



BULLETIN

PARISH OF ST LUKE & ST TERESA, SOUTH STREET, WINCANTON, BA9 9DH
INCORPORATING OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
SOUTH STREET WINCANTON, BA9 9DH

TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
28th SEPTEMBER 2019 - YEAR C

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS SUNDAY IS FOR THE LUKAN FUND

ICONS, PRAYER OF THE HEART AND THE MYSTERY OF THE ROSARY

In December 2018 BBC Radio 4 aired "Creation of an Icon". In this series of five short programmes the writer and iconographer Aidan Hart spoke about the process of painting an icon from beginning to end.

On October 26th, in Clifton Cathedral Apostle Room, Aidan will be talking about the meaning of icons and how we can pray with them. He will be joined by Mother Sarah (Orthodox nun and chaplain) and Sarah Richards (Benedictine Oblate) who will talk about 'prayer of the heart' and praying the 'mystery of the rosary'. There will also be an ex-

hibition of contemporary icons in the Cathedral gallery.

The day begins at 10:30am with light refreshments and will end at approximately 3:30pm. Tickets are available through the diocesan website - www.cliftondiocese.com/beauty-spirit-matter - or by telephoning 0117 9025591.

EVENING PRAYER

On Friday 22 November at 7pm in our Cathedral, Bishop Declan invites our diocesan community to join him at a celebration of Evening Prayer during which he will present to each parish, community and school the resources for the Year of Communion starting Sunday 1 December. As we did with the Year of Mission & Year of Prayer, each community will be called forward to receive the year's resources.

MASS TIMES

Sunday	10.30am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
	6.30pm	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Monday	9.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Tuesday	9.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Thursday	9.45am	St Mary's, Bruton
Friday	11.30am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
Saturday	10.00am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
	5.30pm	St Mary's, Mere
Sunday	10.30am	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton
	6.30pm	St Luke & St Teresa, Wincanton

DONATIONS MADE BY STANDING ORDER

The Parish Office has received the following message from the Diocesan Finance Office.

'Current Order Standing Donations

To our parishioners who kindly donate by monthly Standing Order.

We are changing the way in which we process standing order donations due to our new online parish accounting system. The new system enables parishioners to pay directly into the Parish bank account rather than through the main Clifton Diocese account.

We will be sending out letters to each of our current Standing Order Donors with a new form to be completed, signed and returned in the pre-paid envelope supplied. This change will benefit the parish as they will receive your donation directly each month without the current processing delay.

Your donation is extremely valuable to your par-

ish and we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your ongoing generosity and support.'

If you have any questions about this process, please contact either Eve Casey on GA.wincanton.ssluke-andteresa@cliftondio-cese.com or Joanna Bentley in the Parish Office.

VOCATIONS DISCERNMENT RETREAT

A three-day Vocations Discernment Retreat, organised by Clifton Diocese and Downside Abbey for Catholics aged 18 to 35 years old, will be held at Downside from Friday 18th to Sunday 20th October 2019.

The talks during the retreat will consider all vocations, including consecrated life, priesthood, and lay life.

The residential cost with all meals included is £50 in shared accommodation in a Retreat House or £70 in an en-suite twin room in the Monastery Guest Wing. The non-residential cost with all meals included is £40.

No one should feel unwelcome if they cannot meet these costs, so please discuss this with the organiser.

For more information and to book please contact the organiser, Rina Bird, at rinabird@outlook.com

CELEBRATE BRISTOL!

Are you interested in exploring your Faith in a family friendly setting? Then Celebrate Bristol could be for you! We are holding a weekend conference at St Bede's Catholic College in Bristol on the 26th and 27th October that is sure to be great fun and faith filled.

We have great speakers, worship and fellowship, dedicated streams for the children and young people specifically designed for each age group. Why not come along and see for yourselves! For more information and to book see our website www.celebrate-conference.org/bristol

A LIFE LIVED IN COMMUNION

On Saturday 19 October we gather at St Brendan's College, Brislington, (9.15am -2.30pm) with Fr. James Hanvey SJ, who will help us reflect upon A life lived in Communion. The day at St Brendan's is set to prepare us for the coming Year of Communion (beginning the first Sunday of Advent) and introduce us to the resources that will be available to us from the end of November.

All are welcome. Please let the Adult Education office know by Monday 14 October at adult.education@cliftondiocese.com. Lunch WILL be provided for this day.

FAITH IN ACTION

Would your parish like to be involved in the new Faith in Action Diocesan Award for young people? This national award is a great way to involve young people in parish life through the service of others! Come along to an information morning on Saturday 5th October at Alexander House, Pennywell Road, Bristol. BS5 0TX. To book your place email: youth@cliftondiocese.com

ILLUSTRATED TALK

An illustrated talk on a voyage in a container ship. From Germany down the coast of Africa, across the Atlantic, and down the coast of South America. Also to the island of St Damien of the Lepers, and the "Gone with the Wind" houses of Louisiana. In St Mary's Catholic Church, Pettridge Lane. Wednesday October 16th 6pm. Contributions to the Apostleship of the Sea invited. For tickets, contact Deacon Michael 01747 830 461.

THE WINTER FAIR

After over forty years of fundraising for the national charity, Hft, Countess de Salis retired leaving the popular fair in limbo. Encouraged by the outgoing chairman to fund raise for a local charity Pilla Dingle and Suki Posnett, and their enthusiastic committee of over fifty local men and women, decided to fundraise for The Balsam Centre in Wincanton.

This new event is called The Winter Fair and this year is being held on Saturday 23rd November at Wincanton Racecourse 10.00-1.30 entry 50p The local CAT bus is running to the racecourse all day from the bus stop outside Wincanton Memorial Hall from 9.30. Free of charge. There are the popular stalls of Trash and Treasure, Tombola, Toys, Deli and Cakes, Plants, Bags, Art Gallery, Jewellery, Books, Kitchen Stall, Gifts, Pre-Loved Fashion, Raffle and a Delicious Cafe. Lots of free parking at the race course, lots of smiles and a big welcome. The Balsam Centre helps so many people, in so many ways, in our local community. So come and support them and have a good day out shopping, seeing friends and enjoying yourself. See you there!

MISSION BOXES

Please bring your Mission Boxes to St Luke's by Sunday 6th October.



Sunday 28th September - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Response to Psalm;

My soul, give praise to the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation;

Alleluia, alleluia!

The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice,
says the Lord,

I know them and they follow me.

Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon; Remember your word to your servant, O Lord,
by which you have given me hope.

This is my comfort when I am brought low.

SICK & HOUSEBOUND VISITS

IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO IS SICK, DEBILITATED OR HOUSEBOUND AND
WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE COMMUNION, PLEASE CONTACT FR LOUIS OR THE
PARISH OFFICE ON 01963 34408

DIARY PAGE

SEPTEMBER

29th Compline (Wincanton Churches Together) 6.30pm St Peter & Paul, W'ton

OCTOBER

18th Vocations Discernment Retreat

26th Creation of an Icon

27th Friday Film Club - Son of Ranbow

10.30pm

1.40pm

Downside

Clifton Cathedral

St Luke's, Wincanton

NOVEMBER

13th Requiem Mass for Deceased Priests of the Deanery

noon

English Martyrs, Chard

DECEMBER

10th School & Parish Carol Service

14th Spectra Musica Carol Concert

16th Our Lady's School Christmas Mass

6.00pm

7.30pm

2.30pm

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MONEY BOX

The collections last week raised £777.38 of which £238.06 was The Lukan Fund.

Thank you all.