

# Catholic Church and Parish of St Bede, High Street, Newport Pagnell

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Working in Partnership with the Milton Keynes Cluster.

A member of Churches Together in Newport Pagnell

## Mass this week

**Friday - 10.00am**

**Sunday - 9.00am**

**Last Sunday's collection: £298.53p Thank you**

The Requiem Mass for **Jaqueline Watson** is on Friday 13th October at 10.00am followed by the burial at Olney Green Burial Ground at 11.30 am. Jackie was a parishioner of St Bede's for many years and faithfully served the tea and coffee after Mass. May she rest in eternal peace.

This Sunday there is a second collection for the **CAFOD Family Fast envelopes**. If you have forgotten your envelopes, please still donate to this very special collection. This year we are standing with Edelmira, a farmer in El Salvador, as she works to sustain her family with good harvests. With your help CAFOD is giving her fruit trees, training, and strong seeds.

**Message from Mary Howard** - Many thanks to all of you who supported the Macmillan Coffee morning/Bring and Buy sale at my house - we raised £237 which is a fantastic result.

**First Reconciliation/First Holy Communion** classes take place after Mass today.

No **Confirmation Enrolment forms** will be accepted after Sunday 29th October.

## St Bede's Small World Community Café

At our last coffee morning we raised £46 for Macmillan- thank you to everyone who came along and donated! The next dates are

Tuesday 17th October 10.00 am-11.30 am

Tuesday 21st November 10.00am-11.30 am

Tuesday 19th December 10.00am-11.30 am

**St Bede's Reading Group** - The Reading group will be meeting again on Wednesday 18th October, 2.00pm-3.30pm at St Bede's to discuss The Name of the Rose by Umberto Eco. If you will be participating please let Nina know - [peterinanovak@gmail.com](mailto:peterinanovak@gmail.com) or 078020387968  
Suggestions for future books to read would be most welcome.

**Christmas** - On Sunday 22nd October we will be selling Religious Christmas cards, Advent calendars, Religious calendars, and a variety of Christmas candles and Religious candles. Please buy your cards, candles and calendars from St Bede's and support our church.

**Christmas Bazaar** - Our Annual Christmas Bazaar will take place on Saturday 2nd December from 10.00am -1.00pm. This year the proceeds will be divided between Willen Hospice and our own SVP group, for the Christmas Hampers. Target- £3000!! There is a list of stalls on the notice board downstairs. If you would like to help run a stall, please sign your name beside the stall. If you have any other ideas please speak to Sr Yvonne. I have already received a donation of £60 for the raffle prizes. Thank you.

**Can you help our Cluster Priests?** Cook wanted! Our Cluster priests are looking for a part time cook for St Augustine's, Heelands. 12.5 hours per week. Monday to Friday. (2.5 hours per day) Duties will also include shopping. If you are interested and would like more details, please contact the Diocesan HR advisor Paula Wynn on 01604 714840 or email [hr@northamptondiocese.com](mailto:hr@northamptondiocese.com). The closing date is 16th October 2017.

## St Vincent de Paul Society Awareness Month - Welcome the Stranger!

Our notice board displays various posters, which highlight situations we all need to be aware of and be willing to do something about it where we can. If you feel you can help or would like to know more about the work of the St Vincent de Paul Society in the parish please contact Mal Nally on 01908 611802.

**Food Bank** - please leave non-perishable goods in the basket under the table downstairs. Thank you.

**Mass intentions**

**Today: Rosa Daoud RIP**  
**Friday: Oliver McElhone**