

This Week's Events

Week of Guided Prayer (Lent) – Not signed up? Don't worry, you can still come along to our opening meeting (below) or our voluntary workshops this week..

Sun 15th Mar

Mothering Sunday – Prayers will be said especially for all of our mothers this Sunday and intercessions offered to Mary the Mother of God.

5pm – Opening Meeting for Week of Guided Prayer – Come along and join in

7pm Mass followed by Dinner – Come along for good food and company! This will be the last Mass and dinner until after the Easter Break when they will start again on 19th April.

Mon 16th Mar

7pm SVP Meeting – Voluntary work with the homeless, in local primary schools, visiting the elderly or working with people with learning disabilities.

7pm Workshop on Prayer: 'Ways of Praying' – Our first session brings us together to discuss different types of prayer and they can be incorporated into our busy, everyday lives. All are welcome.

Tues 17th Mar 10am-12pm Foodbank – The only student-run Foodbank in the Country serving the local community in crisis (also Weds & Friday 10am-12pm).

6.30pm **Taize Prayer in the Chapel**

7pm Workshop on Prayer: 'Being My true Self' – All are welcome.

Wed 18th Mar

1-4pm Inter-Generational Meal – We are cooking dinner for the elderly; if you would like to attend or volunteer, please email: svp.mussc@outlook.com

4-5pm Committee Meeting – Please contact Fr Tim if you are interested in being on the committee / helping out.

7pm Workshop on Prayer: 'Making a Rule of Life' – All are welcome.

Thurs 19th Mar

Lent Talks #4 – We invite you to the last in the series of talks by Fr Tim Valentine; a talk and open discussion on 'Aristotle & Aquinas on Virtue and Being'.

Fri 20th Mar

12.30pm Lenten Stations of the Cross – Our Lenten Devotion in the church before Mass.

7pm Catholic Film Club: Babet's Feast – Come and watch the Pope's favourite film! Fr TV will give some theological input. All welcome.

Sat 21st Mar – Sun

RCIA Retreat, St. Joseph's – A spiritual retreat to prepare them for their Baptism / Confirmation in to the church this spring.

This Week's Saints

Tuesday - St Patrick was the great apostle of Ireland who brought the Gospel so persuasively to the wild people (4th century) of that island that they embraced the Faith whole-heartedly. The Church has been indebted to the Irish people scattered throughout the world ever since.

Thursday - St Joseph, Our Lady' Spouse: the role of Joseph in the Gospel story was that of an upright and faithful husband to Mary, and a nurturing and protective foster father to the Son of God - an immense responsibility! He is remembered and loved by all Christians. Today is a solemnity of the Church.



Last week the Foodbank fed a total of **43 people.**

We provided emergency relief for 34 adults and 9 children in crisis.

To help us continue our work please email: mancofoodbank@yahoo.com

The SVP group ran a breakfast club every morning at a primary school in MossSide and made 4 homeless runs.

Easter Mass Times

Maundy Thursday, 2nd April
Mass – 7.00pm

Good Friday, 3rd April
Confessions from 10.00am
Stations of the Cross – 12.00pm
Service of the Passion – 3.00pm

Saturday, 4th April
Easter Vigil Mass – 8.00pm

Easter Sunday, 5th April
Mass – 12.00pm

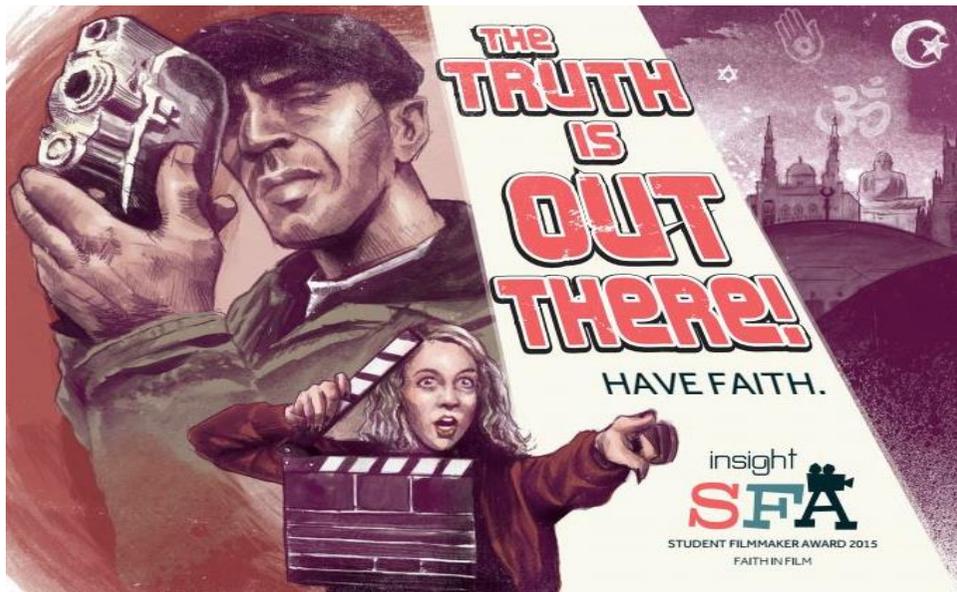


Brother Ken Moving On



Brother Ken has moved to the Jesuit novitiate in Birmingham where he will continue his work with Jesuit parishes throughout the country.

We thank him for his work here and wish him every blessing in the future.



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Easter Break

This is the last week of having masses twice daily and three times on a Sunday. As many students return home for the Easter Holidays we will be offering one mass a day as we start our Holiday Timetable next Sunday for four weeks. **So next Sunday there will be no 9.15 mass and no 7pm mass just mass at 12.00.**

Stories about how Easter is celebrated all over the world.

This evening at 5pm is the opening of our Week of Guided Prayer – so as with all the Easter activities it is not too late to sign up and join in. Just come along to our opening meeting and we will pair you up with a Spiritual Director / Prayer Guide.

Easter is the most important feast in the Church's year – The times of masses in the Holy Name over the Easter Triduum are in the newsletter. Otherwise some students will be joining the community in Taize in France for Holy Week – others are walking to Walsingham with the Student Cross, and others are spending Easter with the Benedictines in Pluscarden. When everyone returns to studies and revision on April 20th it is great to hear

From Sunday 22nd March we will only have one Mass per day:

Weekdays at 1.05pm
Sundays at 12pm
 In the Holy Name Church

Our 6pm weekday Mass will resume on Mon 13th April, and normal times for Sunday Masses will resume on Sun 19th April.

You can register with the Chaplaincy for regular updates on areas

you are interested in – www.muscc.org/register

