

MASSES AND INTENTIONS

1st to 9th June 2024

Sat 1st June Saint Justin

9am Confessions
10am Latin Mass: *Anthony Di Falco*
6pm Mass: *Joseph Attard (RIP)*

Sun 2nd June The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

10:30am Mass: *Antoine de Padou Mboumbou Miyakou (RIP)*

5pm Kerala Mass

Latin Mass:

8:30am: *Private Intention*

Mon 3rd June Ss Charles Lwanga & Companions

10am Latin Mass: *Fr Hunwicke (RIP)*

Tue 4th June

8am Latin Mass: *Andrew Madden (RIP)*
6:30pm Mass

Wed 5th June Saint Boniface

8am Latin Mass: *Mark & Eppie Blackwell*
10am Mass: *John O'Rourke (RIP)*

Thu 6th June

8am Latin Mass: *Protection of human life against abortion/euthanasia*

10am Mass: *Peace in the Ukraine and the Middle East*

10:30am Funeral: *Antonio (Tony) Di Salvo (RIP)*

Friday 7th June The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

8am Latin Mass: *Holy Souls*

11am to 11:45am Adoration and Confessions

12 noon Mass

12:30pm Mother's prayers

Sat 8th June Immaculate Heart of Mary

9am Confessions

10am Latin Mass: *Conversion of husband and daughter*

1pm First Holy Communion Mass

6pm Mass: *Thanksgiving to St Rita of Casia and Padre Pio*

Sun 9th June 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

10:30am Mass: *Denis Kane (RIP)*

3pm Lithuanian Mass

5pm Kerala Mass

Latin Mass:

8:30am: *TBA*

SUNDAY'S RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The cup of salvation I will raise;
I will call on the Lord's name.

CONFIRMATION

The Confirmation class on Tuesdays in the PD Room at 7:30pm.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025

We are holding a 'Meet and Greet' encounter on Wednesday 26th June at 7pm at the parish. This event is for parents only. If you would like your child to make his or her First Communion next year, we invite you to this informal gathering.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

This weekend 1st/2nd June
The CHISEN Foundation

Weekend 15th/16th June
Day for Life

CONDOLENCES

To the recently bereaved
family and friends of

Antonio (Tony) Di Salvo (RIP)
Please pray for the repose of his soul.

The 30th commemoration of the 1994 Genocide against the Tutsi in Rwanda. Saturday 8th June. 2pm - 4pm at The Higgins Museum Bedford. MK 40 3 XD. Survivors stories including one from a parishioner.

COUNTING AND BANKING

We are very grateful to the small team who, week by week, count and bank parish monies. It would be more helpful if we had a larger pool of people involved with this work. Could you volunteer time to support this important dimension of parish life. Please contact Celia or Fr Richard

A DAY FOR PARISH READERS

The new Lectionary will be introduced on the First Sunday of Advent this year. In advance of this, there is a training day for parish readers on Tuesday 11th June, 10am to 2:30pm at the Holy Ghost Centre in Luton. Like to take part? Please contact Fr Richard

BEING A WELCOMER IN THE PARISH

This is a tremendous role which goes to the heart of Christian hospitality and of honouring persons – whoever they are. Fr Richard would like to see this role develop in the parish and to see a team of welcomers being trained and available to support parish events. Fr Richard is hosting a meeting for this on Wednesday 5th June at 7pm in the parish room. Please consider coming to this meeting where we can look anew at how to develop the role in the parish.

THE CHISEN FOUNDATION

Will be holding an appeal this week-end June 1st/2nd to raise funds to help with the completion of the House of Hope in Ghana. CHISEN is a local registered charity that many of you will be familiar with. We sincerely thank all of you who have supported us in the past. With your continued help we will move forward to the completion of the House of Hope which will become an educational centre offering care and support to children and their families with special needs and disabilities in a country where any help is sadly lacking.

COMMUNITY DROP-IN COFFEE MORNING

Thursday 6th June from 10am & 12 noon London Road Surgery & Cauldwell Medical Centre, with East Bedford Primary Care Network are hosting a drop-in session at Christ the King Church Hall. You will be able to access free support and information (non-medical), or you can just pop in for a chat with one of our attending organisations, or just for a free cup of tea.

BEDFORD FOODBANK

Many thanks for your continued support of. You may of seen the Trussell Trust's end of year statistics which showed 3.1 million food parcels given out from April 2023 to March 2024 from all the Trussell Trust foodbanks. Bedford Foodbank saw a 12% increase from the previous year, so we are grateful for your support.

These our most required items this month: Long Life Fruit Juice, Long Life Milk, Tinned Tuna, 500g Bags of Rice, Biscuits, Jars of Curry Sauce, Tinned Meat, Jars of Coffee, Bars of Chocolate, Deodorant.

You can leave your items for the Foodbank in our box at the back of the church.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE WHO ARE ILL IN THE PARISH

PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Dear Jesus, divine physician and healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. Oh dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. Amen.



PARISH REPOSITORY

Don't forget our stall by the church entrance. Mass cards, rosaries, candles, and all other religious gifts are available for you to buy after Masses.

GOLDEN FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Meets every Thursday 2pm until 4pm in the parish hall.

New members are very welcome. Please just come along and join us for a cup of tea or coffee and see for yourself what happens. Perhaps you have some talent that we could enjoy? Come along and make our club a more interesting place for our senior citizens. Enjoy other people's company, just come along. Minimum age 50 years.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

English Mass £496.11

Latin Mass £177.14

