

Saint Luke's Church Kingstanding

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Welcome to our Mass today



Saint Luke's has an induction loop for those who have hearing difficulties. Please select the "T" switch on your hearing aid.

Do take a little time before Mass to ensure mobile phones are switched off.

Please leave the church quietly for those who wish to pray.

Join us in the Parish Centre after Mass for coffee and light refreshments

Today is the 31st January and is the 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Readings can be found on page 802 of the Sunday Missal and page 177 of the Roman Missal.

The Readings

Jesus calls us to be his followers by showing in our lives his great love for all. Faith, hope and love are the underlying virtues that give us the power and determination to carry out our calling.

First Reading *Jeremiah 1: 4-5. 17-19*

The Lord gives the prophet the strength and courage he needs for his calling.

Second Reading *1 Corinthians 12: 13:13*

Love is the greatest of all the gifts.

Gospel: *Luke 4: 21-30*

Jesus questions the closed nature of his audience's beliefs and arouses its anger.

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LOVE
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1 Cor. 13:13

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:13

There are three things that last: faith, hope and love; and the greatest of these is love.

Names & Numbers

Father Nathan – 354 3281

Rest Day Tuesday

Father Leonard – 258 3168

Rest Day Saturday

Clergy House Fax No: 680 4919

PRAYER LIST

George Whitehouse, Richard and Barbara Williams, Leslie Poyner, Michael, Ellen Fradley, Paul Waddison, Stephen Capnerhurst, Geoff Postans, Marion Whittaker, Carolyn Radford, Joan Wood, Helen Summerfield, Renee Bevan, Rieka, Sheila Wooldridge, Ella, Dorothy Ward, Margaret Merrick, Kelly, Christopher and his father. Courtney, Hazel O'Toole, Dean. Marie Grant. Christine Hewitt, Archie, Olga Bogg, Ken Poller, Doris Varney, Betty Gill, Tiffany, Robert Hamond. Winnie Gutteridge, Peter Drew Dougie Collins Sarah Matland, Rose Bell, Tom Wood, Debbie Boulton, Maxine Bath, Michelle Titmus, Baby Ciaran, Paula O'Donnel, Eunife, Yunis, Doreen Lane.

NEWS & VIEWS

Welcome to everyone joining us for Mass today, especially anyone visiting us for the first time. Please do join us in the Parish Centre after Mass to make new friends, have a cup of coffee and a go on our raffle.

A warm welcome to Fr Johnathan Rhodes, Parish Priest of St Aidan and St Columba, Hartlepool, as our guest preacher. He was here exactly 15 years ago as a pastoral assistant, you might just remember him.

Today we are opening our new Tradecraft stall, this will be available during coffee each week. You can buy your tea and coffee, treats, and even children's gifts and toys The profit goes back to the growers and suppliers in poor countries, and also helps with church funds. Enjoy!

This Wednesday – Mass will be held in Church and will be followed immediately by the Rosary. Do come along and join us even if you have never experienced this before, Rosaries are provided.

Many thanks – to all those who supported our Strictly Come Dancing Evening last night. Special thanks for Sandra and Paul for organising this.

Walsingham – The Walsingham Pilgrimage Weekend is from Friday 16 April until Sunday 18 April the cost will be approximately £150 per adult, £100 for children over the age of 5 and £80 for children under the age of 5. Please see Ann Babington for a booking form and we require a £50 non returnable deposit to secure your place.

Noticeboards - Please do take time to look at the new noticeboards. Please have a word with one of the clergy if you want to put anything on the boards.

Flowers - We are always grateful to those who donate money towards our flowers. If you want flowers in church for someone or a particular occasion then please put your name on the list and put any donation in the envelopes provided and hand to Mary.

Missing Persons – Have you noticed that anyone is missing from Church? Why not call round and see them, drop them a line or let one of the clergy know,

so that they know we miss them and would love to see them back with us.

A day of prayer for Christian Unity will be held in Saint Luke's, in front of the Blessed Sacrament in church on Monday 22 February, the Chair of St Peter. A sign up sheet will be available nearer the time with hourly slots. Please make this a priority on this important day.

Lukies Breakfast – our first Breakfast of the year will take place next Saturday morning. Please sign the list on the contact table and hand any money to Pauline.

Lent Course – We will be joining with our friends at Saint Marks for our Lent Course this year. It will be held at Saint Mark's on Tuesday nights during Lent. Further details next week.

Holy Days of Obligation – These are days when **ALL** Christians are expected to attend. Here are the Holy Days of Obligation up until 30th May 2010, so that you can put these in your diary also.

17th February 2010 Ash Wednesday

28th March 2010 Palm Sunday

1st April 2010 Holy Thursday

2nd April 2010 Good Friday

3rd April 2010 Holy Saturday

4th April 2010 Easter Sunday

23rd May 2010 Pentecost Sunday

30th May 2010 Trinity Sunday

17th October 2010 Saint Lukes Day

THIS WEEK

Monday 1st

7pm Mass

Tuesday 2nd

10am Mass

Wednesday 3rd

7pm Mass followed by
Rosary

Thursday 4th

10am Mass
7pm PCC Meeting

Friday 5th

7pm Mass

Saturday 6th

10am Mass
6pm Evening Prayer

SUNDAY 7th February 10.30am
5th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

FLOWERS TODAY

Have been donated by Lavinia in loving memory of Dawn Bradshaw and Leonard Teadham. Also by Christine White for prayers for Helen Killeney, Frank Wood and Mary White.