

# CATHOLIC PARISHES of RIPLEY & BELPER WITH DUFFIELD

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**17<sup>th</sup> March 2019**

**The Second Sunday of Lent**

<b>Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> March: Vigil Mass</b>
6pm Richard Harvey – RIP (DH) (St Margaret's)
<b>Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup> March: Second Sunday of Lent</b>
9am Mass at St Joseph's, Ripley
11am For the People of the Parish (Our Lady's)
<b>Monday: Lenten Feria</b>
7pm No Intention at Present (Our Lady's)
<b>Tuesday: St Joseph, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>
9.30am November Dead List (St Margaret's)
<b>Wednesday: St Alcmund, Martyr</b>
9.30am For the Sick (Our Lady's)
<b>Thursday: Lenten Feria</b>
9.30am Private Intention (Our Lady's)
<b>Friday: Lenten Feria</b>
9.15am Stations of the Cross (Our Lady's)
9.30am For the People of the Parish (Our Lady's)
10.30am Confessions
3pm Divine Mercy Devotions (Our Lady's)
<b>Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March: Vigil Mass</b>
6pm Christopher Gunston – RIP (MW) (St Margaret's)
<b>Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> March: Third Sunday of Lent</b>
9am Mass at St Joseph's, Ripley
11am Tom Kemple – RIP (S&TL) (Our Lady's)



Weekend Rotas		
	16 <sup>th</sup> /17 <sup>th</sup> March	23 <sup>rd</sup> /24 <sup>th</sup> March
<b>Welcome</b>		
Duffield 6pm	Sheila Balmer	Pat Bennet
Belper 11am	Peter Keeley	Pat Whetton
<b>Readers</b>		
Duffield 6pm	David Walker	Liz Walker
Belper 11am	Owen Devine	Maggie Braley
<b>Prayers</b>		
Duffield 6pm	Barbara Henegan	David Sudbury
Belper 11am	Pat Whetton	Cathy Smith
<b>Offertory Procession</b>		
Duffield 6pm	Karen & Madeleine	Yvonne & Margaret
Belper 11am	Wright Family	Lawrence Claxton
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		
Belper 11am	Louise	Margaret
<b>Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist</b>		
Duffield 6pm	Sandra Martin Eileen Wharam	Helena Carrazedo Keith Wharam
Belper 11am	Sean Lambert Jane Richards Bernadette Copeland	Melita Tooher John Wareing Ann Gannon
<b>Altar Servers</b>		
Duffield 6pm	Christina	Christina
Belper 11am	David & Samuel	Amelie & Phoebe
<b>Cleaning</b>		
Duffield	Margaret & Bernard	Kathy Gorman
Belper	Barbara & Karen	Chris Carberry Pat Wickens

## Parish Meetings This Week

Mon:	7.30pm – Scripture Sharing (Parish House)
Tues:	6.30pm – First Holy Communion Prep (St Ben Rm)
Wed:	10.20am – Meditation (St Elizabeth's Chapel) 7pm – Lent Meeting (St Benedict Room)
Thurs:	2pm – Leisure Group (Parish House) 7.30pm – Meditation (St Elizabeth's Chapel)
Fri:	10am – SVP (Parish House) 11am – Troubadours (Ridgeway Nursing Home)

In preparation for the **Third Sunday of Lent**, please read **CCC 541-546** (*The Kingdom is near; proclaiming the Kingdom*).

CAFOD Lent Fast Day was **Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March**. Fast Day envelopes should be returned today if at all possible. If you're a taxpayer, please fill in the **Gift Aid** portion as CAFOD will receive from the government 25p for each pound donated. For more information about CAFOD and the Lent Fast Day, please see their website: [www.cafod.org.uk](http://www.cafod.org.uk). Thank you in advance for your generous support.

**Wednesday Evening:** This week we consider our response to an initiative from the Diocesan Justice & Peace Commission entitled '*Faith into Action*'. A questionnaire has been sent to all parishes across the Diocese concerning the social needs and other opportunities for mission and outreach in this area. Members of the Pastoral Council, the SVP, Eucharistic Ministers, those involved in the projects of Hope for Belper, such as the food bank or outreach to the homeless, are particularly invited to attend this Lent meeting.

**Confession Times** – The regular time for the Sacrament of Reconciliation is, on most Friday mornings throughout the year, from 10.30am to 10.50am (or longer, if necessary). Additional sessions will be held after a 7pm Mass on three Thursday evenings (28<sup>th</sup> March, 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> April) from 7.30pm to 7.50pm as Holy Week and Easter approaches.

**Stations of the Cross** – By popular demand, lay members of the parish are observing this traditional devotion on Friday mornings before Mass, at 9.15am.

**Mysteries** – An open weekend to see this lovely exhibition at the Manger Gallery in Melbourne, described by one visitor as 'a simple, sacred and sublime space, filled with works of joy and beauty'. Held on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> March, 10am – 4pm.

**Save the Date** – There will be a Duffield Christian Council Joint Service on the theme of Christian Unity at **6pm on Sunday, 31<sup>st</sup> March, at St Alcmund's**. This will be followed by tea and coffee. Please do try and come along.

**Inspiration for Lent and Easter** – A fresh and varied selection of books is now on display on the parish library shelf in the St Benedict Room, including some for children. You're all welcome to borrow them during this special season.

**Lay Chaplain Vacancy** – The St Ralph Sherwin Catholic Multi Academy Trust (CMAT) seek to appoint a dynamic Lay Chaplain to work in St Thomas More Secondary Catholic Academy, and three local primary schools: St Anne's Buxton, St Mary's New Mills and St Mary's Marple Bridge. This would be an ideal position for anyone seeking to start a career in Chaplaincy or Catholic Youth Work as they will receive support and mentoring from the CMAT. For more information, visit [www.srscomat.co.uk/vacancies](http://www.srscomat.co.uk/vacancies) or contact the CMAT's Lead Lay Chaplain, Joe Hopkins, at [jhopkins@srscomat.co.uk](mailto:jhopkins@srscomat.co.uk) or on 07708 907 498.

**Closing Date: Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> March**