

**GOUDHURST and HAWKHURST PARISH**  
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**12 August 2018 – The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary time - 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:**

Jack Benton, Toni Markley Aimes, Terry Wilkinson, Maree Alexander & Margaret Peel.

May they all rest in peace.

**Please pray for the sick in the parish:**

Helen Fletcher, Nuala Manwaring, Barbara Toll, Cynthia Raza, Eileen Collett & Bernard Smith.

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**Parish Collections 4 & 5 August** £ 549.21 of this £377.21 was Gift Aided thank you.

**Wednesday 15th August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary - Holy Day of Obligation**

**9.30am mass and an 8.00pm mass** at the Sacred Heart Church, Beresford Rd, Goudhurst.

**11.00am mass** at St Barnabas Church, High Street, Hawkhurst.

The times of these masses enable even those who are working to have a chance to attend.

**Daily Prayer for Priests**

Heavenly Father, grant that Fr Vic be strengthened and healed by the power of the Eucharist he celebrates. May the Word he proclaims give him courage and wisdom. We pray that all those whom he seeks to serve, may see in him the love and care of Jesus our eternal High Priest, who is Lord for ever and ever Amen. Mary, Mother of the Church look tenderly upon all your sons our Priests.

**Pope Francis Intention for August - Universal:** The treasure of Families. That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity

**The Community Cupboard – Food Bank. Goudhurst & Kildown Churches. CAN YOU HELP? (St Mary's, Christchurch & Sacred Heart).**

Churches Together are collecting to provide food & basic toiletries in the short term for those experiencing financial difficulties. Donations would be greatly appreciated. There is a box in the entrance of St Mary's; at Christchurch; and one in the Sacred Heart Church. There is a list of accepted items on the boxes, and you can pick up a suggested Shopping List. More details on [www.gkchurch.org.uk](http://www.gkchurch.org.uk) look under "Connect".

**RIDE AND STRIDE FOR CHURCHES:** Last year, the Friends of Kent Churches Ride and Stride raised £130,397. This year **Ride and Stride will be on Saturday 8th September**. By cycling, walking or running around Kent churches you can raise money to be divided equally between the Friends of Kent Churches and the church or chapel of your choice. FFI: Tel. Carolyn Miller on 01622 843 383 or email: [rideandstride@friendsofkentchurches.co.uk](mailto:rideandstride@friendsofkentchurches.co.uk). Web: [www.friendsofkentchurches.co.uk](http://www.friendsofkentchurches.co.uk).

**Summer Accommodation in London - Allen Hall Seminary, Chelsea**. Between July and August each year Allen Hall becomes a hostel. Situated in London, Allen Hall not only offers affordable bed and breakfast facilities, and a beautiful garden, it also provides guests with a good base from which they can explore London. Single and double rooms and ensuite. If you would like to find out more or make a booking please contact us: Email: [ahostel@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:ahostel@rcdow.org.uk), [www.allenhall.org.uk](http://www.allenhall.org.uk) Tel: 0207-349-5600 (*When connected choose option 0*).

**The Goudhurst & Kildown Lunch Club is for anyone over 60** who would welcome the opportunity to share a delicious, home-cooked hot meal & a chat. Whilst most of our members live alone, we also welcome couples & would love to have more members. We meet on two Mondays a month 12.30pm - 2pm in Goudhurst Village Hall by the pond but there is no obligation to come every time! The cost of the lunch is £4 and lifts can be arranged if necessary. If you wish to join, or if you know of anyone who might be interested, please call: Pippa Horlick (mobile 07754 044337) or Jo Santini (01580 212215 or mobile 07733 384838). Everyone is very friendly & we would be delighted to welcome new faces!

**The first lunch of the new term is September 3rd and dates following that are:**

17th September; 1st, 15th, 29th October; 12th & 26th November; 10th & 17th December 2018.  
7th & 21st January 2019; 4th & 18th February 2019; 4th & 18th March 2019.