

# THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTERTIDE

18<sup>th</sup> April 2010

## HOLY SPIRIT & OUR LADY'S ACTIVITIES

**BOREHOLES FOR FR VINCENT'S PARISH SCHOOLS:** I have recently heard from Ellie Njoro of the Iganga Rotary Club, Uganda to tell us that the 5<sup>th</sup> Borehole of the second tranche of 6 boreholes has recently been sunk and is on the way to completion. The first four wells of this second tranche are now in use and providing clean water for the village schools and communities in the Parish of Namunyumya. There are 22 village schools in Fr Vincent's Parish and with the completion of the second tranche some 16 of these will have access to clean water in the school and its immediate village community. Each school has around 900 pupils and the villages will have several thousand residents able to access the water. In total through the Rotary Matching Grant scheme we have provided 12 village schools and their communities with clean water (Fr Vincent had previously installed 4 boreholes to 4 of the village schools). With your help we raised more than £39,000 and with Matching Grants from The Rotary Foundation this has translated into a project worth about US\$100,000 (about £62,500). Fr Vincent will be visiting us this summer when he will have the opportunity to tell you how this effort has impacted on the local communities and changed their daily lives.

**PRAYER INTENTION FOR APRIL:** Let us say a decade of the Rosary every day in the

month of April and pray with Mary for us all to love and respect one another the way that God asks us to do.

## HOLY SPIRIT ACTIVITIES

<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Euch. Ministers</b> Week 1 Week 2	<b>Counters</b> Isabel & Jon Higham June & Bernard Steer
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Readers</b> Cycle 8 Cycle 9	<b>Shop</b> Katie Moran & Carole Allen Una Perry 7 Dympna Kitchin
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Sunday Coffee 9.00</b> Ros Woods + Ann Vesey Sheila + Marisa	<b>Sunday Coffee 10.30</b> Deborah Walsh & Sheila Dolman Channell Family
<b>Rotas:</b> This Week Next Week	<b>Children's Liturgy School-age Leader</b> Paula Rawsthorne Anita Blake	<b>Children's Liturgy Pre-school</b> Sarah Juric Robert Nieri

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a second collection at all masses next weekend for the Clergy Formation Fund.

**THE HOLY SPIRIT GOLF SOCIETY 'OPEN' CHAMPIONSHIP 2010** will be held at Cotgrave Golf & Country Club Open Course on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2010 Tee Times 12.00 - 13.00. There will be a 3 course evening meal with coffee @ 18.00 hours, with prizegiving. There is a full prize table (inc longest drive & nearest the pin prizes) and "THE HOLY SPIRIT 'OPEN' CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY". The cost is £35 per person. All standard of players very welcome- this is a friendly society. In order to play it is necessary to have Society membership (£5.00 one-off lifetime cost). Please send payment for entry & society membership, if applicable, to John Carolan, 44 Priory Road, West Bridgford, NG2 5HU. johnny5carolan@aol.com 07764 285863. Please makes cheques payable to 'Holy Spirit

Golf Society'

**U.C.M.:** Our next meeting is on Wednesday next, 21<sup>st</sup> April, commencing with prayers at 7.30 pm after which we shall hold a "Quiz Night".

**FRIENDS OF FRIARY DROP-IN** present **SERENADE FOR SPRING**, featuring Radcliffe Ladies Choir and Soloists, on Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> April at Friary URC Church, 46, Musters Road, West Bridgford, starting at 7.30 p.m. Tickets £5 from the Drop-in Centre, 9825448 or Anne Scanlon 9232436

**CONFIRMATION:** Please remember all our Confirmation candidates in your prayers.



**HOLY SPIRIT BOOKSHOP** now has First Communion and Confirmation cards and gifts in stock, as well as the usual religious items. Please feel free to come and browse after the weekend Masses.

