

<b>Masses &amp; Other Services</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> April – 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2017			
Sat	6:30	Eileen Cann	SC
Sun	9:00	People of the Parish	SB
	10:30	People of the Parish	SC
Mon	10:00	Service of the Word & Communion	SC
Tue	11:30	Templeman & Bryne Families	SC
Wed	10:00	Jim Lamb	SC
Thu	9:10	St Bede's School Mass Mary Bradley	SB
Fri	9:00	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	SC
	10:00	St Cuthbert's School Mass Sudath Nadika Karunathilake	
	12:00	Stations of the Cross followed by Lenten Lunch	
Sat	10:00	Ruby & Chris Clarke	SB
	10:30	Confession *	
	5:00	Confession*	SC
	6:30	Margaret Sinclair	
Sun	9:00	People of the Parish	SB
	10:30	People of the Parish	SC

\*also on request to Fr. Chris

#### **EASTER CLEAN, ST BEDE'S**

In preparation for Easter, we will be doing a clean of the church after Saturday (8<sup>th</sup> April) morning mass. Many hands make light work, so please come along, even if it's for a short length of time! Tea and coffee will be provided.

#### **LENTEN LUNCHES**

On Friday in the Coffee Shop at 12.40: homemade soup, bread & cheese and tea & coffee. The charge is £3.50 and all profits will go to Mary's Meals and the Sisters of Mercy working in a township in Addo, South Africa.

#### **ST BEDE'S CHILDREN'S LITURGY**

We are still looking for people to both run the sessions and support them. To express interest and get information, please see Alexandra White.

#### **THE PHOENIX CLUB**

On Monday April 3<sup>rd</sup>, in the Coffee Shop at 7:30pm. The guest speaker will talk about the Roman Times N.H.S. Ladies please remember the Easter Egg/Bonnet competition.

#### **APF MILL HILL RED BOXES**

Due to our advancing years, we would be grateful if some younger person or persons would consider working with us for this year, with a view to taking over responsibility as secretary/treasurer for the above, so that the good work for the APF Mission can continue in the parish. Thanks.  
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#### **FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Year A)**

#### **COLLECTION**

Next weekend there will be a retiring collection for the Catholic Community in the Holy Land (Holy Places).

#### **NEXT WEEKEND (PASSION SUNDAY)**

Please try to bring a small green branch to Mass with you. Both Masses at St. Cuthbert's will begin in the Coffee Shop.

#### **THANK YOU**

Jim and Brenda Clewes would like to thank parishioners for the many prayers, cards, calls, visits and kindness received during Jim's recent illness and surgery. He is making a good recovery, thanks in no small way to the wonderful support he has had from so many people.

#### **LENTEN FILMS**

St Cuthbert's Coffee Shop at 7:00pm, Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> April. No charge. The final film for Lent marks a change of style from previous weeks. We will have the 1943 film "Song of Bernadette" for which Jennifer Jones won an Oscar. While the story is well known this classic film is an opportunity to recall the beginnings of devotion to Our Lady of Lourdes.

#### **FATHER JOHN REID**

There will be another meeting for the parishes on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 7pm at which the Police will also be present. This will be in the Coffee Shop.

#### **JOURNEY IN FAITH**

**There will be no meeting this week.** The next meeting will be on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April 7.45-9.00pm in St. Cuthbert's Coffee Shop. The topic will be "Our Lady, the Saints and life after death".

#### **SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION**

Next Thursday (6<sup>th</sup> April) at St. John Boste. This service is for all the parishes in our partnership. Fr. Chris will be one of the priests attending this Service of Reconciliation

#### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup>: 10.30am at St. Bede's. 5pm-6.15pm at St. Cuthbert's or on request to Fr. Chris.

<b>COLLECTIONS</b>
<b>Chester-le-Street:</b>
Loose £330.55; GA £294; CAFOD £149.57
<b>Sacriston</b>
Loose £160.10; GA £125
<b>Thank You</b>

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