

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

Peace Sunday: Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 2022

Saturday 15 th	5:30pm	Rosary (Confession also available)	
	6:00pm	1 st Mass of Sunday	Joan Barlow Special Int.
Sunday 16 th	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Sister Martin Fleming RIP
Monday 17 th	No Mass Today		
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Tuesday 18 th	12 noon	Ordinary Time	Thomas Lynock RIP
Wednesday 19 th	10:00am	St Wulstan	William Beasley RIP
Thursday 20 th	At School	Ordinary Time	James & Margaret Kelly
Friday 21 st	12 noon	St Agnes	Joan Barlow Special Int.
Saturday 22 nd	10:00am	Blessed Virgin Mary	People of the Parish
	5:30pm	Rosary (Confession also available)	
	6:00pm	1 st Mass of Sunday	Michael Powell RIP

Third Sunday: Sunday of the Word of God, January 2022.

Sunday 23 rd	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Madeline Holland
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Second Collection this weekend is for Pax Christi

There is no second collection next week.

Finance Committee meeting: on Tuesday 18th January in the Conference Room at 6:00pm

RCIA: will begin next Tuesday 25th January at 7pm in the Conference Room. RCIA is a Course for Adults who are thinking of becoming a Catholic (enquiring about the faith), or for Adults who were baptised Catholic and would now like to be confirmed.

Red Boxes to be returned please.

Updated Coronavirus Guidance. The government guidance states that once again the wearing of face coverings in places of worship is mandatory. This applies to all people above the age of 12 unless they have a medical exemption. Please do not be offended if you are asked to wear one (we have some available, just ask one of the stewards).

SECURITY OF AND WITHIN THE CHURCH - the issue of security has unfortunately arisen, recently theft of several items has occurred. We are currently considering how we can improve the security of the church. Above all take care of your own property (handbags, phones etc.) always.

Sacramental Preparation for Young People not at Catholic Schools. We are coming to the time of year when preparation increases for the reception of 1st Holy Communion and confirmation for young people. 1st holy communion is available for those in year 3 and above, and year 6 for confirmation. Please let Deacon David know by email or in person: dcn.david.williams@rcaob.org.uk

Altar Servers. This important ministry is open to anyone who has made their First Holy Communion. It is not just for Children! If you are interested in becoming an altar server please let Deacon David know by email or in person: dcn.david.williams@rcaob.org.uk. There will be a period of training before you start.

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.

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. After you have evacuated, please do not leave the site but gather on the grass lawn.

Sacrament of Reconciliation - is available every Saturday morning immediately after the 10:00am mass and from 5.30 pm before the evening mass and by appointment with Fr Roger.

Parish Census - If you would like to fill in a census form you will find them at the back of the church, they need to be handed to Ann Williams, our safeguarding officer, to comply with the general data protection rules (GDPR).

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.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2022: The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is traditionally celebrated between January 18th and January 25th - the octave of St Peter and St Paul. This year's theme is 'We Saw His Star in the East'. The story of the Magi visiting the Holy Family in Bethlehem is a very familiar one. The Magi have sometimes been seen as a symbol of the world's diversity - different religions and cultures - that come to pay homage to the Christ-child. The story might therefore represent the unity of all created that God desires. More info and resources are available on the Archdiocese website down latest -> Octave of prayer for Unity.

Please Pray for...

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, Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Lilly Rogers, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, John Sawford, Terence Rose, Marion King, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Pat Rowley, Martin Thomas, Kate Redford, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, O Harper, Christine Connolly, Richard & Mary Duckett

The recently deceased: Kathleen Bench; Stanley Wicketts, Paul Brendan Power; Joyce Evelyn Mielczarek; Donna Crowther; Mary Kelly; Michelle O'Connor; Melvyn Kirk; Kathy O'Grady; Stefania Lachowski; Mary Alice Cattell; Josephine Hemming; Francis Stark

For those whose anniversaries occur at about this time, including: Thomas Devonhurst; Maria de Cristofano; Samuel Cole; Mary McGarrity; David Mary, Neil Oliver; Samuel Calder; Martin Casey, Christina Finney; Margaret Sheppard; Fr. Waddeup SCJ; Martyr Parkyn; Cuban & Jda Wall; Peter Wallace; Steve Tourt, Thomas Bradly; Arthur Joseph Hartwell, Joseph Naylor; William Seery; Charles Evans; Lucy McNulty; Mary Oliver; Reginald Bethel; Sarah Thomas; Raymond Chilton; Cissie Kelly; Maisie Gallagher; Patrick O'Neil; Leslie Jones; Elizabeth Fell; Thomas Duffy; Kath Neary; Barbara Jarvis; Emily Shepherd; Elizabeth Fell; Eileen Houghton; Janet Potter; Muriel Marie House; Margaret Kelly; Ian Whyte; Monica Stark