

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon 10:00am Eugene Keane RIP

Tues 10:00am Frank Green RIP

Weds 10:00am Requiem Tony White RIP

Thurs 10:00am Una & Tony RIP

Fri 10:00am Madeline Ruddy RIP

Sat 06:00pm Brendan Cronin RIP

Sun 08:30am Int of Lucy

10:00am People of the Parish

12:00noon Thanksgiving

Fr Jack

Thomas in the Gospel would not believe until he touched Jesus. Thomas cut himself off from the group and in the process he lost faith. Isn't this true of so many people, they stop going to Mass and then suddenly they no longer feel the need for Mass or God. Use it or lose it.

When Jesus on the cross cried, "My God, My God why have you forsaken me," was it because God had forsaken Him or because all his friends had run away and abandoned Him. I believe it is the latter. This is why the church, the people are so important. We support each other and strengthened our faith. For this reason, I dread retiring. Where will my family be? And I mean you the people of St James. You are my family for now..

**Second Collection Next Week
Is for the maintenance of
St George's Cathedral.**

Governors

Still in need of two governors for st James school..

A year from today you may wish you had started today

Aylesford 4th May.2026.

The coach is free, because I am a nice guy. But it does cost £20 per person. I am sure many of you can pay or contribute. Put it in a nameless envelope marked Aylesford and give it to Olu.

Fatmata	4
Mary Joseph	2
Tessa Benjamin	1
Gabriella Robinson	1
Jilly	3
Mariama	3
Adeline	3
Emilia	4
Veronika	3
Felicity	4
Kayode	3
Martina	2
Julianna	2
Angela	2
Yasmine	3
Sonia	2
Richard	3
Behirbo	3
Olu	2
Emelyn	4
Natalie	3
Total	57

EASTER

It was great to see such a fantastic turn out for the Easter ceremonies last week. I hope you enjoyed them very much, as I did. They were very beautiful and prayerful.

Thanks to all who helped in any way; choirs; singers; readers; ministers; server; flower arrangers; collectors; cleaners and our hospitality team. Great things can be achieved when we work together.
hanks also for you kind gifts, cards and collection.