

The Catholic Parish of St Thomas Aquinas and All Saints, Bletchley

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Local Catholic Schools:

Bishop Parker Primary School, MK2 3BT
01908 372129 www.bishopparker.co.uk
St Thomas Aquinas Primary School, MK3 5DT
01908 373977 www.st-thomasaquinas.co.uk
St Paul's Secondary School, MK6 5EN
01908 669735 www.st-pauls.org.uk

Are You New? Have You Moved?

I am a new/existing* parishioner. *Delete as appropriate
Please add me to the Parish Census.

NAME(s).....

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ADDRESS.....

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EMAIL.....

Data Protection – The personal details of yourself and family members given above will only be stored and used by the Parish for internal administrative and organisational purposes of the Parish. They will not be disclosed outside the parish. If statistics from the census are shared with the Diocese or anyone else, they will be strictly anonymised. Details of how we process your data, and your rights, are on the full Privacy Notice which may be viewed on the Parish Website or on the notice board at the back of Church.

I confirm that all individuals whose information has been provided on this form have agreed for it to be provided to the Parish:

Signed:.....

Name:.....

Date:.....

Please cut out and return to the Parish Office

June: The Month of The Sacred Heart of Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for the Month:

Families

We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.

Liturgies this Week

STA: St Thomas Aquinas Church, Sycamore Avenue, MK2 2JE

AS: All Saints Church, Shenley Road, MK3 6HG

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY 19th June

AND BLOOD OF CHRIST – "Corpus Christi"

6:00pm (STA) [Saturday] Vigil Mass of Sunday

9:00am (AS) Mass

11:00am (AS) Mass

6:30pm (AS) Mass

Monday Memoria: St Alban 20th June

9:30am (STA) Rosary

10:00am (STA) Mass

followed by Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday Memoria: St Aloysius Gonzaga 21st June

9:30am (AS) Rosary

10:00am (AS) Mass

followed by Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday Feast: SS John Fisher & Thomas More 22nd June

9:30am (STA) Rosary

10:00am (STA) Mass

Thursday Solemnity: The Nativity of St John the Baptist 23rd June

9:30am (AS) Rosary

10:00am (AS) Mass

Friday Solemnity: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 24th June

9:30am (STA) Rosary

10:00am (STA) Mass

Saturday Memoria: Immaculate Heart of Mary 25th June

9:30am (STA) Mass

followed by Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

10:00am – 1 0:30am (STA) Confessions

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 26th June

6:00pm (STA) [Saturday] Vigil Mass of Sunday

9:00am (AS) Mass

11:00am (AS) Mass

6:30pm (AS) Mass

If you need help...call the SVP

We are very blessed to have a Society of St Vincent de Paul (SVP) conference in our parish. If you or someone you know would benefit from their support, please make contact by calling **07788796378**.

The Angelus (said before the Vigil Mass)

The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary:

And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary...

Behold the handmaid of the Lord:

Be it done unto me according to Thy word.

Hail Mary...

And the Word was made Flesh:

And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary...

Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God,

that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray (said by the Priest only):

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts; that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross † be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen

Second Collection Today: Day for Life

"The focus of the Day for Life this year is older persons. The COVID pandemic highlighted the desperate plight of many older people, especially those in care homes and those struggling with long-term chronic conditions such as dementia. They carried the highest burden which included prolonged isolation, the distress for families being unable to visit, delayed medical interventions and tragic, isolated, deaths followed by shortened, minimal, funeral rites. Many family members and friends continue to bear the wound of deep grief which hurts and is still in need of healing. We invite people to think again about the value and worth of older persons in families, in society, and to make practical choices to build bridges between the generations. We call for people and parishes to devote quality time, energy and creativity in caring for the older persons in our communities.



We invite engagement in political debate on providing adequately resourced care of the older person so that no-one feels like a burden in our society. We challenge our

politicians and healthcare system to provide accessible palliative care for all the dying.

We encourage people to learn from a closer accompaniment of the elderly that there is a real richness in the journey through old age, which offers a deeper meaning and a new rhythm to the whole of life; something which can be celebrated and lived with hope in eternal life."

St. Joachim and St Anne, pray for us.

Solemnity of St Peter & St Paul

29th June - A Holy day of obligation

The Solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul is a liturgical feast in honour of the martyrdom in Rome of the apostles Saint Peter and Saint Paul, which is observed on 29 June. The celebration is of ancient origin, the date selected being the anniversary of either their death or the translation of their relics.

MASS TIMES:

7:00pm St Thomas Aquinas Church Vigil Mass (28th June)

10:00am St Thomas Aquinas Church

7:00pm All Saints Church

Requiescant in Pace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

Anthony O'Reilly, whose Funeral Service will be at Crownhill Crematorium, 2:00pm on Tuesday, 21st June.

James O'Dwyer, whose Funeral Mass will be at All Saints Church, 12:45pm on Monday, 27th June.

Peter Nulty, whose Funeral Service will be at St Thomas Aquinas Church, 12:45pm on Tuesday, 28th June.

Patrick Flanagan, whose Funeral Mass will be at All Saints Church, 1:15pm on Thursday, 30th June.

Patrick Byrne, whose Funeral Mass will be at All Saints Church, 1:30pm on Monday, 1st July.

Ann Patel, whose Funeral Mass will be at All Saints Church, 12:30pm on Monday, 4th July.

May Christ, who called you, take you to Himself; may angels lead you to Abraham's side.

Receive their souls and present them to God the Most High

The Cause of Canonisation of the Ven.

Agnelo De Souza

Father Agnelo De Souza died on the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, which was originally on 20 November in 1927. He was a priest of the Society of the Missionaries of St. Francis Xavier, Pilar and had served the people of Goa. He was a man of outstanding holiness and humility, and despite his own poor health worked tirelessly in his sacred and pastoral duties. He collapsed while preaching at Rachol, in Goa but insisted that benediction should continue after which he then expired. The parish priest who buried him said: "Hanvem atanch eka Santak matiek Laila" which means "I have just laid a saint to rest". His remains were taken to Pilar on 10th January 1939 and he was declared a Venerable by the Vatican on 10th November 1986. The cause for his canonisation continues and every year in Bletchley we offer a Mass for this intention.

This year we will offer Mass for the cause of his canonisation on the Friday, 24th June at 7:00pm in St Thomas Aquinas Church. All are very welcome to attend!

The Catenian Association

An international brotherhood of Catholic men, the Catenian Association provides practising Catholic laymen and their families with friendship, social activities and support. To find out more information visit the website: www.thecatenians.com/find-a-circle/ email: membership@thecatenians.com / contact Richard Golden: (01908) 503331.

Positions Vacant at St Thomas Aquinas

School Please use this link:

<https://www.st-thomasaquinas.co.uk/vacancies/>

Chinese Language Mass in MK

Saturday 25th June at St Edward the Confessor Catholic Church, Shenley MK5 6DX.

9:30am Choir practice; 10:15am Rosary 11:00am MASS 12:00pm Light Lunch; 1:00pm Close

With every blessing,
Fr Christopher & Fr Emmanuel