



Parish of The Sacred Heart Tisbury & All Saints' Wardour

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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Pope's March prayer intention: 'for disarmament and peace' : Pope Leo XIV releases his prayer intention for the month of March, inviting Catholics to pray with him for 'disarmament and peace,' and praying that 'the nuclear threat may never again dictate the future of humanity.'



We all wish Father Robert a happy and jolly 80th birthday on the 8th March.

PRAYERS: Fr Robert, Gilly Hooper, Jo Murray, Joshua Vinter-Jackson, Katie Reeve Tucker, Peter Davies, Marlis & Tom Gardner, Pat Elwood.

For all those unwell in our Pastoral area.

For those who care for the sick.

For residents & staff at Albany House,

The Hays, Clouds House.

ON THURSDAY 5th MARCH. Here at Sacred Heart, Bishop Bosco, with all our priests, celebrated the Lenten Liturgy of Reconciliation for our pastoral area of St Edith's. The church was full; service, music, readings and individual confessions uplifting. Thank you to all who provided the buffet supper afterwards. Much enjoyed.



Alexandra Van Duivenbode RIP. Alexandra died on Tuesday; please remember her in your prayers and also Bernard her husband.

May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace Amen.

Stay Awake 2026 – all-day Catholic Christian Conference with music and worship on 2nd May, Thomas Hardy School in Dorchester, DT1 2ET, 10 am to 6 pm. Theme: 'Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.' (Ps51:10). Book through www.stayawakejc.com We invite all parishioners – whatever age - to a fun faith-filled day with appropriate children's streams and David Wells is our main keynote speaker! Choice of workshops too and more! Refreshments supplied, home-made cakes and free pizza after Mass. Free for children and £12.50 for the rest of us! See you there!

Tisbury Christian Council- Lent Lunches- every Wednesday. 12.00-13.30 in the Methodist Church. 25th February to 25th March. Money donated will go to Jackspace and Naomi House. Do come and join us. On 11th and 18th March, we are hosting this so an even greater reason to come!

The Orders of St John Care Trust care homes are some of the best. There are some near us in Warminster, Amesbury and Salisbury. If you would like to help there occasionally as a volunteer, do please contact Veronica Hodges.

8 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Prayer for candidates for the Sacraments

9.00 a.m. Sacred Heart: **Parish Mass**

(Mass Intention: People of the Parish)

10.30 a.m. All Saints' Wardour: **Sung Mass**

(Mass Intention: Theodore Coverdale, being baptised today)

Diocesan Prayer League: St Catherine, Frome, St Dominic, Mells

9 **MONDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

8.45 a.m. Sacred Heart: Morning Prayer

9.00 a.m. **Sacred Heart: Mass**

Mass Intention: Father Robert

10 **TUESDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

9.30 a.m. **Wardour: Mass**

Mass Intention: Alexandra Van Duivenbode RIP

11 **WEDNESDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

8.45 a.m. Sacred Heart: Morning Prayer

LENT LUNCHEES 12 to 1.30 p.m.

5.00 p.m. **Sacred Heart: Adoration and Benediction** *(Confessions 5 -5.30 p.m.)*

6.00 p.m. **Sacred Heart: Mass** *Mass Intention: Adrian & Joyce Lillian Knowles RIP*

12 **THURSDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

8.45 a.m. Sacred Heart: Morning Prayer

13 **FRIDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

8.45 a.m. Sacred Heart: Morning Prayer

14 **SATURDAY** **Weekday of Lent**

A Prayer for peace in Iran and the Middle East

God of peace, Father of all,
in this hour of fear and violence
draw near to every family living under threat.
Protect the innocent, shelter the displaced,
comfort the grieving, heal the wounded,
and strengthen all who bring relief and care.
Turn the hearts of leaders from pride and anger.
Give them wisdom, restraint, and courage,
that the weapons may fall silent
and honest negotiation may begin.
Save the peoples of the Middle East from a widening war.
Guard Christians and all religious minorities,
and keep hatred from hardening into lasting division.
Prince of Peace, Jesus Christ,
make us peacemakers in our homes, our schools, and our communities.
Bless our Lenten prayers and sacrifices,
and let them bear fruit in mercy, justice, and reconciliation.
Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us.
Saint Joseph, protector of families, pray for us.
Saint Francis of Assisi, pray for us. **Amen**



3. THE POOR. Jesus is unambiguous when he says: "Whatever you did for one of the least of these....you did for me" (Matthew 23:40). St Francis did not look at poverty from a distance; he treated the poor as family. In our own day, poverty shows itself not only in material hardship, but also through loneliness, poor health, mental distress, addiction, grief, unemployment, and the unspoken sense of being left behind. Keep your eyes open: support the charitable work promoted in your parish, and look close to home as well. Some urgent needs are a few doors away and never announced. *Extract from Bishop Bosco's pastoral letter*