St Barnabas Cluster of Parishes

Churches

- St Augustine's, Langcliffe Drive, Heelands, MK13 7PL
- St Bede's, High Street, Newport Pagnell, MK16 8EN
- Christ the King, Frithwood Crescent, Kents Hill, MK7 6HQ
- St Edward's Burchard Crescent. Shenley Church End MK5 6DX
- St Mary's, Aspley Hill, Woburn Sands, MK17 8NN
- Our Lady of Lourdes, St Pauls, Moorgate, Leadenhall, MK6 5NA
- Christ the Cornerstone, Saxon Gate, MK9 2ES

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CANON DAVID OAKLEY TO BE THE THIRTEENTH **BISHOP OF NORTHAMPTON**



The Holy Father has appointed Canon David Oakley, a priest of the Archdiocese of Birmingham and currently rector of St. Mary's College, Oscott, to be the thirteenth Bishop of Northampton. For more information please visit: https:nothamptondiocese.



Open House On any Monday between 5.30pm and 7.30pm in

the Cluster Office, (St Augustine's, Langcliffe Drive, Heelands). Each of the Priests and the Administrator are usually available to speak about anything, and deal with administrative tasks for all of our Parishes. There is no need to make an appointment. Just pop in.

Weekday Mass at St Edwards

There is a daily Mass from Monday to Friday at St Edward's Church Shenley Church End at 9.30am, in the Chapel.

A message from Fr Paul



Thank you to everyone who contributed to my retirement

celebration recently. Thank you for making it such a happy celebration. Thank you for the cheque, and the other aifts; for the compliments and the kind words. Thank you too for the spread of food, for the music, the altar serving and all the organisation. Perhaps retirement isn't so bad after all!

Fr Paul



Lepra Appeal

lepra This weekend We will beat leprosy together 25th and 26th January at St

Mary's, Woburn Sands, we welcome Ann Wilson who will be making an appeal on behalf of Lepra, which is a UK based charity working to beat leprosy.



Divine Mercy **Devotions** There will be Divine

Mercy Devotions today, Sunday 25th January, after Mass at Christ the King Church.

Flowers at St Bede's

The flower arrangers at St Bede's would really appreciate more people to help prepare the flowers in Church. If you can help please speak to Maria Ghansah or one of the Priests or Deacons.



Receiving Communion in Hospital



If you, or a member of your family, are going to

be in Milton Keynes University Hospital and would like to receive Communion, please contact the hospital chaplaincy on 01908 996061, who will be more than happy to visit and arrange for you to receive Holy Communion.

Candlemas Collection for Australia

On Sunday 2nd February the community church at Christ the King, Kents Hill will be holding a collection for the disaster that is affecting a large part of Australia. So there will be a second collection at the 11.30am Mass on this day so that we can join as a Community to support the appeal.

Traidcraft Stall

The Traidcraft stall will be open in St Mary's Church Hall after

both Masses, on 1st and 2nd February, Please come along and see the range of Fairtrade products on offer.

Parish St Bernadette's Primary School Schools: Monkston Park 01908 692438

St Monica's Primary School **Neath Hill** 01908 606966

St Paul's Secondary School Leadenhall 01908 669735



Confirmation Programme

Please note that the Confirmation Programme session that was planned for Tuesday 4th February is cancelled. The next session will now take place on Tuesday 10th March at 7pm at St Augustine's Church.

Life Teen

The next Life Teen Night will take place on Friday 7th February at Our Lady of Lourdes, Moorgate, from 7pm to 8.30pm. Life Teen is a fantastic way for young people aged 11-17 years to grow in their faith and to meet other saints in training. For more information about Life Teen, please visit: lifeteen.com

Celebration 2020

The 42nd Celebration will be held at Thornton College, August 28th to 31st 2020. Celebration is a residential event with a focus on religious education and sport. The event is open to all young people from school year 6 to 13. Applications for the forty places are available today from the priest at each of the churches.

Rest In Peace

Please pray for those who have died recently ` especially:

- Jefferey Kojo Wiafe RIP, whose funeral will take place on Saturday 25th January at 10am in St Augustine's.
- Anthony Bull RIP, whose funeral will take place on Thursday 23rd January at 1pm at St Mary's.
- Krystyna Kielbasa RIP, whose funeral will take place on Friday 31st January at 11.45am at St Augustine's.
- Eve Barry RIP, whose funeral will take place on Wednesday 5th February at 11.30am at St Augustine's.

Congratulations

We welcome: Neriah Goll, Linda Malik, Ernie Vary, Blessed David

Okafor, Zachery
Ouseph who are being
baptised within the
Cluster this weekend,
and Emilia Wiktor, who
was baptised last
weekend at Christ the
King. Please remember
them and their families
in your pray

St Mary's Eucharistic Ministers

New rotas are available on the table at the back of the Church. The next meeting will be Saturday 21st March at 9.30am.

Our Lady of Lourdes Feast Day



The Parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes, St Paul's, Moorgate will be holding a

'bring and share' brunch following the 9.30am Mass, on Sunday 9th February, to celebrate the Feast of their patron, Our Lady of Lourdes. Please bring along cakes and finger food to share.

St Edward's Craft Group

The next Meeting of the St Edward's Craft Group will be on Monday 3rd February at 10.15am in the narthex of St Edward's Church, Shenley Church End. Anyone from the Cluster, who is interested in attending, please come along and join the group. If you have a crochet hook and some wool please bring that along, as the group are going to try to learning to crochet.

Weekday Masses



This week, there will be no Mass on Monday 27th

January at 9.30am at Christ the King Church, Kents Hill.

Last weekend's collection:

St Augustine's: £1284.43
St Bede's: £366.26
Christ the King: £809.83
St Edward's: £765.48
St Mary's: £620.75
Our Lady of Lourdes
and Cornerstone: £1111.28

(Amounts include standing orders)

Liturgies for the Week Beginning 27th January 2020

Saturday (Vigil)

5pm Christ the Cornerstone Reconciliation

5.30pm Christ the Cornerstone People of the Parish

6.30pm St Mary's Bridie Stack RIP

6.30pm St Edward's

Sunday Third Sunday of the Year

! 8.30am St Augustine's Mary Matthew RIP Swada Abbound RIP

9am St Bede's

Annie Comerford RIP

9.30am Our Lady of Lourdes Special Intention

10am St Edward's Hubert Auckland RIP Joe Quinn RIP Margaret Daines RIP

11am St Mary's

11.30am St Augustine's

Eamon Lavery RIP

Patricia Maxwell–Saul

11.30am Christ the King Keneolisa Andrew Edima Oqbonna RIP

2pm St Augustine's (Polish)

5pm Cranfield University

6.30pm St Augustine's

Monday 9.30am

Christ the King - No Mass

12.30pm Christ the Cornerstone

Tuesday

9.30am St Augustine's

Bernadette and Elmo Int

10am St Mary's

Peter Woodhall RIP

Wednesday

9.30am St Augustine's Flory Rodericks RIP

12.30pm Christ the Cornerstone

Thursday

9.30am St Augustine's

10.00am St Mary's

Friday

10am St Bede's Mr Purcell RIP

6pm St Augustine's Exposition and Reconciliation 7pm St Augustine's

St Augustine's Thanksgiving Bernadette & family & St Augustine's parish Beryl Messenger RIP

Saturday

10am Our Lady of Lourdes Followed by Reconciliation