FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

1ST MARCH 2020

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Scripture Readings pmb pp.151-154 Prf 1p.71 and EP3 p28

Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7 The creation of Adam and Eve, their fall from innocence through believing the lies of the Devil, and their consequent discovery of being naked.
Romans 5:12-19 As by Adam's fall the whole human race is marked by death, so by Christs sacrifice we are raised to life.
Matthew 6:24-34 Adam is tempted by the serpent; Christ by Satan. The outcome is different.

COFFEE AFTER 10.30 MASS
WEEKDAY MASSES: Mass on Monday (Latin) and Friday 9.30am
Traditional Latin Mass Sunday at 3.15 pm
LENT BOOK Our book this year is **Raymond Friel: The Revolution of Tenderness—being a Catholic in today's Church**. We'll meet 2.30-4pm on Monday 2 March at 1 Westlyn Cl;ose, Malvern. WR14 2SJ **Please order your own copy from Amazon or from Redemptorist Publications (tel. 01420 88222)**
Lectio Divina Thursday 5 March Parish Room at 5.15pm
STATIONS OF THE CROSS On Friday 6 March at 12 noon.
CAFOD LENT FAMILY FAST DAY on Friday 6 March is the sixtieth anniversary of the first Family Fast Day. "These Days give us the opportunity to support highly skilled experts around the world who help the poorest members of our global family, experts such as Sr Consilia, a nun and trained pharmacist who treats people in rural Zimbabwe." **please take a fast day envelope home.**
WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2020 Friday 6 March (as well as being Family Fast Day).
Meetings: 2pm St Leonard's, Newland. 7.30pm St Joseph's, Malvern.
THE GOD WHO SPEAKS On the first four Monday evenings of Lent, Mgr Pat Kilgarriff will "ponder on the God who speaks and take a close look at the Gospel of St Matthew in 2020". 7.30-9pm at St George's, Worcester. See notice at back of Church.
THE AREA EPISCOPAL VICAR, CANON DAVID EVANS will conduct a Visitation of the Parish on Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 March. It is the first since 2012.
DAY OF RECOLLECTION AT BELMONT ABBEY organised by Andrew and Bea Grant on Saturday 14 March 10.15-3.30, led by Canon Brian McGinley. The day is open to everybody. Full details on notice board at back of church.
REDEDICATION OF ENGLAND TO OUR LADY proposed by English Bishops for 29 March. To help those who wish to take part in this we shall for a few weeks say the *Angelus* after Mass.
Confessions Saturday 4.15pm to 4.45pm
Centering Prayer Third Saturday of the Month
Eucharistic Adoration Last Saturday of the Month
Lectio divina First Thursday of month (time announced in Newssheet).

Pray for Mary Plunkett (mother of Maggie Knight-Adams), Paul Hothersall and Les Miller, who have died, for Harry Bradbear who died recently, for John Bilsborough, Pat Higgins, Rosemarie Kay, Christopher Kouwen, Andy McGowan, Pauline Mills, Peter Onions, Nicholas Ratcliff, Raymond Turner and Ellen Verdult, who are unwell/housebound.