**THE PARISH WITH TWO CHURCHES**

**SACRED HEART, HOWDEN & ST JOSEPH & ST THOMAS, GOOLE**

**PARISH PRIEST. FR. N ATKINSON.**

1. **BUTTFIELD RD, HOWDEN TELEPHONE 01430 430245**

**Parish website:** [**http://www.sacredheartstjoseph.org.uk**](http://www.sacredheartstjoseph.org.uk)

**Email.** [**neville.atkinson@dioceseofleeds.org,uk**](mailto:neville.atkinson@dioceseofleeds.org,uk)

**7th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 23rd February 2014**

**LUCJA LEJA AND PRZEMYSLAW WIT WILL BE MARRIED AT ST JOSEPH’S**

**THIS SATURDAY AT 12 NOON. WE OFFER THEM OUR CONGRATULATIONS AND OUR PRAYERS.**

**Saturday Feb 22 Vigil Mass at St Joseph’s at 5.30 John & Renee Bressani D/L**

**Sunday 23 Mass at Sacred Heart at 9.30 People of the Parish**

**Mass at St Joseph’s at 11am Alfred Hollingworth D/L**

**Monday 24 NO MASS**

**Tuesday 25 NO MASS. Funeral Service at Haltemprice for Horace Beal.**

**Prayer group at St Joseph’s at 9.30 (Please note earlier time This week only)**

**Wednesday 26 Mass at St |Joseph’s 10am Heenan Family D/L**

**Thursday 27 Mass at Sacred Heart 6.30**

**Friday 28 Mass at St Joseph’s 10am David Healey D/L**

**SICK & HOUSEBOUND . PLEASE PRAY FOR THEM.**

**Anna Barszcz, Margaret Brodigan, , Mary Chappel, Franchea Corrigan, Frank Crawley,**

**Jean de Bosch , Jane Dominick ,Kathleen Evans, Anne Evans, Anne Greenwood, Anne Hayward, Dorothy Kershaw, June Kelly, Sheila Lightowler, Mabel Margrave, Anthony Margrave,**

**Joan & Sidney Marshall , Ricardo Martins , Clare & Tom O’Regan, Gordon Perrett, Bernard Rook, Michael Ryan, Timmy Ryan , Deborah Sheery,**

**And all those who are ill and would like to remain anonymous.**

**POLISH MASS.**

**FR PAJAK WILL COME TO OFFER MASS ON THE FIRST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 8pm**

**FR WLODIMIERZ PAJAK 117 BUCKINGHAM ST. SCUNTHORPE. TELEPHONE 01724 855698**

**The next Polish Mass will be Saturday March 1st**

**We extend our sympathy and the promise of our prayers to the family of Horace Beal,**

**Whose Funeral Service will be on Tuesday Feb 25th at 10.30 at Haltemprice Crematorium .**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT BECAUSE OF THIS FUNERAL AT HALTEMPRICE, THERE WILL BE NO MASS AT HOWDEN THAT DAY.**

**We thank the family of Ivy Cobb for their generous donation at her Funeral.**

**WHITE FLOWER APPEAL. We donated £339.66 to this charity**

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION . We postponed this from last week, because of the White Flower appeal.**

**There are forms for those who will begin preparation for FIRST COMMUNION**

**For them to take the forms and fill them in. Please collect yours if this applies to your child.**

**SEE FORMS WITH POSTER. FIRST COMMUNION ENROLMENT MASS WILL BE ON SATURDAY MARCH 1ST AT THE 5.30 MASS**

**CHURCHES TOGETHER IN SHERBURN AND DISTRICT. 5 Ecumenical talks at**

**St Joseph the Worker at Sherburn in Elmet. SEE POSTER ON NOTICE BOARD.**

**SUPPORT WORKERS . Full and Part time. Adults with learning disabilities.**

**SEE POSTER ON NOTICE BOARD.**

**Since so many of our Polish brethren attend St Joseph’s we intend to have the First & Second Readings in Polish every third Sunday of the month.**

**The Responsorial Psalm will still be read by the Reader on the Rota for that day.**

**Cleaning Team (Howden) Team . D**

**OFFERTORY. £ 574.94**

**WOMENS WORLD DAY OF PRAYER. FRIDAY MARCH 7TH**

**Will be celebrated at Sacred Heart at 7.30 in the evening and St Joseph’s 2pm**

**A Day of Prayer at the Briery.**

**Ways of praying with the Saints.Sat Mch 1st at 2pm 9am – 3.15 at the Briery Centre, Ilkley**

**To book, please ring 0113 2618040. SEE POSTER ON NOTICE BOARD.**

**CATHOLIC CARE PARISH REPRESENTATIVE.**

**Catholic Care would like to appoint a Parish Representative in each Parish who would manage the promotion of Catholic Care to help us to reach out and offer care and support where it is needed to members of our community.**

**VOLUNTEER PROJECT. A day of information about volunteering in Peru, Chile & Argentina. At 299, Boarshaw Rd, Middleton. On Sat Apl 5 from 10.30 – 3.30.**

**Telephone or text 07939063120.**

**AMPLEFORTH ABBEY will perform ST MATTHEW’S PASSION on Sunday 30th March at**

**6PM. SEE POSTER FOR DETAILS.**

**HOWDEN SUMMER FETE. We are asking for volunteers to organise and run our Church Summer Fete this year. Ideally a group of like –minded, energetic (and dare we say younger)!**

**Members will form a Summer Fete Committee and take full responsibility for the event.**

**If you are keen to become involved, please add your name to the list at the back of Church,**

**So as to measure the level of interest .Many thanks.**

**Sponsored cycle around the Diocese to raise money to promote vocations.**

**June 7-11. To sponsor or participate contact vocations:office@leedsvocations.org.uk**

**READERS LIST FOR MARCH now available at St Joseph’s**

**We thank Mrs Ailsa Bowker for her weekly cleaning of Howden’s Church Brasses.**

**We are grateful to her for keeping our brasses clean.**

**Due to the recent high winds, a wall came down at St Joseph’s and roof tiles at the Presbytery.**

**We are very grateful to Steve Batho and his helpers for their hard work in clearing and removing all the fallen bricks and repairing the tiles. THANKS AGAIN FOR YOUR PROMPT AND WILLING ACTION.**

**ASH WEDNESDAY . On March 5th is the start of LENT. Known as Ash Wednesday.**

**The distribution of Ashes will take place at the Masses on that day. 10am in Goole and**

**7pm in Howden. It is day of Fasting and Abstinence. This means only 1 full meal on that day**

**And no meat to be eaten.**