



# 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 FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
22<sup>nd</sup> 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](http://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

|          |         |                                |
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| 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://www.celebrate-conference.org/bristol)

## CATECHISTS FORMATION COURSE

The next round of catechists' formation starts in January 2020 and is designed for the formation of the catechists of our diocese. The course is aimed at forming new catechists as well as supporting and refreshing existing and "well-seasoned" catechists. This next series is to be hosted at St Osmund's, Salisbury. The course will run on a Wednesday evening, once a month through the year. Starting Wednesday 29 January, the course includes the diocesan day gathering on Saturday 27 June 2020. There are some engaging and stimulating facilitators for each session. The session on 29 January is designed to set the scene for the monthly sessions that follow. Sessions start at 7.30pm with refreshments from 7pm. Further information can

be found on the Clifton Diocese website.

Those wishing to take part in the series will need to send their registration details to Alexander House, 160 Pennywell Road, Bristol, BS5 0TX by the end of January. There is a minimal cost to the course of £50 which may be subsidised by your parish.

## 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](mailto: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](mailto: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.



## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September - 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Response to Psalm;

**Praise the Lord, who raises the poor.**

Gospel Acclamation;

**Alleluia, alleluia!**

Open our heart, O Lord,  
to accept the words of your Son.

**Alleluia!**

Communion Antiphon; You have laid down your precepts to  
be carefully kept; may my ways be firm  
in keeping your statutes.

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### 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

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## DIARY PAGE

### SEPTEMBER

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|------------------|--|--------|----------------------------|
| 25 <sup>th</sup> | School Harvest Mass                    | 2.30pm | St Luke's, Wincanton       |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> | Celebrate Bristol!                     | 9.30am | St Bede's College, Bristol |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> | Compline (Wincanton Churches Together) | 6.30pm | St Peter & Paul, W'ton     |

### OCTOBER

|                  |                                  |         |                      |
|------------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------------------|
| 18 <sup>th</sup> | Vocations Discernment Retreat    |         | Downside             |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> | Creation of an Icon              | 10.30pm | Clifton Cathedral    |
| 27 <sup>th</sup> | Friday Film Club - Son of Ranbow | 1.40pm  | St Luke's, Wincanton |

### NOVEMBER

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| 13 <sup>th</sup> | Requiem Mass for Deceased Priests of the Deanery | noon | English Martyrs, Chard |
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### DECEMBER

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| 10 <sup>th</sup> | School & Parish Carol Service    | 6.00pm | St Luke's, Wincanton |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> | Spectra Musica Carol Concert     | 7.30pm | St Luke's, Wincanton |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> | Our Lady's School Christmas Mass | 2.30pm | St Luke's, Wincanton |

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### MONEY BOX

The collections last week raised £823.71 of which £322.59 was Home Mission Sunday.

Thank you all.