

**GOUDHURST and HAWKHURST PARISH**  
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**8th April 2018 – Second Sunday of Easter - Year B**

**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 Wednesday & Friday morning 8.30 to 9.30am at the Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst.

**Anniversaries: The following anniversaries occur at this time:**

Mary Rourke, Rose Margaret Poile, Donald Gagnor, Joan Forrest, Eleanor Ruth Cordeiro, Lois Hosking and Timothy Furlonge. May they all rest in peace.

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

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**Parish Collections 1st April** £1659.71 of this £1049.80 of this was Gift aided, thank you.

**PLEASE NOTE:** There is no 9.30am mass at the Sacred Heart, Goudhurst on Tuesday 10th April.

**The Pope's Prayer Intention for April:** For those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters. That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion & know how to open new paths

**Readers and Eucharistic Ministers Morning of Recollection**

**Will be on Saturday April 21st 2018 at St Andrew's Church, Ashford Road, Tenterden.TN30 6LL.**

**Time:** 9.30am for 10.00am start until 1.00pm. Canon Anthony Charlton will be the speaker; he is the parish priest at St Thomas's Church, Canterbury. It is a condition of your ministry that you should try to attend at least one of these days each year.

**Children's Liturgy Classes** start again on Sunday 22nd April at Goudhurst at 10.30am.

**First Communion Classes** start again at 4.45pm on Saturday 21st April.

**Rosary on the Coast for Faith, Life and Peace in the British Isles.**

**Sunday April 29th 2018 a service at 3pm in the Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst**

Jesus taught His disciples that some evils can be cast out only by prayer and fasting. Today's evils are no different and this National Day of Prayer through Rosary on the Coast can provide a privileged moment for moving and gathering the faithful throughout the Church in England, Wales and Scotland to such means of ridding ourselves of the present threats to faith, the dignity of the human person and to peace. It is a call to prayer in intercession for peace, for the conversion of our isles and for a re-flourishing of our Faith, so that God's Commandments can be honoured and upheld and that all human life will be respected from conception to natural death. All welcome. See the website for more details.

<https://www.rosaryonthecoast.co.uk>.

**Sacred Heart School, Wadhurst. Open Mornings on the 27th & 28th April.**

Sacred Heart Catholic Independent Primary School in Wadhurst welcomes boys & girls aged 2 to 11. Two open mornings are planned, to show our new Foundation Stage building & offer parents the chance to see a variety of curriculum activities across the whole school. Contact the school office to arrange a visit. 01892-783414; [admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk](mailto:admin@sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk) ; [www.sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk](http://www.sacredheartwadhurst.org.uk)

**Important announcement from St. Cuthman's Retreat Centre, Horsham, Sussex**

We regret to inform you of the difficult decision made by the trustees of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Arundel & Brighton to close St. Cuthman's at the end of June 2018. We know this news will be a shock to many people & we would like to thank you for your support over the years. We hope to welcome as many of our supporters as possible for quiet days & stays between now and June. Please see the available dates.

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2018; Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> to Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018;

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> to Friday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2018; Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2018;

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> to Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018; Monday 18<sup>th</sup> to Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018.

Please contact us on, Tel: 01403-741220. Thank you. St. Cuthman's team