

Lent at St Aelred's:

Ash Wednesday Mass and Distribution of Ashes 6th March 9.30 am

Retreat in Daily Life: Supporting meeting in the house on Thursdays 7-8 pm and Friday's 10.15 - 11.15 (attend one or the other)

Stations of the Cross Fridays 7pm to 7.30pm.

CAFOD Lenten Fast Day: on Friday 15th March. Envelopes to be returned weekend of the 16/17th March.

CAFOD Lent Boxes: to be returned to Church on Holy Thursday, 18th April **'Women of the Passion' – The Women's Via Dolorosa.** 4th April 7-9pm in the Hall An ecumenical evening of prayer for women. Enquires: Bernadette Broderick bb8bble@gmail.com

Seder Meal on Tuesday 16th April 7.00-9.30pm in the parish hall. Sign up sheet on the noticeboard.

Chrism Mass - St Anne's Cathedral Leeds, Wed 17th 11am - all welcome.

Reconciliation Service - date and time to be announced.

St Aelred's Lenten Retreat in Daily Life

During lent you are invited to take part in an Ignatian Retreat in Daily life, this involves making a commitment during Lent to pray at home with a set of retreat scripture readings at least 3 times a week.

Those taking part will be supported by weekly meetings which will be held during Lent after Friday morning Mass and on Thursday evenings at 7pm.

You can choose to attend either meeting.

These meetings will last no more than 1 hour and will be an opportunity for reflection on the themes of the scriptures.

Introductory meetings for those wishing to take part will be held on **Thursday 7th March at 7 pm** and on **Friday 8th March at 10.15 am** in Parish room, you are welcome to attend either meeting. At these meetings retreat booklets will be distributed to those wishing to take part in the retreat. Contact Deacon David if you have any questions.

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Bulletin items:

(NB Deadline 5pm on Wednesday)

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Masses for the Week Beginning 3rd March 2019

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Sat 02/03	6.30pm	Holy Mass	
Sun 03/03	10am	Holy Mass	<i>Baptism of</i>
Mon 04/03	9:30am	Word and Communion	
Tues 05/03	9:30am	Word and Communion	
Wed 06/03	9:30am 12 noon 7.00 pm	Holy Mass At St Aelred At St Robert's At St Robert's	<i>Ash Wednesday</i>
Thur 07/03	9:30am	Word and Communion	
Fri 08/03	9:30am	Holy Mass	
Fri 08/03	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross	

Eucharistic Adoration available every weekday in the chapel

Prayer and Praise: Wednesday evenings: 7pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: at St Robert's Church Saturdays 11 to 11.45 am and 5 to 5.45 pm, and at other times by appointment.

Prayers for the Sick: please pray for Fr Angelo and Paul Williams


Recently Deceased: Charles Edward Smith

CAFOD - Lent begins this coming Wednesday 6th March. Lenten Boxes will be available this weekend. By your support through prayers, fasting and taking action we have the opportunity to change lives and stand in solidarity with those who need our help. As in previous years the boxes will be presented at Mass on Holy Thursday. Thank you once again for all your support.

The next meeting of St Aelred's SVP conference is on Tuesday March 5th at 6:30 pm in the parish house. Tickets for the SVP national raffle will be on sale at the meeting.

Gift Aid / offertory envelopes - Envelopes for the new financial year will be available during March. If you wish to join the Gift Aid scheme or make your offering by Standing Order, the necessary forms will be available from David Rutherford. Boxes of envelopes will be available also for anyone who is not a taxpayer but wishes to plan their offerings. If there is anyone who has signed previously a Gift Aid declaration but is no longer a tax payer could they please let David know (telephone 887470). This is to ensure we do not have to make refunds to the Revenue where unnecessary claims for tax are made.

Deanery day of renewal - Saturday 9th March from 11.30 to 4.00 pm in St Aelred's church hall, St. Aelred's Church, Woodlands Drive, Harrogate HG27BE Speakers will be Michael and Eileen Gilhooly. The title of the talk is "Our Camino part 3. Leon to Santiago De Compostela." There will be a shared table for lunch so please bring a small contribution. Maureen Green 011423871116 or visit our web site ccrleeds.org.uk

Family Ceilidh – Saturday 23rd March 7:30 pm – 10:30 pm 
The CAFOD group and the SVP are organising a family ceilidh (barn dance) with Philip & Joyce Rowe's ceilidh band, Stray Chords. There will be a bar, nibbles and delicious cake. There will also be a quiz and games for those who don't like dancing. Tickets will be available after Mass from 2nd /3rd March: adult £5, children free. It should be a fun evening for all the family. Do come along and support two very good causes.

Thursday 7th March – Mindfulness in the Christian Tradition led by Angela Rogerson: 10.00am – 3.45pm, The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley. Take a Breathe – an invitation to experience some Mindfulness Practices – to pause, to pray, to cultivate mindful presence of oneself, of others and of God. £30 to include morning coffee, a hot two-course lunch and afternoon tea. To book please contact the Administrator at The Briery on 01943 607287 or briery@btconnect.com

Harrogate Homeless. The SVP has had a request from Harrogate Homeless for a range of items. They would particularly welcome donations of sleeping bags. These need to be in good, clean condition - as new. They also require UHT Milk, Custard Powder, Gravy Granules, Fruit Squash and Fruit Juice Cartons. If you are able to provide any of these, please leave them at the back of church and we will arrange to deliver them. Thank you.

Choose either March 20th or March 23rd March 2019 – Lenten Retreat Day led by Fr Dennis Cassidy 10.00am-3.30pm, The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley. A journey to Easter with Blessed John Henry Newman. £30 to include morning coffee, a hot two-course lunch and afternoon tea. To book please contact the Administrator at The Briery on 01943 607287 or briery@btconnect.com

Dine at the Deanery Lunch Club -The next Deanery Lunch will be taking place on Wednesday 6th March 2019 at the St Robert's Centre from 12.45pm – 2.15pm. Come along and enjoy lunch while chatting to old friends or making new ones. £5 for Hot Meal, Dessert, Tea or Coffee – booking necessary by 4th March for catering purposes. For more information or to book your lunch please contact Kate or Julia on 531490.

Vacancy: Deputy Principal Notre Dame Catholic Sixth Form College, Leeds: Contract: Permanent; Start date: 1st September 2019; Closing date: 09:00 on Monday 11th March 2019;

Vacancy: The Briery Retreat Centre, Ilkley, is looking to appoint a part-time cook for 15 hours per week working over 3 or 4 shifts. For further information about the role please call the Administrator on 01943 607287 or email: briery@btconnect.com

Offertory - Loose £324.95, Gift Aid £284.30, Planned £21.00, S/O's £300. Total £930.25. Appeal for Refugees: £499.29
Many thanks to all.



Do join us for tea and coffee after 10 am Mass