The Sacred Heart Church, Wadhurst

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Sunday 28th January - Fourth Sunday in O T

Sat 27th 6pm - Sacred Heart - Parish People

Sun 28th 10am - St Thomas

Wed 31st 10am - Sacred Heart

Sat 3rd 6pm – St Thomas

Sun 4th 10am - Sacred Heart - John Holden R.I.P

Graveyard: Gates are open weekends 9am - 1pm. Confessions: After Mass on Wednesday's or by appointment with Fr Patrick

Exposition: First Friday, 9.00am - 10.00am

Mothers Prayers: Contact the Parish Office

Parish Office opening hours:

Wednesday & Friday 9.00am - 1pm

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED SUNDAY 25TH FEBRUARY & SATURDAY 2ND MARCH:

The church floor is due to be sanded and sealed in w/c 26th February. Benches will have to be moved from the church into the annexe and back again on the above dates. If you can help please contact the Parish Office or talk to Toni.

GRAVEYARD:

The school gate to the graveyard now has access via a coded lock. Anyone requiring vehicular access at weekends will need to contact the Parish Office in advance for the code details. Please take care.

CARILLON COTTAGE:

Are collecting plastic sweet and biscuit tubs until the end of January. These will be recycled to raise funds for MacMillan Cancer Support. Please drop off at Carillon Cottage or leave in the annexe for collection.

POPE FRANCIS:

Inaugurated a Year of Prayer on Sunday, calling on the faithful "to pray more fervently... and to experience the power of hope in God." The Year of Prayer aims to help Catholics prepare for the 2025 Jubilee - which has the theme "Pilgrims of Hope" - and is dedicated to rediscovering the great value and absolute need for prayer in our personal lives, in the life of the Church, and throughout the world.

WIMTERSHALL: The Passion of Jesus,

Trafalgar Square, London, 29 March. One hundred Wintershall players bring their electric and moving portrayal of the final days of Jesus to the capital with performances at 12 noon and 3.15 pm. No tickets are required, the 90-minute performances are completely free of charge. This event is very popular so please arrive 40 minutes before your chosen performance. Find out more on the Wintershall website.

SIGN UP FOR CAFOD'S BIG LENT WALK:

Help fight global poverty! Lent begins on 14 February this year, with attention turning to Lenten plans and commitments. Across the country, schools, parishes, groups, and individuals are lacing up their walking shoes to walk in faith and solidarity, with CAFOD's Big Lent Walk. More details on their website.

ECOGROUP:

Members of the combined St. Thomas and Sacred Heart Ecogroup are compiling a Lenten Fast Book. Thank you for all your recipes. There will be a Book Launch on Wednesday evening, the 7th of February. John Paul Dequay, the cofounder of the Ecological Conversion Group will be our guest speaker. The venue will be confirmed closer to the time. To make sure everyone is able to get a copy of the book, we will put out 'sign up' sheets for each Church. Or you can email: ktreherne@btinternet.com

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Please remember in your prayers all who are sick in our parish.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.