

The Parish of Our Lady & St Hubert

Parish Newsletter



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The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 2021

Saturday 11 th	5:30pm	Rosary (Confessions also available)	
	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Joe McCabe RIP
Sunday 12 th	10:00am	Sunday Mass	People of the Parish
Monday 13 th	Priest Only	Andrew Kim, Paul Chong & Companions	Fr Roger Special Int
Tuesday 14 th	10:00am	Exaltation of the Cross	Fr Roger Special Int
Wednesday 15 th	10:00am	Our Lady of Sorrows	Bridget Watts's Special Intention
Thursday 16 th	School Mass	Ss Cornelius & Cyprian	Fr Roger Special Int
Friday 17 th	10:00am	Mass of Ord. Time	Pietro Garofalo RIP
Saturday 18 th	No morning mass in Church this Saturday		
	5:30pm	Rosary (Confessions also available)	
	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	People of the Parish

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 2021

Sunday 19 th	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Kath & John O'Grady
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This Week's Second Collection: Catholic Evangelisation

Please Pray for...

Mya Maggie Jean Levy who is being baptised this Sunday

Sick Clergy of the Diocese: Fr Andrew Martinez, Fr Andy McCann, Fr Brian Wall, Fr Christopher Fitzpatrick, Fr David Bazen, Fr David Lloyd, Fr Dominic Innamorati SCJ, Fr Fred Sheldon, Fr Gabby Maguire CSsR, Fr John Baggley, Fr Keith Enston, Fr Michael Stack, Fr Nicholas Latham, Fr Paul Devaney, Fr Peter Blundell, Fr Sandy Brown, Fr Sean Turley, Mgr Graham Wilkinson, Mgr John Heslin, Fr Edwin Cownley.

The sick of the parish. Evelyn Knight, Teresa Stanley, Pat Walsh, Kathy & Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Lilly Rogers, C. Connolly, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, John Sawford, Terence Rose, Marion King, Christine Connolly, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Pat Rowley, Martin Thomas, Kate Redford, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, Kathleen Woodbridge

Those who have died recently: Deborah Casey; Fr John Burns; Fr Bengt-Ove Jakobsson CHS; Janet Linda Davis

For those whose anniversaries occur at about this time, including: Mary and Joseph Lally; Florence Boulter; Jim & Bridie Smith, Bernadette Russell; Kitty O'Dell; Doris Stanley; Florence Boulter; Jim & Bridie Smith; Bernadette Russell; Kathleen Leeby, Rev. J O'Dolesty; Fr. James Holland; Jack Hillford; Charles Morgan; Hannah Cotter; Billy Deeming; Franies Bace; Franies Worrall, Jack Mantle; Baley Patrick Mulhdlands; John Loughney, William Dochasty; Father Orchard; Winifred Sidaway; Florence Docherty; Eileen Margaret Doyle; Catherine Phipps; Genevieve Iris Read; Margaret Brown

DO YOU HAVE TIME TO SPARE - Quinton and Oldbury Food Bank are looking for volunteers at both their food bank centres St Boniface Church, Quinton (B32 2QD) on Wednesday mornings or at The Coffee Shop, Castle Rd West (B68 0EL) on Friday mornings. No experience is necessary, just a willingness to help those in need. Training will be provided. Most volunteers do one session a month. Please email Carol Dealey at info@quintonoldbury.foodbank.org.uk for more information.

PARISH CENSUS. We are in the process of putting together a parish census of all the parishioners that use the church. Access to the records will be limited to a small selection of people and all GDPR rules will be

followed. You will find the forms at the back of the church, they need to be handed to Ann Williams, our safeguarding officer, to comply with the data protection rules.

SATURDAY 9TH OCTOBER - The annual diocesan Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage will take place at 12noon at St Chad's Cathedral, celebrant Bishop David Evans. (See poster on notice board). Any couple can attend the Mass but would need to register their attendance by sending an email to marriage.mass@rcaob.org.uk

READING AT MASS - have you ever thought about joining the important ministry of reading at mass? We are short of readers on Saturday evening especially but would welcome more on a Sunday too. We shall have a training session in September for all readers, possibly on Saturday 25 September at 3 pm. Please let Deacon David know If you can attend.

OPENING UP WITH THE PANDEMIC - As we move forward, we shall soon be introducing some singing into the mass, starting with the Gloria and Holy, Holy, (it will be interesting to see how many remember the tunes) before moving onto hymns. For the time being this will be without musical accompaniment. If anybody has any views on how we move forward, please let Fr Roger know.

GIFT AID AND NON-GIFT AID DONATIONS - To Gift Aid your donation or, arrange your payments by standing order, please contact our Gift Aid Officer, Vincent Burke at ga.olash.warley@rcaob.org.uk or on 0121 422 1573.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL - It is important that you notify the parish or ask to be referred to the relevant catholic chaplain, if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital. If you ever find yourself in hospital and would like a visit from a Catholic Priest, just ask a nurse on your ward and they should arrange this for you.

KENELM YOUTH TRUST - are seeking to recruit enthusiastic and capable retreat leaders and operational staff to the following roles:

- Alton Castle Trainee Programme Leader
- Alton Castle Programme Leader
- Catering Assistant
- Housekeeping Assistant

All the information for these roles can be found on our website here: <https://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/work4kyt.html>

SCRIPTURAL REFLECTION - Take up your cross and follow me
As Christians we pray daily using the words Jesus taught us: 'Thy Kingdom come.' When we do this, we are saying that we want the world to be the way God wants it. In other words, a place of peace and justice where no-one suffers through poverty, war, or oppression. If this is what we want then we must live in a way which helps to bring this about, we must be committed to change. Such a choice might leave us like the Servant in the first reading facing abuse and insults from those who would prefer to leave things as they are. This is what Jesus is talking about in today's gospel: taking up our cross to follow him does not mean we are to go looking for suffering; rather it means accepting that choosing the way of God's kingdom will cost us. In short, faith without works is dead!



The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Harvington Hall, Shrine of the English Martyrs, is this Sunday 12th September. Rt Rev Bishop David Evans will be the principal celebrant. Mass is at 3.00pm. FREE PARKING is available but please bring your own chairs as seating is not provided

Spiritual Communion Prayer

My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as being already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen. *(St Alphonsus Ligouri)*

If anyone wants to be a follower of mine, let him renounce himself and take up his cross and follow me. For anyone who wants to save his life will lose it; but anyone who loses his life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it." (MK 8:34-35)