

**St Matthias Church**  
**FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**  
**Sunday 5th February 2023**

**Welcome all** visiting with us for the first time and invite you all to join us, after mass, for Coffee/tea at the back of Church

Sunday 5th	<b>FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>Parish Mass 11am</b>
Monday 6th	<b>S Paul Miki &amp; Companions, Mr</b>	
Tuesday 7th	<b>Feria</b>	
Wednesday 8th	<b>Feria</b>	<b>Mass 10am</b>
Thursday 9th	<b>Feria</b>	
Friday 10th	<b>S Scholastica, Vr</b>	
Saturday 11th	<b>Feria</b>	<b>Mass 10.30am</b>
Sunday 12th	<b>SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>Parish Mass 11am</b>

**KEEPING WARM SHELTER- CHURCH HALL – 11AM – 1.30PM**

Due to demand, and responding to requests, it has now been decided by the warm shelter committee to continue with the Monday soup gathering. We hope that you do come and share in soup and a social gathering of the community, all are welcome. We will monitor how the weeks go.

**PCC MEETING – SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

Will be on Sunday 19th Feb, following Mass. This will be our first this year, so we thought we would have champagne to begin with!

**LENT APPEAL!**

Please start returning your Palm crosses from last year, so that we can burn them and use them for our Ash Wednesday service/s, which is on Wednesday 22nd Feb with mass at 10:30 & 6:30.

What would we like to do for Lent, if anything at all? In the past, we have looked at various parts of scripture, but if there is anything we can think of, please have a word.

**A REQUEST**

There will be some filming going on in church in a couple of weeks' time. They are asking for extras to be interviewed? Do have a word with Norma who has some more information.

**AN APPEAL**

Are you called to play a part in the life of the church? We will be in need of some Church Warden/s when we come to our APCM on Sunday 16th April. If you feel you would like to take this role on, please have a word with a PCC member, or Norma.

**CONFIRMATION**

This will be an opportunity for those who are considering to take their next part of their Christian journey, and to be confirmed by Bishop Jonathan Baker on Sunday 14th May at our Patronal festival. Please see Fr. David for further details.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Tuesday 21st Feb; Fish n' Chip supper in the church (Name list will be available in 2 weeks' time)

Wednesday 22nd Ash Wednesday; 10:00 & 6:30pm Mass

**DID YOU KNOW?**

There are still a few limited-edition candles after the great response we had last week. They will be on sale after mass. Perhaps you may wish to purchase one at £8.50 each; a great present to offer those whom you love.

**Pastoral Matters: Including: Baptisms, Confirmation, Weddings, Funerals and Confessions.**  
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