

Welcome to ST MARY & ST JOSEPH PARISH and Parish Community. If you are new to the Parish you are invited to complete a 'New Parish Records Form', which you will find in the back of the church.  
(Website: [www.boxmoorcatholic.org](http://www.boxmoorcatholic.org))

**PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS OR ENQUIRIES:** If you are interested in using the Centre for an event, party or meeting, please telephone 07533 965372 or email at [hallbookings@boxmoorcatholic.org](mailto:hallbookings@boxmoorcatholic.org)

### THE DEPARTED

We ask eternal life in Christ for those who have died recently and whose anniversaries occur around this time David James, Mrs Hornby, Marion Bagnall, Leslie Hampton, Sean Hanrahan.

### COLLECTION

Thank you for your continued generosity

### MONDAY 30<sup>th</sup> AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY

Mass in our church is at 10am  
(there is no Mass at 9.30am)

### FIRST SATURDAY of month 4<sup>th</sup> Sept

**MASS 10.30AM at SS Mary & Joseph** followed by Adoration and Benediction and Confession.

### BAPTISM PREPARATION

The next baptism preparation class will be held on  
**Sat 4<sup>th</sup> Sept at 10am in the Parish Centre.**  
For any further details please contact Fr John.

### BIBLE STUDY GROUP

The weekly meetings of the Group will begin again on **Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Sept at St Mary's Dominican Convent, Green End Rd. Boxmoor at 1.30pm.** During this term the group will be reflecting on the Scripture readings for the following Sundays.  
*New members are welcome.*

### MASS FOR PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

**at St Dominic's School, Southdown Rd, Harpenden on the 12th Sept 2010**

(start with hymn singing at 2.30 pm followed by Mass at 3 pm). Afterwards a picnic in the school grounds, finish at 5.30 pm approx. *All are very welcome.* Any queries or help with transport please contact P.J. Lynch-Kelly on **01582 769633 or 07710 445664**

### RUBBISH BANK HOLIDAY

Come along to the **Boxmoor's second community Litter Pick of 2010 - Monday 30 August at 10am.**

The meeting point is outside the Boxmoor Cricket Club pavilion in Blackbirds Moor. We aim to tidy up the Moor itself and some of the streets of Boxmoor.  
*Everyone is welcome. Litter picking equipment is provided - all you need to do is turn up. For more information see [www.bohoboxmoor.com](http://www.bohoboxmoor.com)*

Knights of St Columba invite to

### PARISH BINGO

The monthly Bingo will continue in the **Parish Hall Boxmoor on Wed 1<sup>st</sup> September at 8.00 pm**

### PARISH LUCKY DRAW

The winners in the August draw are:  
**First Prize £80 to No 57 Mrs Rose Davies**  
**Second prize £40 to No 24 Martin Hanlon.**  
*Many thanks for your support. Des Lynn*

### We pray for THE SICK

Rose McMahon, Mary Tonge, Colin Bourke, Eric Chapman, baby William Hamilton, Geoffrey Gower, David Norman, Joseph Kempton, Nora McArdle, Lourdes D'Souza, Liam McGrath, Patrick Nevin, baby Olivia Kember, Chris Healy, Miles Cash, Colleen Cash, Maureen & Barry Albert, Eunice Holden, John Durcan, Joyce Millers, Nuala Gardner.

*To include a name on the list, please let Fr John know. Names will remain on the list for four weeks unless otherwise requested.*

### HIYA Notices

*HIYA is on summer break till the 5<sup>th</sup> September.*

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Sep - LIFE TEEN YOUTH MASS** at Our Lady Queen of All Creation @ 4pm followed by Pizza and Social.

Youth Masses will take place every last Sunday of month of autumn term at Our Lady Queen of All Creation church.

**Tues 7<sup>th</sup> Sep - HIYA YOUTH REPS MEETING @ 7.30pm** at SS Mary & Joseph Parish centre.

### COME AND SEE

- ✓ *Interested in finding out more about what Catholics believe?*
- ✓ *Thinking of becoming a Catholic?*
- ✓ *Looking for answers or to renew faith?*
- ✓ *Got issues you want to voice?*
- ✓ *Do you have a friend or family member who is interested in the Catholic faith or got questions about it?*

Our "Come and See" evening is for you...

**Tues 14<sup>th</sup> September In the Parish Centre 7.30pm**

NO STRINGS... ANY QUERIES/MORE INFO:  
(Jane Gonzalez), (Sr Nadia), **07879058732 (Fr John).**

### LAWS OF LOVE SET IN STONE

*Experience the relevance of the Ten Commandments as you've never heard them before*

The 10-week event will be held at **St John's (Boxmoor) and begins on Sun 12<sup>th</sup> September to Sun 14<sup>th</sup> November. It is open to everyone, starting at 7.30pm.**

*Visit [www.just10.org](http://www.just10.org) or call 0144 255382 for more details.*

### MUSIC FOR PLEASURE

is a newly formed music group for beginners and intermediates aged 18 and up to meet and share ideas, practice and encourage each other. Beginners can be offered help and advice.

**Starting Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> September 2010 7.00pm – 9.00pm**  
*at Warners End Community Centre, Northridge Way, Hemel Hempstead*  
*If you are interested phone: Lee 07786 835 536, John 07923 277 680*

### SPONSORED BIKE N' HIKE

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September, 2010**

The Beds and Herts Historic Churches Trust are holding their annual bike ride/hike in September. This is a wonderful opportunity for you, family, friends to see some of the 600 churches participating throughout Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire, have great fun cycling or walking, and also to raise a fantastic amount of money!!!

The bike ride is a sponsored event. Ask your friends, family, colleagues to support you in your efforts, and by doing so, half the money you raise will go to help support the church of your choice, and the other half will go to the Historic Churches Trust to help them in their splendid efforts in church repair projects. *If you feel inspired to take part, or would like further details, please see the leaflets available at the back of the church, or contact Tom Gonzalez on 249470.*