

# St Thomas of Canterbury Catholic Church

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### Our Schools



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Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> July	6pm 6.30pm	Reconciliation Pro Populo
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> July	9am 11am	Fr Duncan Joan Gradwell
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> August	11am	Rosary Group at The Sacred Heart Chapel
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> August	6pm 6.30pm	Reconciliation Pro Populo
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> August	9am 11am	Fr Bromley Priest's Intention

There is a weekday Mass at the Convent, Beech Court, Rectory Road, daily at 11.15am.

Welcome to everyone visiting the Parish. Please join us for tea, coffee, squash and biscuits in the Becket Centre after the 9am and 11am Sunday Masses.

Congratulations to Woody Hoad, Ellie McCann and Kier Thompson who all won prizes at St Edmund's annual Prize Giving. There is a photograph of Chris Bain with Mike Wilson and some of the prize winners in this week's Catholic Herald.

We have had our Parish audit. One thing that we need is more Parish counters. If you are able to help with counting the weekly collection, please have a word with me.

The annual remembrance of the Hiroshima and Nagasaki bombings takes place at Aylesford Priory at 8.20pm on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> August.

Confirmation 2017. Please speak to Fr Duncan if you are interested in making your confirmation later this year. There will be a Confirmation Mass at Our Lady of Dover, Buckland, at 11am on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November, the Feast of Christ the King.

The Children's Liturgy Group is now on its summer break. Many thanks to all the catechists for all their work.

Lucy's latest book, *Who do you say you are? Finding yourself in chronic illness*, was published by Redemptorist Publications last week. Those of you who asked to order a copy via the Parish can collect your signed copy this weekend! There may be one or two spare copies if you didn't order one but would like a copy.

Last week's collection came to £470.84. Thank you.

Parish Administrator and Safeguarding Representative: Lucy Rees

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