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## 1st Sunday of Lent

Sat 17th Feb 7.00pm Mass 1st Sunday of Lent 18th Feb 9.30am Mass 1st Sunday of Lent Sun 20th Feb 11.00pm Funeral Mass for Betty Pollard RIP Tues No Evening Mass 21st Feb 9.30am Mass School Mass in Church Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 5.15pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6.00pm Mass Chair of St Peter 23rd Feb 9.30am Mass of Lent Fri Stations of the Cross after Mass 24th Feb 7.00pm Mass Second Sunday of Lent 25th Feb 9.30am Mass Second Sunday of Lent Sun

**Primary School:** St Mary & St Joseph, Maxwell Road, Pocklington, YO42 2JN tel: 01759 303287.**Secondary School:** All Saints, Mill Mount, York. Tel: 01904 647877.**Hospitals: Hull Royal Infirmary** 01482 329100.

**Castle Hill** 01482 847763. **York District** Sue Ellis is the Co-Ordinating Lay Hospital Chaplain in York. Parishioners can contact her direct on 07748 108 253 or via the Chaplains' Office tel 01904 725579. The Chaplaincy Teams are always pleased to be of assistance if you wish.

**Confessions** Before or after Mass, or anytime on request.

Mass Intentions Rec'd Eva Murray Anniversary

**World Day of Prayer** is on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March. A Service will be here at St Mary's and St Joseph's at 2pm. All Welcome.

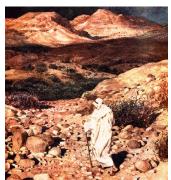
Synodal Church Towards a Listening and Accompanying Church
9.50am to 3.00pm Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March at English Martyrs Parish Hall, Dalton
Terrace, York. Up to 4 Parishioners from Pocklington are invited to join others from
all over the Diocese. If you are interested in being there, please see Fr James.
Names have to be in by a week on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February.

**Red Mission Boxes** Many thanks to Joanna Powaga for volunteering to be the new Parish Representative for Missio. If anyone wants to bring in their Mission Boxes please leave it on the table in the Church Porch or hand in to Joanna at any weekend. Many thanks.

**Cafod** Cafod Lent Fast Day is this Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> February. Please pick a green Cafod envelope and return next weekend. A talk will be given about the work of Cafod at the weekend Masses on 24<sup>th</sup>/ 25<sup>th</sup> February. If you wish to donate to Cafod after these Masses, there will be a retiring collection, but also the possibility to donate by card. Please see Joanna Powaga after the two Masses next weekend.

**Book Club Reminder** – still meets on the last Thursday in the month and this month's book is "Why be happy when you could be normal" by Jeanette Winterson. All Welcome. Please contact Anna Hallam if you wish to go. **Accommodation** A Family are moving into Pocklington or Market Weighton this April and are looking for a 2/3 bedroom accommodation. If anyone knows of any availability please let me know.

**Would you like to be a School Governor?** in our Primary Schools in Pocklington and Market Weighton or in any other school in the St Cuthbert's Academy Schools Trust in the East Riding and Hull? If so please see the notice in the porch. Julie Sutherland, the Head Teacher at St Mary and St Joseph is happy to give people more information before making an application.



Cleaning of Church The Church is kept clean by a dedicated group of Parishioners who are on the Cleaning Rota about once every 5 or 6 weeks. If anyone would like to join the Rota to do this important ministry to God's house please see Philippa Bosworth or myself. Many thanks.

May the Peace and Joy of Christ be with you All. Fr James