**ACTION BY CHRISTIANS AGAINST TORTURE (ACAT)** is a group whose work combines campaigning with prayer

(individual and communal), e.g. by prayer petitions in newsletters and intercessions at church services. Their work includes Appeals for action on particular cases (details are included in the bi-monthly newsletters), A prisoner Support Scheme (regular cards and letters) and SOS Torture (urgent action work). ACAT is a "Body in Association" with Churches Together in Britain and Ireland, affiliated to FIACAT, the international association, based in Paris. It seems that various catholic parishes and individuals have become involved in recent years. If you are interested in supporting their work Mary Longley, m\_b\_longley@hotmail.com (tel 914 0579) has more information or enquiries can be made to Terry and Eleanor Newland (tel 01752 843417) e mail uk.acat@gmail.com

**CAFOD LENT FAST:** Many thanks to all who have supported the Lent Fast, 24 Boxes have been handed in containing £326.61. If you forgot yours please bring it back as soon as possible. Please remember to use the Gift Aid slip to increase your donation.

**CAFOD "LIVE SIMPLY":** Can you celebrate this message and cycle or walk to The Holy Spirit church? Once a month if not every week?

**TRAIDCRAFT STALL:** Thank you for buying £174.05 worth of groceries from the stall. The next stall is on 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> May after ALL Masses.

## **COTGRAVE ACTIVITIES**

**SECOND COLLECTION:** There will be a second collection at all masses next weekend for the Clergy Formation Fund.

**TRAIDCRAFT:** Thank you for your support at last week's stall. Fairly traded goods totalling £75 were sold. New catalogues are available in the entrance. All goods come with a 14 day no quibble money back

guarantee. You can't lose!

## **DIOCESAN ACTIVITIES**

**BISHOP ELLIS CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**, Barkby Thorpe Lane, Thurmaston, Leicestershire, LE4 8GP Tel: 0116 2695510 has a vacancy for a **HEADTEACHER, Group 3 L14-20 NOR 320 to commence in September 2010 or January 2011**. Closing date: 4<sup>th</sup> May 2010. Interviews: 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> May 2010. Full details from Mrs Neill at the school: 0116 2695510.

**MARRIAGE MATTERS:** Is it time to take a fresh look at how and why marriage matters? Brian and Maureen Devine and Canon Frank O'Sullivan will be reflecting on these questions and inviting participants to discuss their own experience and perspective. Brian and Maureen Devine have masters degrees in theology and Canon Frank has had many years' pastoral experience in the field of marriage enrichment. They will lead a day on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> May at Rearsby Convent, 10.00 am - 3.00 pm. For further information please contact Eileen and Laurence Udall 01629 540383 or email rockcott@googlemail.com

**FLOWER AND MUSIC FESTIVAL:** There will be a Flower and Music Festival at St Barnabas Cathedral from Friday May 21<sup>st</sup> to Monday May 24<sup>th</sup>. Further details to follow later.

### **PRAYER OF THE WEEK**

*"It is the Lord" we say together as one body  
You know we love You. You are our Lord and God  
You are our leader and saviour. You have rescued us.  
In the dark and sorrowful night You see all the  
tears we cried  
You feel our sadness  
In the morning You wake us up with hope  
and all our tears are dried  
For every new day that dawns we thank You Lord  
We give You praise, honour, glory and power for  
ever and ever  
Amen*

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### **WEBSITES**

Parish: [www.holyspiritwb.org](http://www.holyspiritwb.org)  
[www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org.uk](http://www.ourladyofgracecotgrave.org.uk)  
Deanery: [www.nottmeastdeanery.org](http://www.nottmeastdeanery.org)  
Diocese: [www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk](http://www.nottingham-diocese.org.uk)

### **CONTACT DETAS FOR HOLY SPIRIT ORGANISATIONS**

ORGANISATION	CONTACT	TEL. NO.
Brownies	Claire Spencer	9142508
Cafod and Traidcraft	Mary Crosby	9234866
Catenians	Barry Espinasse	9821404
Cubs	Carole Colaluca	9231770
Education	Margaret Gaten	07786 332637
Golf Society	John Carolan	9819760
Guides	Pat Greenwood	9149959
Baby & Toddler Group	Caty Darby	07939 467840
Parish Pastoral Council	Mary Crosby	9234866
Scouts	Margaret Walker	9899553
S.V.P.	Peter Molyneux	9235395
U.C.M	Alice Cahill	9810950
Fellowship Group	Mary	9149473
Social Centre Bookings 11am - 5pm, Mon - Fri	Chris Farmer	07954 583402
Cricket Team	David Paton	923 1397
H.S. Sports Club	Barry Espinasse	9821404
H.S. Badminton	Tony O'Dwyer	9452648
Lourdes	Rosario Hannigan	07776 157778
H.S. Football	Steve Murphy	9452681

