



# St Teresa's, Beaconsfield & St Dunstan's, Bourne End



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## Congratulations

to *Jerilee Bonner, Pamela Brown, Richard Philbert and Kenneth Sutton* as we celebrate the Rite of Becoming a Catechumen at 6 pm Mass on Saturday night. This is the first step on their journey towards becoming fuller members of the Church at the Easter Vigil.

## Bring and Buy Sale



A Bring and Buy Sale is being held in St Dunstan's porch before and after 10 am Mass this Sunday to help raise funds for Natasha Blazey, a young parishioner from St Dunstan's, to represent Buckinghamshire at a 12-day Centenary Celebration of Guides and Scouts in California in July this year. Natasha needs to raise £1,750 and is doing as much fundraising as she can herself to meet each month's target of £230. Please support her.

## Palm Branches

The ashes that we receive on Ash Wednesday traditionally come from burning palm branches from the previous year's Easter celebration. We will again be collecting any remaining palm branches that you may have at home and burning them for use on Ash Wednesday. We will start collecting the branches next week and will burn them as we come into Church on Sunday, 19th February, the weekend before Ash Wednesday.



## Day of Reflection and Prayer for Healing

On Saturday, 11th February, there will be a Day of Reflection and Prayer for Healing held at the Church of St Francis of Assisi in Ascot, starting at 9.30 am and concluding with Mass and Anointing of the Sick at 1.45 pm. Donations of £10 are suggested. Please bring a packed lunch. Further details are available on the notice boards at the back of both churches.

## Lenten Lunches at St Dunstan's

Each Friday during Lent, Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon in St Dunstan's. Lenten lunches will then be served between 12.30 and 2 pm. All funds raised will be donated to CAFOD. Please try and come along if you can. If you are able to make some soup and/or help with serving, please sign up on the sheet in St Dunstan's porch. Helpers are asked to arrive by 11.30 am to set up tables before the Mass begins.



## Women's World Day of Prayer

This annual service takes place all over the world and, this year, has been prepared by the Christian women of Malaysia and is entitled 'Let Justice Prevail'. A service will be held on Friday, 2nd March in The Free Methodist Church, Shepherds Lane, Beaconsfield at 2 pm. All welcome - men, women and young people.



## St Teresa's Parish Lottery for Mongu

Congratulations to the holders of the winning numbers for January: 43, 20, 142 and 84.

## Catholic Parliamentary & Public Policy Internships

For the last nine years, the Catholic Bishops' Conference has organised Parliamentary and Public Policy Internships for recently graduated Catholics. This year, they are looking to offer 8 internships: five interns will be placed with Christian MPs at Westminster; two in Public Policy with CAFOD and CARITAS Social Action Network; and one in a media internship at Archbishop's House, Westminster. All internships will run from September 2012 - July 2013 and include accommodation and subsistence allowances. Full details and an application form can be found on our website:

<http://www.catholicnews.org.uk/interns>

Completed application forms must either be emailed to [interns@cbcew.org.uk](mailto:interns@cbcew.org.uk) or posted to: Michaela Kelly, Head of HR, 39 Eccleston Square, London SW1V 1BX. The closing date is 5pm on 29<sup>th</sup> February and Assessment days will be 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> March. If you know anyone who may be interested in this opportunity, please encourage them to apply.

## Lent House Groups 2012

This year, Churches Together in Beaconsfield will be running a York Course in five weekly sessions, starting in the week commencing 27th February. The theme of the course is 'Handing on the Torch: Sacred words for a secular world'. Leaflets with full details and an enrolment form are available from St Teresa's narthex. Completed forms need to be returned to St Teresa's Parish Office by Monday please.

## Bekonscot's 2012 Season

The Model Railway Village re-opens on Saturday, 11th February and there will therefore be an increase in traffic flow through St Teresa's car park.



## 'Christmas Past'

Have you any unwanted presents or other new items? Each January, we collect and sell such items for the Cheshire Children's Home in Mongu. A collection box will be available in St Teresa's narthex again this weekend.

## Fundraising Concert

A fundraising concert with four top-class musicians will be held on 11th February at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Church, Beaconsfield Old Town in aid of Chengelo School, Zambia. Tickets (incl glass of wine and canapés at interval) available at £25, £15 seniors and £10 students from Robin and Flora Pedler on 01494 674146.



## Money Matters

- Last weekend's collection at St Teresa's amounted to £2,157.71, including £950 in Standing Orders.
- Last Sunday's collection at St Dunstan's amounted to £656.04, including £265 in Standing Orders.

*Many thanks.*

## LITURGIES FOR THE WEEK - Year B (Mark)

### Fifth Sunday of the Year

4th/5th February 2012

5.30 pm	St Teresa's	Sacrament of Reconciliation
6 pm (Sat)	St Teresa's	Mass: Thanksgiving (Risby)
8.45 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Sarah Jayne Conner RIP & John Edwards RIP
10 am	St Dunstan's	Mass: Vera Hutchinson RIP
11.30 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Mark Januszewski RIP

### Monday

#### Ss Paul Miki & Companions

9.30 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Margaret Lynch RIP
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### Tuesday

9.30 am	St Dunstan's	Mass: Jean Schlecht RIP
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### Wednesday

9.30 am	Both Churches	Word & Communion
10 am	St Teresa's	Prayer Group
7 pm	St Dunstan's	Prayer Group

### Thursday

9.30 am	St Teresa's	Mass: Ross McManus RIP
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### Friday

#### St Scholastica

9.30 am	Both Churches	Word & Communion
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