



**FOURTH SUNDAY
IN
ORDINARY TIME
3 FEBRUARY 2019**

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Today's Scripture readings PMB 132-5; EPVN 4 p.52

Jeremiah 1:4-5;17-19 The young prophet, already formed in the womb, is called out to confront the kings, priests and people of Judah who will resist his message, but not overcome him. For he will be "a pillar of iron and a wall of bronze to confront all this land".

1 Corinthians 12:31—13:13 Three things last to eternity—faith, hope and love. Of these, the greatest is love—the disposition of the heart as it is focussed on God and our neighbour.

Luke 4:21-30 The people of Nazareth, thinking they have known Jesus all his life until now, fail to recognize his true stature. They would like to tame him and use him for their own benefit.

SECOND COLLECTION for *Life*. "*Life* provides local services in different parts of UK giving practical support to women in crisis pregnancies and suffering after baby loss. Its Pregnancy Matters online service supported 6,668 women affected by abortion or pregnancy loss last year—18 every day. With your help they can reach even more this year. All money raised will go to *Life Link One*, the regional hub giving these vital services in the Archdiocese".

CATECHESIS after 10.30 Mass for those preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation

COFFEE AFTER 10.30 MASS

WEEKDAY MASS Monday (Latin) and | Friday **9.30am** in Church.

PPC MEETING: Tuesday 6pm. Apologies for non-publication of minutes. This will be rectified.

CATENIAN QUIZ Members of our Parish are invited to send a team of up to six members to this event in Great Malvern on Friday 15 February at 7pm. Full details on board at back of church.

BLESSED CANDLES It is the custom in some places to have a blessed candle in your house during Lent and Easter. It can be lit, in particular, when you are undertaking any Lenten activity such as praying or reading a chosen book. If anyone would like a candle, we can order some and bless them for this purpose. Please let the Parish Secretary (Claire Bailey) or a member of the PPC know.

LOGA SMITH (Registered Nurse) has provided care for several elderly people connected with St Wulstan's in the last couple of years and lives near our Church. She offers "care and support in your home in Malvern and surrounding areas". tel. 01684 563802 (some cards at back of church).

ROAD CLOSURE (A4104) AT TUNNEL HILL For three weeks from Monday 4 February the road on the Welland side of the turning to Longdon and Tewkesbury will be closed in connection with the new house building going on there.

Pray for Leonie Rimmer, Denise Soper, Norah Lawley, Michael Noakes, Teresa Fry and Arthur Thurlow, who died recently, for Peter Onions who is unwell, for Rosemarie Kay, Christopher Kouwen, and Raymond Turner. who are recovering, and for Paul Hothersall, Ellen Verdult, Nicholas Ratcliff, and Les Miller who are housebound.