



## ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH

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### PARISH DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

#### Sun 21 February (First Sunday of Lent)

- 08.30 People of the parish
- 10.00 Lucinda Robert
- 12.00 Sister Veronica O'Donnell
- 17.30 Evelyn and Beda Mar RIP and Holy Souls

#### Mon 22 February (The Chair of St Peter the Apostle)

- 09.30 Joseph Adelano  
Deceased Members of Udom family

#### Tue 23 February

- 09.30 Special intention  
Maureen Polkey RIP

#### Wed 24 February

- 09.30 Fr Bart  
John Campbell RIP birthday anniversary
- 19.00 – 20.00 Adoration and Confession

#### Thu 25 February

- 09.30 Holy Souls  
Deceased members of the Reid family

#### Fri 26 February (CAFOD Fast Day)

- 09.30 Malgorzata Gromek  
Sylvia and Peter Francis-Mullins
- 19.30 Stations of the Cross

#### Sat 27 February

- 09.00 - 10.00 Adoration and Confession
- 17.00 Brian, Kathleen and Elizabeth Hanrahan
- 18.30 Deceased members of Dinan family

#### Sun 28 February (Second Sunday of Lent)

- 08.30 Ms Josephine Iyovwaye RIP
- 10.00 Gerard and Theresa Kieran RIP
- 12.00 Giovanna Boselli RIP
- 17.30 People of the parish

### Safety procedures at Mass. Please note:

- the safe number of spaces in our church is **60**
- the Sunday obligation remains suspended
- use the one-way system in the church
- it is a legal requirement to wear a face covering (unless you are exempt) over your mouth and nose
- leave at least one metre social distancing
- use the hand sanitiser provided on entry and exit
- complete a 'Test and Trace' card
- put your offering in one of the two boxes provided
- where possible, donate online, through our JustGiving page or by standing order. Bank details: NatWest, account 44136757, sort code 60-23-19
- form the Holy Communion procession starting with the front row (facing the altar) on the left-hand side finishing with the last row on the right-hand side
- exit via the side or back door, using the one-way system, at the end of Mass
- the repository is now closed
- pray privately before Mass, so that the church can be cleaned immediately after each Mass
- social conversations in the church are not permitted during lockdown

Thank you for your understanding. Fr Bart

**Second collection** this Sunday 21 February will be taken to support the **Victims of Trafficking** cause. Next Sunday we will be collecting for **CAFOD** following the CAFOD Fast Day on Friday 26 February (envelopes provided).

**Offertory collections for 7 and 14 February: £1,271.85**, of which £506.91 is Gift Aided. We also collected an additional **£248.90 for poor parishes** on 14 February, of which £131.20 is Gift Aided. Thank you.

**Almsgiving in Lent:** traditionally Lent is a time for almsgiving as a response to the needs of the parish and our local community. This year we ask for your support for the **Needy Families** and **St Anthony's Bread** in our respective collection boxes embedded in the wall at the back of the church.

We are also collecting for the **Manna Centre** during Lent. Please note the most needed items: Food (tinned): vegetables, tomatoes, meat. Curry, pasta sauces, rice. Toiletries: disposable razors. They do not currently need clothing donations. Please leave your kind donations at the back of the church in the cardboard boxes provided.

**Donate your old phones and tech to support refugees:** JRS UK is looking for donations of your old phones and technology to provide refugees with the means to stay connected during this time of isolation. If you have an old phone or tablet sitting in a draw, do get in touch with JRS and visit: [www.jrsuk.net/news/donate-your-smartphone-and-make-a-difference/](http://www.jrsuk.net/news/donate-your-smartphone-and-make-a-difference/)

**Volunteers needed** to help with a new parish health and safety online system and also property maintenance issues. Please contact the parish office or speak to Fr Bart.

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