## The Catholic Parish of Corpus Christi, Henfield.

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OUR CHURCH IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Sunday 29th March 2020 is the Fifth Sunday of Lent.

Next Sunday 5th April 2020 is Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord.

## Father Hugh writes cont/d:

As we enter the 5th week of Lent, the Office of Readings begins a continual reading of the letter to the Hebrews, you may wish to follow that as well with the clergy and religious. This Friday in the 5th week of Lent is now a day of prayer for the survivors of sexual abuse.

**Food bank:** what a wonderful response to the food bank appeal last weekend. We know that there are many needs in our surrounding communities at this time.

Out in the garden moving perennial plants is really at an end; I have done some, now that the fence panel is renewed, but as growth begins a little extra nurture is required. Not so of course for container grown plants.

The compost bins are almost all emptied and used, so over the summer they will be refilled ready for the next winter season. We are always looking forward!

MISSIO: Very many thanks to all red box holders in our parish. The total raised by collecting your small change during 2019 is £332.90. I am not planning on emptying any boxes until we are able to return to church. Many thanks Margaret Hollingsworth.

## Urgent Appeal to Help Homeless People Stay Safe from Coronavirus

**The Passage** is raising funds through the Big Give until 12 midnight on Tuesday 31st March to support its work Helping Homeless People move away from the street during the present Coranvirus situation and to provide support to keep them off the street both immediately and in the longer term.

Double your Donation, Double your impact. This is a matched giving scheme for online donations. If someone (can be company, individual or trust) gave £10 online matched giving of £10 would bring the Gift up to £20 (and for individuals to £22.50 with Gift Aid with higher rate tax relief it may cost the donor less than £10).

For more information please ring Andrew Hollingsworth 020 7592 1886 or email: andrew.h@passage.org.uk

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