

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS			
Psalms for Morning Prayer: Week 1			
<b>SUNDAY</b> 7th February <b>5th Sunday of Year</b>	Coggeshall Kelvedon Tiptree	9.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 6.00 p.m.	All Parishioners Albert Mason RIP In thanksgiving (Marie Barrett)
<b>MONDAY</b> 8th February <i>St Jerome Emiliani</i>	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Henry Sheldrake RIP
<b>TUESDAY</b> 9th February	Kelvedon Kelvedon	8.00 a.m. 7.30–8.30 p.m.	Secular Clergy Common Fund <i>Eucharistic Adoration today</i>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b> 10th February <i>St Scolastica</i>	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Pat Knight RIP
<b>THURSDAY</b> 11th February <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	Kelvedon Kelvedon  Coggeshall	10.00 a.m. 4.00 p.m.  7.30 p.m.	Mgr David Donnelly RIP <i>Baptism: Kerry Owen, Charlotte Casey, Melissa Casey and Chantel Casey</i> Intention Clark Family
<b>FRIDAY</b> 12th February	Kelvedon	9.00 a.m.	Intention Fr Pat Davies
<b>SATURDAY</b> 13th February	Kelvedon	10.00 a.m.	Peter & Simon Anderson (anniversary)
<b>SUNDAY</b> 14th February <b>6th Sunday of Year</b>	Coggeshall Kelvedon Tiptree	9.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 6.00 p.m.	Intention Clark Family Kathleen Turner All Parishioners
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30 a.m. - 11.00 a.m. with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction			

Liturgical Rotas 14th February	Eucharistic Ministers	Lectors	Ministers of Welcome
COGGESHALL	Neville Bridgman Lanette Bridgman	Jill Hinds	Edwina Abram
KELVEDON	Pat Short Doris Eary	Tom McInally	June Jezierski
TIPTREE	Sue Petchey Valerie Bartlett	Simon Hall	Margaret Jopling
FINANCE TEAM	Tony Hinds & Tom McInally		

PARISH OF  
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## Parish Newsletter

### 7th February 2010



## Fifth Sunday of Year

*They left everything and followed him*

First Reading	Is 6:1-8
Responsorial Psalm	Ps 137:1-5.7-8
Second Reading	1 Cor 15:1– 11
Gospel	Lk 5:1-11

**FIFTH SUNDAY OF YEAR:** At every Mass we join with the angelic host in singing “Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord of hosts”. Isaiah’s immediate reaction to his vision of heaven in our first reading is awe – who can see God and live? The angel calms his fear, cleansing him with the touch of a live coal taken from the altar. God has called him to be his messenger. In the Gospel St Peter has the same reaction to the miraculous catch of fish - he falls to his knees before the Lord. Jesus raises him up – he too has a special task. From now on it is human beings he will catch. If we do not have awe in the presence of God we have not yet understood who God is and our relationship with him. If we remain paralysed by fear then we do not realise that he loves us and has a special task that we alone can fulfil, and that his grace will enable us to overcome our human weakness and carry out this challenge. Today we pray especially for all who have volunteered to help with our parish mission in the Summer and may be wondering what they have let themselves in for!

**PRAYER NEEDS:** Please continue to pray for those parishioners who are sick especially **Danny Mullane, Sarah Costello, Dorothy Dodd, Donovan Buahin, Marissa Orchard, Mike Gibson, Elliot Chisholm, Frank Joyce, Maria Hoeft, Dwight Page, Rebecca Dillon, Sophie, Brian Harper, Eddie Price, Anne Entwistle, Audrey Holden, May Brown, Eric Bell, Paul Brittain, Conor Franks, Audrey Hopwood, Karen Kelly, Daniel McDermott, Bert Winch** and any unknown to us.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Please remember **Sr. Mary Simon, Albert Mason, Jo Rayner, Tommy Manson, Dorothy Rowe, Ted Clarke** and **Frank Harden** whose anniversaries occur at this time.

**PHYLLIS CHINE RIP:** You will be sad to hear that Phyllis, for many years our organist at Kelvedon, died last Sunday. She had been unwell for some time, but had a fall on the Saturday. We offer our sympathy and prayers to April and the family. Her body will be brought into church at Kelvedon on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> February at 3.00 p.m.; Requiem Mass Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> February at 2.00 p.m.

**CAFOD APPEAL FOR HAITI:** Many thanks for the additional offerings that came in last weekend raising the total to £1560.67. **Josie Crone** would also like to thank all those at Coggeshall who sponsored her for the youth event taking place in Coggeshall in aid of Haiti.

**UGANDA LOTTERY:** This Quarter’s winners were **S Robbins** (1<sup>st</sup> prize - £70) and **Ellinor Ingram** (2<sup>nd</sup> prize - £34). If you would like to take part in the next Quarter’s draw subscription of £13 are now due.

**CATHOLIC HANDICAPPED FELLOWSHIP:** Annual Mass with Bishop Thomas for all those with special needs at Brentwood Cathedral on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> February at 3.00 p.m. Refreshments afterwards. All welcome.

**PASTORAL STATISTICS:** Each year we have to send in a return to the Diocese which eventually appears in the Diocesan yearbook. For the past year the figures were (2008 in brackets):

Mass attendance: 169 (171)	Baptisms: 12 (14)
First Communions: 10 (24)	Confirmations: 2 (4)
Marriages: 8 (1)	Deaths: 16 (12)

**MGR DAVID DONNELLY & FR JACK CLIFFORD RIP:** You will be sorry to hear of the recent deaths of two of our retired priests. Fr Jack Clifford’s funeral will take place at Ilford Lane on Thursday at 11.00 a.m. I am unable to attend this but there is also a Mass on the Wednesday evening at 7.30 p.m. Mgr Donnelly’s funeral will take place at the Cathedral on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> February at 12.00 noon.

**NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER & FASTING FOR LIFE:** Will take place on Ash Wednesday, 17<sup>th</sup> February, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia. Your prayer and fasting is urgently needed. For more information contact; The Good Counsel Network on 020 7723 1740 or e-mail [info@goodcounselnetwork.freemove.co.uk](mailto:info@goodcounselnetwork.freemove.co.uk)

**ESSEX RECUSANT SOCIETY:** Will have an outing to the church of St. Patrick, Soho Square on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> February. This will be an opportunity to see the church before it closes for a year at the end of February for restoration work to take place. We will be shown vestments and other items of interest. Meet inside the church at 2.00 p.m. Contact Miss Isobel Parks on 01268 289678.

**NATIONAL JUSTICE & PEACE NETWORK:** ‘Renewing the Catholic Social Conscience’ International Conference, Oxford 19<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> March. For further details visit [www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk](http://www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk) For booking enquires contact Charlotte Jenkins: [charlotte.jenkins@studium.bfriars.ox.ac.uk](mailto:charlotte.jenkins@studium.bfriars.ox.ac.uk). See notice board for poster.

**UNDERSTANDING PRIESTHOOD:** This study day will explain how the understanding of Christ as priest underpins both the ministerial priesthood in the Catholic Church and the priesthood of the faithful. It is designed to assist both Catholics and other Christians in exploring the Catholic understanding of these issues. Fr John Farrell, Prior Provincial of the English Dominicans and well-known theologian and speaker, will be coming to Brentwood Cathedral Hall on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> February. The event begins at 10.30 a.m. and ends at 3 p.m. Please book your place for this free event (sandwich lunch and refreshments provided) by e-mail to [cef@dioceseofbrentwood.org](mailto:cef@dioceseofbrentwood.org) or telephone 01277 265289.

**FINANCE:** Offertory collection for **Sunday 31st January - £647.94.**