

St. Anthony's Parish Newsletter

Fifth Sunday of Lent
Cycle A
26th March 2023

Entrance Antiphon:

Give me justice, O God, and
plead my cause against a
nation that is faithless. From
the deceitful and cunning
rescue me, for you, O God,
are my strength.

Readings:

Ezekiel 37:12-14

Psalms 129

Romans 8:8-11

John 11:1-45

Response to Psalm

With the Lord there is mercy
and fullness of redemption.

Gospel Acclamation:

*Glory and praise to you, O
Christ!*

I am the resurrection and the
life, says the Lord; whoever
believes in me will never die.

*Glory and praise to you, O
Christ!*

Communion Antiphon:

Everyone who lives and believes in
me will not die for ever, says the
Lord.



The Offertory collection for
the 18th & 19th March was
€913,08. - Thank you

Next 1st Communion class will
be this Sunday 26th March

There will be a Charity collection
for FONDS PASTORAL (for the
upkeep and running of the Diocese)
during all Masses this weekend. You
can also contribute to this appeal
using the QR Code below. Thank
you.



KNIGHTS OF ST. THOMAS MORE

If you are a Catholic adult man
looking for a way to support our
parish and share your faith in
practical ways consider joining
the Knights of St Thomas More.

For further info see:

www.catholic-knights.be

Lourdes Petitions

Group 610 will take prayer
petitions with us to Lourdes on
our Easter Pilgrimage. There will
be a box to deposit your petitions
at the entrance to the church
beginning this weekend. The box
will remain there until Good
Friday. We will deposit your
prayers to Our Lady of Lourdes
in the receptacle which is usually
by the grotto where Our Lady
appeared to Bernadette.

Parish Summer Fayre Save the Date : 11th June 2023

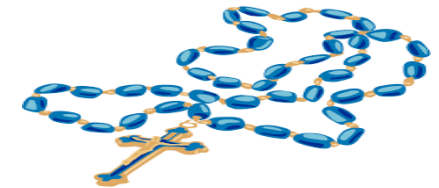
This year for the Grand
Tombola, we invite Parishioners
to provide hampers with
traditional goods from your
home country-an opportunity to
share a taste of your homeland.
Please contact Alice on 0473
608 783.
Thank you.

Dear Parishioners,

An Offertory donation can now
also be made by scanning the
QR Code below using a Banking
App. Thank you.



ROSARY FOR PEACE



We will be praying the Rosary
during Lent for peace in Ukraine
and for all the victims of man-
made and natural disasters, on
Wednesday evenings at 18h30 in
the church. All welcome.



There will be coffee and doughnuts
after both masses this weekend

**LOOKING FOR YOUNG
MUSICIANS FOR A PARISH
BAND**

Do you enjoy playing an instrument/singing and would like to connect with other young musicians from the Parish to form a St Anthony's Band that could perform at our summer fayre in June?

If you are aged 12-18 and have been playing for at least 3 years and/or achieved ABRSM grade 5 (or equivalent) and would like to be part of this project, please let us know. Here's how....

- 1) Record a song that you like to play/sing (it can include a backing track)
 - 2) Send the recording with your name, age and a short description about the sort of music you like to play
- to: stanthonysfolkgroup@gmail.com

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How this project evolves will depend on the response we receive. At this stage, we would really like to gauge the level of interest and then try to cater to as many as is feasible.

There will be no coffee and doughnuts from next Sunday, 2nd April until September.

GROW YOUR LIFE CONFERENCE

On May 13th, a unique conference at International Baptist Church will take place for a new ONLINE ministry called, "Grow Your Life." (Independently directed, not by IBC)

Our GYL team is looking for people interested in studying Bible courses online as well as for mature Christians who would like to be trained as online "e-coaches," or counselors. Check out the IBC website

at www.ibcbrussels.org for the conference or www.growyourlife.net for more info about the ministry.

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Solidarity with Ukraine

WEEKLY APPEAL



Our weekly appeal for non perishable food and hygiene/toiletry products continues in order to support Ukrainian refugees living in the Brussels area. Ukrainians continue to arrive in Brussels and depend on this support for the first 3 months before they start to receive financial support from the Belgian Government. Even small donations are highly appreciated. Items needed include: tinned meats/ fish/ fruit/ vegetables, long life milk, cereals, pasta, rice, baby food, nappies, baby wipes, deodorants, shampoo & conditioner, soap/shower gel, Please note **WE ARE NOT ABLE TO ACCEPT** fresh food, clothes or toys. A huge THANK YOU for your support. For more information, please contact Yvonne (stausboll@telenet.be)

MASS TIMES

Saturday at 18h
Sunday at 10h and 11h30
The 11h30 Mass will also be Livestreamed

Confessions every Saturday 12h-13h or by appointment with a priest.

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Mon, Thu & Fri
9.00-13.00 & 14.00-17.00
Tue & Wed
9.00-13.00

A/C No:

BE60 7330 6428 5970

Other EN Masses in Brussels

St Joseph Community, 203
Chaussée de Wavre 1050 Ixelles
Sunday @ 11h30

Saint Nicholas at the Bourse
Sunday @10.00

Rue Le Corregé
Sunday @ 19h15