PRAYER SPONSORS Many thanks to the 8 young people and 6 adults who have volunteered to be prayer sponsors for our children who are preparing for the sacraments of First Confession and First Holy Communion this summer. You will hear from the children in due course.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS Will take place each Friday during lent, straight after the 9.30am Mass, and starting on Friday 24th February. Please let the office know if you would like to 'lead' The Staions: **a** 463248 or <u>parbold@hotmail.com</u>. Thank you.

FRIDAY SOUP LUNCH DURING LENT Please join us for a soup lunch between 12.00 and 1.30pm each Friday during Lent, at the Priory. Donations will be taken for Lenten charities. All welcome.

PALMS The ashes used in the liturgy on Ash Wednesday are traditionally made from the palms used on Palm Sunday the previous year. If you have palms at home, which could be burnt for this Ash Wednesday, 22nd February, please could you bring them to Church during the week before and place them in the basket. Thank you.

COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS This will restart on **Sunday 12th March** after Mass, in the Priory and will take place on the first Sunday of every month. Thank you to those who have volunteered to help with this. Although we already have a rota, its not too late to volunteer! If you can help, please let the parish office know on 3 463248 or email parbold@hotmail.com. Commitment would only be twice a year. Many thanks.

THE PARISH ROOM The parish room, is located in the Priory (formerly the parish priest's study). It is available for use by groups relating to spirituality or other parish business. It is very comfortable and whilst it is already used by a number of groups for meetings, there is still plenty of availability. If interested, please let office know on a 463248 or email parbold@hotmail.com.

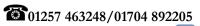
PARISH ACTIVITIES Since July 2020 when OLAS re-opened, there has been a gradual progression towards a new normal. Whilst many of the parish's former activities have resumed, there may be a new activity you'd like to see take place. Have you an idea or project that you'd like to suggest or undertake - don't be shy! Please suggest personally to Fr Daley after any Mass, or by contacting the office: **a** 463248 or <u>parbold@hotmail.com</u>. It would be great to start doing some social events, prayer/spirituality initiatives, group projects, more children's Masses, parish outings again. Young or not so young - your ideas are welcome!

PASTORAL DEVELOPMENT BULLETIN The Pastoral Development department of the Archdiocese supports parishes and deaneries in areas of catechesis, catholic social action, stewardship and formation. They produce a very informative bulletin every fortnight, giving details of retreats, courses, talks and other events, book reviews and more! You can use the following link o view their bulletin: https://mailchi.mp/66a35fdcea58/pd-bulletin

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Rev. LJR Daley, Priest

SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

12th February 2023

Celebration of Holy Mass

12 th Sunday	SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	10:30 am John Finch
13th Monday	Feria	7:00 pm Bill Marston
14th Tuesday	SS CYRIL, MONK & METHODIUS,	7:00 pm Agnes Pendlebury
•	BISHOP, PATRONS OF EUROPE	
15th Wednesday	Feria	7:00 pm Ruth Cornwell
16th Thursday	Feria	11:30 am Lionel Yates
17th Friday	Seven Founders of the Servite Order	9:30 am Sick of the parish
19th Sunday	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	10:30 am Pro populo

CONFESSIONS All welcome to celebrate this important Sacrament before Mass on a Monday and Tuesday

ROSARY The Rosary will be prayed from 6.35pm on Tuesday in Church, before Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR Sheila Jennings, Sandra Marston, Denise Fletcher, Richard D'Alton, Chloe Harrison, Susan Jones

LATELY DEAD Elizabeth (Beth) Conroy

ANNIVERSARIES Mary Cummings, Patricia Reece, Mary Eden, Peter Madden

LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY COLLECTION Loose £228.40 Envelopes £122.00 and SOs £444.00. Thank you for your offerings.

200 CLUB WINNER FEBRUARY Congratulations to George Kienstra, winner of £50.

NOTE Please note that the office will be closed Monday to Wednesday this week.