

GOUDHURST and HAWKHURST PARISH
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12th November 2017- The Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A
Remembrance Sunday

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: Adoration every Tuesday and Friday morning 8.30 to 9.30am at the Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst.

Anniversaries: The following anniversaries occur at this time:

The Fallen Soldiers 11/11/18; Laura Cobb, Hortensia Corraera, Melvin Ruviano, Muriel Oliphant-Mark, Philip Mason and Anne Moten. May they all rest in peace.

Please pray for the sick in the parish: Helen Fletcher, Nuala Manwaring, Marjorie & John Dumbleton, Shirley Dore, Barbara Toll, Cynthia Raza, Betty Curtin and Eileen Collett.

Please pray for the repose of the soul of our friend Father Peter Nkomazana who died unexpectedly in his parish in Bulawayo, Zimbabwe on Sunday 8th October. We have only just heard of his death and that he had recently been in hospital for diabetic treatment. Fr Peter was a great friend to our parish & many parishioners got to know him well over the years when he visited us and helped Fr Vic.

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Parish Collections 4/5 November £485.19 of this £290.45 was Gift aided, thank you.

4 /5 November Mission Appeal in Aid for the Xaverian Missionary Fathers £413.00 thank you

11/12 November a 2nd collection for the Archbishop's Fund for Diocesan Administration

This collection helps to meet the cost of the central administration of the Diocese.

Prayers for November In this month both the Church and Country particularly remember all our servicemen past and present on Remembrance Sunday 12th November, and 11th November Remembrance Day & the Two Minute Silence have been observed since the end of the First World War, but their relevance remains undiminished. When we bow our heads in reflection, we remember those who fought for our freedom during the two World Wars. But we also mourn & honour those who have lost their lives in more recent conflicts. Today, there are troops still on duty in trouble spots around the world. On this special day of Remembrance we thank God for his love for each one of us.

Parish Autumn Fair Saturday 18th November in Goudhurst Village Hall 9.30am to 12.00

The fair is **NEXT SATURDAY** please come and support it, we have some fabulous gifts & goods.

We still need the following goods, which can be left at the presbytery or in the church.

Tombola- bottles, wine, beer, squash, soft drinks. **Children's toys, games & books.**

Books old and new, CD's & DVD's. Homemade cakes, bread, chutneys and jams. Fresh produce.

Bric-a-Brac (please no clothes/shoes or electrical items), **Pictures and prints;**

Bathroom toiletries, soaps, lotions, candles etc; **Gifts and Raffle prizes.**

Parents who wish their children to make their First Holy Communion in 2018 Instruction classes will start on 20th January for children who have been baptised, and are in Year 3 or above. Father Vic needs to speak to the parents of all First Communion Candidates prior to their enrolment. Then, please phone Annie Vagg: on 01622- 831216 for an enrolment form, or email: davidvagg123@btinternet.com

EUCCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE AND CONGRESS, LIVERPOOL, 7TH - 9TH SEPTEMBER 2018

Each Parish in the Diocese is invited to send two representatives to this National Congress - with work-shops on the Friday evening; the Congress on Saturday & the Celebration of the Eucharist on Sunday. The cost of attendance is £40 per day with accommodation & cost of travel to be added to this. **If you are interested in going, please take a copy of the information received at the recent Diocesan Council of Priests & read it & if you'd like to go give me your details & the days you will attend** (you can just opt for the Saturday which is the main day) - Thank you Fr Vic.

CATHOLIC LEGACY WEEK, 5th – 11th NOVEMBER Gifts in your Will are a wonderful way you can continue to support the Church's ministry, and help meet the needs of future generations. Please consider gifts to the Church & Catholic charities next time you update your Will. Pick up an information leaflet or contact Your Catholic Legacy on 020-7095-5370; <http://www.yourcatholiclegacy.org.uk/>, or Adrian Radford, the Diocesan Financial Controller, email adrian.radford@finance-rcdsouthwark.org