

NEWSLETTER

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Monday 25th November – Sunday 1st December 2019

Monday	10:00am	Franz Pechur R.I.P
Tuesday	10:00am	Fr James Kirby R.I.P
	11:00am	Requiem Annie Conroy R.I.P
Wednesday	7:00pm	Mary Agnes & Robertin R.I.P
Thursday	10:00am	Holy Souls
Friday	10:00am	People of Yemen
	5:30pm	Holy Hour
Saturday	6:00pm	Priest's Intention
Sunday		<i>First Sunday of Advent</i>
8:30am		Cecilia Dowling R.I.P
10:00am		People of the Parish
12 noon		In Thanksgiving

Confessions 2 – 4pm every Saturday,
but can be organised anytime,
text 07909 140867

Holy Hour

**Holy Hour and Benediction on Friday from
5.30 to 6.30pm.**

**Please come along to pray for the
beginning of the new year on Sunday.**

Next Sunday is the First Sunday of the new
Church year, first Sunday of Advent and
readings will be from year A.

Annie Mary Conroy

Sincere condolences to the family of Annie
who died recently.
Her funeral is on Tuesday 26th November at
11am.

Penitential Service

On Tuesday 3rd Dec. at 7.30pm there will
be a penitential service in preparation for
Christmas.

CALLING ALL SERVERS

There will be a practice for all altar servers
next Saturday at 1.30pm, for both "old" and
new servers from class 5 upwards.
Please parents your support is appreciated.

Fr Jack

What a noble day.

Jesus Christ King of the Universe.

Adam and Eve *did not follow through*.

Don't eat the fruit they were told. And they did.

Jesus in the desert was tempted three times
and he did not give in.

Today on the cross He is tempted again three
times and he did not give in.

1. The leaders jeered Him.

2. The soldiers mocked Him.

3. One of the criminals abused Him.

Jesus stood firm and did not retaliate.

In the desert and on the cross, Jesus *follows
through*.

HE TAKES HUMANITY TO A NEW LEVEL.

Equally when we do not give in to our weaker
self, we take not only humanity to a higher
level, but we actually take ourselves to a
higher level.

Follow the King and be strong.

*Children away from home, visit and call your
parents.*

Footprints in the sand of time are not made by sitting down.

A PROPOSAL

For the parish to build two flats, or a
house at the entrance on Bellenden Road.
It could incorporate an archway, so the
entrance would still remain.

They could be utilised as a retirement flat
for yours truly, or rented out to others.

The parish priest could live there and then
45 could be seriously renovated as an
income for the parish.

Eventually if we did not need them, they
could be sold off without interfering with
the car park or present property.

Your thoughts are appreciated, preferably
in writing.

Dancing

The future of the Saturday dancing
evenings are not looking so bright.

At the last two sessions we lost £80 each
night.

We can continue if those who wish bring a
few new members, or we charge £10. Let
me or small Mary know your thoughts.

Knights of St Columba

The Knights will attend all masses next week
and will be distributing Christmas Posters.

They will also be taking a collection on behalf of
the Manna centre.