### **CONTACT DETAILS FOR COTGRAVE ORGANISATIONS**

Parish Pastoral Council	Anne Ferguson	9892693
Children's Liturgy	Sandie Clogg	9899253
Traidcraft	Lynne Harrison	9140577
CAFOD	Sandie Clogg	9899253
SVP	Jeannie Dodd	9375298

### **PARISH CHURCHES**

The Holy Spirit	Our Lady of Grace
Melton Road	Candleby Lane
West Bridgford	Cotgrave
Nottingham	Nottingham
NG2 7JW	NG12 3JG

### **SCHOOLS**

Primary School	Senior School
St Edmund Campion	The Becket
Head Teacher	Head Teacher
Mrs D Longley	Mr A Glover
Tel. 0115 9147889	Tel. 0115 9824280

### **CLERGY TEAM**

Parish Priest	Assistant Priest
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**Diary for Week Commencing Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2010**

**Social Centre Diary**

Day	Church of the Holy Spirit, West Bridgford			Church of Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave			Hall	Library	Upstairs
Sunday 18 April 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Eastertide	6.30 pm 9.00 am 10.30 am	Vigil Mass (Sat) Mass Mass (at The Holy Spirit)	Duffy & Devine Families In Thanksgiving: Bradbury People of the Parish	11.00 am	Sung Mass	Peter Curran R.I.P.	Coffee after 9 am & 10.30 am Masses		
<b>Monday</b> 19 April Feria	7.10pm 7.30pm	Divine Office Mass	Evening Prayer of the Church Bernard Thompson R.I.P.				6-8 Brownies 8pm 1 <sup>st</sup> Communion Groups	5-6 Catechesis 8.15-9.15 SVP	3.45-4.45 Catechesis 6-8pm Cubs
<b>Tuesday</b> 20 April Feria	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church In Thanksgiving: Misty & Seren Wood				5-9 Ballet	5-6 Catechesis	
<b>Wednesday</b> 21 April St Anselm	8.55 am 9.15 am	Divine Office Mass	Morning Prayer of the Church Deceased Members of The Cahill Family				Coffee after 9.15am Mass 2-4 pm Art Class 7.30pm UCM	3.45-4.45 Catechesis 6.30-8pm Confirmation Catechesis	6-8pm Youth Project
<b>Thursday</b> 22 April Feria	8.55 am 9.15 am 9.45am	Divine Office Mass Rosary	Morning Prayer of the Church Aidan Cunningham R.I.P.				10-11.30 Toddlers 7.15-9.00 Scouts	5-6 Catechesis 6.30-8 Conf. Catechesis	5-6 Catechesis 7.30-8.30 Conf. Catechesis
<b>Friday</b> 23 April St George, Patron of England	6.30 pm 7.30 pm	Exposition of Mass	The Blessed Sacrament George & Margaret Jackson: Spec. Intention				3pm reserved for 8pm Quiz	9-11 pm Bar Open	6-8pm Youth Group
<b>Saturday</b> 24 April St Adelbert	9.15 am 9.45-10.15 5.45-6.15 6.30 pm	Mass Confessions Confessions Vigil Mass	No Mass intention today  In Thanksgiving: Maher				9-3 Ballet 7.30pm St Georges Night celebration		
<b>Sunday</b> 25 April Fourth Sunday of Eastertide	9.00 am 10.30 am	Mass Mass (at The Holy Spirit Church)	Mary Reddington R.I.P. People of the Parish	11.00 am	Sung Mass	Kit O' Brien R.I.P.	Coffee after 9am & 10.30 am Mass		