

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-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 2021

Saturday 18 th	5:30pm	Rosary (Confessions available <u>after</u> Mass)	
	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Paddy McGonigle RIP
Sunday 19 th	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Kath & John O'Grady
Monday 20 th	Priest Only	Ss Andrew Kim, Paul Chong & Companions	Fr Roger Special Int
Tuesday 21 st	10:00am	St Matthew, Apostle	Allen & Luby family
Wednesday 22 nd	10:00am		
Thursday 23 rd	School Mass	St Padre Pio	
Friday 24 th	10:00am	Our Lady of Walsingham	For the Special Intention of K P Allen
Saturday 25 th	10:00am	Saturday of Our Lady	Ignatio Tran RIP
	5:30pm	Rosary (Confessions available <u>after</u> Mass)	
	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Derek Campbell RIP

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 2021

Sunday 26 th	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Michael & Kathleen Seery RIP
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This Week's Second Collection: Catholic Evangelisation

Please Pray for...

Emmet Donald Stockley and Albie James Stockley who are receiving the full Rites of Baptism 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.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Fr Roger will not be available for confession at the usual time on Saturday evening (from 5:30pm) for a few weeks but he is available from 10:30-10:45 Saturday morning, or by appointment.

OPENING UP WITH THE PANDEMIC - As we move forward, we shall soon be introducing some singing into the mass. If anybody has any views on how we move forward, please let Fr Roger know.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY- in the unlikely event that we need to empty the church in an emergency please make sure you are aware of the fire escape routes. One is located at the entrance door that you will have come through as you entered the church. The second is through the toilet corridor and conference room. The gathering point is on the grass lawn at the side of the church.

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.

HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL Open Morning - Saturday 9th October, starting at 9am. Parents/Carers are warmly invited to attend. There will be personal tours of the school site and a talk from the principal. Please book your place via Eventbrite: <https://tinyurl.com/4m8ns695>

SATURDAY 9TH OCTOBER - The annual diocesan Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage will take place at 12noon at St Chad's Cathedral. If you are celebrating a milestone anniversary during 2021 (from your 1st up to 60th (every 5 years), and every year over 60) please email Lianne Pap marriage.mass@rcaob.org.uk for your names to be listed in the booklet. Celebrant Bishop David Evans. (See poster on notice board).

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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 for all readers next Saturday 25th September at 3 pm.

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**

Following on from last Sunday, and the first passion prediction we come now to the second time in Mark when Jesus speaks about what awaits him in Jerusalem. However, the reader of the gospel, is invited to see in these not some kind of proof that Jesus can tell the future but rather an attempt by Jesus to persuade his disciples that they need to change their attitude towards him and his ministry. It is clear that the disciples are happy to be with Jesus as their long awaited and triumphant Messiah but they are failing completely in that Jesus is not interested in such discipleship. He wants them to learn the way of the kingdom which is the way of the cross. This is not the path to glory as human beings understand it but to humble service and love. In taking the child as an example, he is saying to his followers, ' Be concerned for those who can offer you nothing in return, the powerless and the vulnerable. When you welcome them, you welcome the true Messiah and the God who sent him.'