses Induction of First Holy Communion Candidates	OLI Church OLI Church
Mon	19	2.00pm	Bridge Club	OLI Hall
Wed	21	11.00am 12.30pm	Requiem Mass for John Taylor RIP Committal - John Taylor RIP	OLI Church B'mth Crem
Thurs	22	7.15pm	Prayer Group	OLI Hall
Fri	23	12 Noon	CAFOD Lent Lunch on Lent Fast Day	OLI Hall
Sat	24	10.15am	First Holy Communion Session	OLI Hall

SPECIAL COLLECTION: No second collection today. Next week for CAFOD.

CHURCH CLEANING: 26th February, 12th and 26th March. **2pm.** *New volunteers most welcome.*

SOCIAL EVENTS

LIVE STREAMING OF CARMEN: If you would like to join a group going to Christchurch to see the live streaming of Bizet's opera Carmen, from the Royal Opera House Covent Garden, please sign up on the notice board and put the money in the office post box downstairs by the end of today. Full details can be found on the notice board in the foyer. Tickets cost £18.50 or concessions £16.50 – bus fare extra. If you are willing to offer a lift, please phone Denise on 01202 762014, 07837741886 or email cdkh2@yahoo.co.uk.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: For making or serving soup for the CAFOD Lent Soup Lunches every Friday during Lent. Please see the sign-up sheet on the notice board in the foyer for dates and times.

PASTORAL AREA AND BEYOND

DO YOU WANT TO HELP REFUGEES? International Care Network (ICN) needs more families to provide accommodation & support for unaccompanied children seeking asylum, who are being sent to Dorset under the Home Office dispersal scheme. We continue to need properties to rent for Syrian families who have been placed in Dorset under the government's Syrian Vulnerable Persons Resettlement Scheme. If you would like to find out more about how you can help refugees in Bournemouth, please listen to the ICN

interview on Radio Immaculata <https://www.radioimmaculata.org/audio-on-demands/various-audio-on-demand/sacred-heart-bournemouth/the-fellowship-group> or contact Irwin Buchanan: info@icn.org.uk

SPIRITUALITY AND PRAYER

ADORATION FOR LENT: You are invited to join the Handmaids of the Sacred Heart worldwide in a guided Adoration from **7:30 pm until 8:30 on 20th February** at 6 Parkwood Road, Boscombe BH5 2BH. The theme will focus on Lent.

VIRTUAL LENT RETREAT: If you are looking for a retreat this Lent but can't get away, you could join the online Pray More Lenten Retreat. It is self-paced, meaning you can participate wherever you are and whenever you have the time. Visit praymoreretreat.com

CAN YOU HELP: If any prayer group member can kindly offer a lift for two, please give your name and contact number to the parish office. *Thank you.*

PRAYER CORNER

The sick and housebound of our parish who receive Holy Communion:

Patricia Plumb, Joy Chiari and Naiada Blunden.

The repose of the soul of Canon Tim Healy and John Taylor

Those preparing for First Holy Communion

You are welcome to write other prayer requests in our visitor's book.

Welcome to all our visitors today.

Dedicated bays for wheelchair and buggy users at the front and back.

Please remember: mobile phones off.

Just moved in? Please give us your details.

If you need any assistance,

please ask one of our welcome team, who will be happy to help

Church Cleaning alternate Mondays at 2:00pm.

SVP Society meets Weds, once a month 11:30am in the Hall.

Rosary in church Wednesdays 10.15am

Benediction and Confessions: Fridays 11:30am.

Tea and Coffee Downstairs after both Sunday Masses.

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Pay income tax? We can reclaim 25% of your offering today from the Government at no cost to you. Please use one of our special envelopes or ask for a form.

We are part of Bournemouth Pastoral Area.

Lenten Acclamation

Andrew Moore

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