GOUDHURST and HAWKHURST PARISH

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2nd September 2018 – The Twenty Second 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:

John James Conlon, Margaret Thomasina Samuels, Patrick Sheridan and Jan Kohout. May they all rest in peace.

<u>Please pray for the sick in the parish</u>: Helen Fletcher, Nuala Manwaring, Barbara Toll, Cynthia Raza, Eileen Collett, Bernard Smith and Caroline Burdge.

Parish Collections 25 & 26 August £431.00 of this £297.10 was Gift Aided thank you.

<u>Mission Appeal this weekend 1st & 2nd September</u>, Sister Kosi Ukaegbu, of The Daughters of Divine Love, a religious order who are part of the Religious Mission Sisters for England and Wales will be visiting our parish to make an appeal on behalf of the Mission Sisters.

Next Sunday 9th September is Education Sunday there will be a second collection for The Catholic Education Service (CES) which supports a working relationship with British & Welsh Governments to provide high academic standards. There are over 2000 Catholic schools, academies & colleges. The Catholic Church & the Church of England provide one-third of all schools in the country. The CES also provides financial assistance for school transport in rural areas.

Pope Francis Intention for September - Universal: Young People in Africa

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

Parish BBQ with St Mary's Church, Goudhurst on Saturday 8th September from 12.00- 3.00pm, Join us with Goudhurst Churches Together for a lunch time BBQ at The Vicarage, Back Lane, Goudhurst. TN17 1AN. Guests to the BBQ I need to bring their own sausages, hamburgers, etc. Salads, bread, dessert & soft drinks will be provided. Please reply asap: to hugh.nelson@ymail.com as

RIDE AND STRIDE FOR CHURCHES SATURDAY 8th SEPTEMBER- Entry forms in church

we need to know the numbers. All welcome to this social event to meet fellow parishioners...

Last year, the Friends of Kent Churches Ride & Stride raised £130,397. By cycling, walking or running around Kent churches you can raise money to be divided equally between the Friends of Kent Churches & the church or chapel of your choice. Info: Tel. Carolyn Miller on 01622 843 383 or email: rideandstride@friendsofkentchurches.co.uk . Web: www.friendsofkentchurches.co.uk

<u>Monday 10th September</u> The Kino Cinema in Hawkhurst will be showing the documentary film, called "**Pope Francis a Man of his Word**", this has been made by the film director Wim Wenders. For details of the time and to book tickets see <u>www.kinodigital.co.uk</u> or ring 01580-754321

The Goudhurst & Kilndown Lunch Club is for anyone over 60 who would welcome the opportunity to share a home-cooked hot meal & a chat. We meet on two Mondays a month 12.30pm - 2pm in Goudhurst Village Hall by the pond, 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 know people 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 is September 3rd and dates following that are: 17th September; 1st, 15th, 29th October; 12th & 26th November; 10th & 17th December 2018.

FLOWERS in the Sacred Heart Church and St Barnabas Church, Hawkhurst.

Every week our two churches are decorated with fresh flowers and plants, this is carried out and often subsidised by the parishioners who arrange the flowers. We would be very grateful for donations to help pay for flowers to decorate our churches, there is a Flower Donation Box in each church.

The Children's Liturgy Classes

will start again on Sunday 9th September at 10.30am at the Sacred Heart Church, Goudhurst