



# The Parish of Our Lady & Saint Wulstan, Southam

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Parish Priest: Father Bernard Garratt. Deacon: Rev Terry Hum (Retired)



Saturday February 17th	10.0 am 5.30 pm	<i>Vigil of Lent 1</i>	Ruth Sharpe RIP Frank Barriscole
<b>Sunday 18th</b>	<b>10.0 am</b>	<b>FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT</b>	Edward Harry Farr RIP
Monday	9.15 am 7.30 pm	Mass Bible Study in Hall	Mike Clark
Tuesday	9.15 am		Margaret & Douglas Tanner RIP
Wednesday	7.0 pm		Sara Wicks
Thursday	9.15 am	<i>Chair of St Peter</i>	Ann Johnson
Friday	9.15 am <b>6.30 pm</b>	Mass <b>Stations of the Cross</b>	Mike Brown
Saturday February 24th	10.0 am 5.30 pm	<i>Vigil of Lent 2</i>	Julia & Frank Vials RIP Maurice & Wendy Griffin & family
<b>Sunday 25th</b>	<b>10.0 am</b>	<b>SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT</b>	People of the Parish
<b>CONFESSIONS SATURDAY 5.0 PM AND ON REQUEST</b>			

**Giving Last Week** Gift Aid £186 Non Gift Aid £167.59

**Sanctuary Lamp** burns this Week in memory of Ellen Ankers RIP.

**Next Weekend** : non compulsory retiring collection for CAFOD. Gift Aid Envelopes available now in church.

**ADVANCE NOTICE** : Easter Bingo is planned for Monday March 19th at school. Doors open 7.0 pm, Eyes Down at 7.45 pm.

**Lourdes In May** : Susan Saunders plans trip to Lourdes. Can anyone give her wheelchair assistance? Tel Susan on Tel : 811520



**LENT LUNCHES** will begin this Tuesday week in aid of the renal unit at Walsgrave Hospital. To help, making soup etc, please tell Catherine Smith now. Her telephone number is : 613377.

**LENT & HOLY WEEK LEAFLETS** for events in our Parish are in church now. Take one home and do your best to come to some events this Lent.

**MAURICE GRIFFIN** would like to thank all those who have shown him such kindness in his present illness. He would be happy to have a visit from friends who may be able to call.

**WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** March 2nd at the Community Church at 2.0 pm. Readers & someone to do the Offertory required. Please see Marie Sadler Tel 815901 if you would like to help.

**DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES** for 2018 : a limited number are now available at the back of the church.

**Fr David Condon RIP**  
Fr David's Funeral Mass will be at 12 Noon on Wednesday this week at St Peter's Leamington Spa. *May he rest in peace. Amen*

**Quote of the Week**  
"The proof of love is in the works. Where love exists, it works great things. But when it ceases to act, it ceases to exist." *St. Gregory the Great*

**Have a Chuckle**




*"I don't care if she is a tape dispenser, I still love her."*

## How to Fast in Lent by Pope Francis

- Fast from hurting words and say kind words.
- Fast from sadness and be filled with gratitude.
- Fast from anger and be filled with patience.
- Fast from pessimism and be filled with hope.
- Fast from worries and have trust in God.
- Fast from complaints and contemplate simplicity.
- Fast from pressures and be prayerful.
- Fast from bitterness and fill your hearts with joy.
- Fast from selfishness and be compassionate to others.
- Fast from grudges and be reconciled.
- Fast from words and be silent so you can listen.

**PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN WITH YOU. GIVE ONE TO A FRIEND OR NEIGHBOUR**

### Cards and Rosaries

and other religious items are on sale in the Porch.

### Tea and coffee

will be in the hall after Sunday Mass. Stay & say hello..

### Finally... Welcome

to our Visitors and any new Parishioners.