

GOUDHURST and HAWKHURST PARISH
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12th February 2017- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A

MASS: Saturday 5.30pm Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst

Sunday 8.30am St Barnabas, Hawkhurst Monday to Friday 9.30am Goudhurst
10.30am Goudhurst

Baptisms and Confessions: By arrangement.

Holy Days of Obligation: Mass 9.30am and 8.00pm at Goudhurst, 11.00am at Hawkhurst.

Exposition of the Holy Eucharist: Every Tuesday morning 8.30 to 9.30am and on Friday morning 9.00am to 9.30am at the Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst.

Anniversaries: The following anniversaries occur at this time

Joan Ryan, Anne Sullivan, Charles Meredith. Ruby Poile and Christopher Wheeler. May they all rest in peace.

Please pray for the sick in the parish:

Daisy and Helen Fletcher, Nuala Manwaring, Marjorie and John Dumbleton, Shirley Brady, Shirley Dore, Cynthia Raza and Philip Sheridan.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Audrey Martine who recently. Please remember her son Robert Martine and all his family in your prayers. The funeral service and requiem mass will be on 14th February in the Sacred Heart Church at 11.00am.

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Parish Collections 4/5 February. £372.44, of this £250.54 was gift aided Thank you.

11 & 12 February Racial Justice Sunday second collection to support the work of the Catholic Church in promoting racial justice in our schools, parishes and in wider society.

Tuesday 14th February Please Note that there is no 9.30am mass as there is a funeral at 11.00am.

Lent Groups in Goudhurst. Please note meetings at the Presbytery will now be on Tuesdays

There will be two weekly meetings taking place on Tuesdays and Fridays. **They will begin on Tuesday 7th March, and Friday 10th March, and take place subsequently on March 14th, 17th, 21st, 24th, 28th, and April 4th and April 7th.**

The Tuesday group will be at 8.00pm in the Presbytery, Beresford Road, and be led by Fr Vic.

The Friday group will be at 1.30pm in the Children's Chapel, St Mary's Church, & led by Dr Jo Meyer.

More details about this year's course will follow soon, and there will be lists so you can sign up.

First Communion Classes on Saturday evenings @ 4.45pm in the Presbytery

Please remember in your prayers the 6 children who will be making their first Communion this Spring. The children will join the congregation for mass at the offertory, we will reserve the front 2 benches of the church for the parents & children, so the children can watch Father Vic and follow the mass closely

Pope Francis's UNIVERSAL intention for the Month of February

Welcome the needy. Please pray that all those who are afflicted, especially the poor, refugees, and marginalized, may find welcome and comfort in our communities.

The next meeting of the Deanery Pastoral Council will be at St Thomas More, Church, West Malling on Monday 20th February 2017 at 7:30pm

Women's World day of Prayer Friday 3rd March Baptist Church Hawkhurst at 11.00am.

The service this year will be in the Baptist Church, Cranbrook Road, Hawkhurst at 11.00am and followed by a Lent Lunch. The service has been prepared by the women of the Philippines, the theme is: Am I Being Unfair to You? World Day of Prayer Committee of the Philippines. Matthew 20:1-16