



Fr Jack

I am sure many people will read the first reading today from the book of Job and feel how true it is. Sadly that is the state of many peoples' lives drudgery, monotony and boredom. You have my sympathy. Wishing it was all over. Life has nothing to offer. First port of call, talk to someone, come and talk to me. It is always good to talk. People do not have magic solutions but we all need a "shoulder to lean on." Job talked to three of his friends and they upset him and he threw them out in anger. Read the book. He even cursed God. But he kept on talking to others and to God. And eventually he came up with an answer. Do you want an answer? **Read Job.**

***If you can't make a mistake,
You can't make anything.***

BABIES FOR BAPTISM.

Tomorrow Monday evening at 7.30pm
there will be a meeting for parents of babies
for baptism in the church.

ASKI

Sincere thanks to Afi and Joseph for their presentation last week. 18 people signed up. You can join any time. So there was a great interest. Now please keep it up. Even if you don't need it, I am sure it will be helpful to many people in the future. It seems like a terrific idea to me and it will carry on **but only with your support.** I see it as the beginning of something great in the parish/area.

The PLACE AT MY TABLE

Wednesday 21st February 10:30am to 2:30pm
Exercise, chat, meal.

I am sure many of you would look wonderful in a leotard.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
Tuesday	10:00am	Reginald Marlow
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
Thursday	10:00am	Int of Gabrielle
Friday	10:00am	George Byrne RIP
Saturday	06:00pm	FM – Edward Frances & Family
Sunday	08:30am	Peace in the Holy Land
	10:00am	Personal Intention
	12:00noon	People of the Parish

5 questions

to get you thinking about the Synod

- 1. Where have I seen or experience successes within the Church's structure(s)/organisation/ leadership/parish life that encourage mission?*
- 2. Where have I seen or experience successes within the Church's structure(s)/organisation/ leadership/parish that hinder mission?*
- 3. How can the structures and organisation of the Church help all the baptised to respond to the call to proclaim the Gospel and to live as a community of love and mercy in Christ?*
- 4. How might the People of God be formed together to enable everyone to answer the call to conversion and live out their baptismal vacation fully?*
- 5. What, in your experience, encourages or hinders the mission of the Church in the way it shares and teaches the faith, in liturgical practice (including all Sacraments), in forming its people to live a life in Christ and in how it prays?*

***I would be very interested to see your answers
in writing, please send to:***

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Parish accounts for 2023

Income £163,833.69

Thank you very much.

Expenditure £114,358.82

Full report on the notice board.