

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

First Sunday of Advent (Year C, Week I) 1st December

Saturday 30 th	6:00pm	Sunday Vigil Mass	Mary Kiernan
Sunday 1 st	11:30am	Sunday Mass	Cheryl McKenna RIP
Monday 2 nd	No Mass Today		
Tuesday 3 rd	10:00am	St Francis Xavier	Antonino Calandra, Elisabetta Fatone & Giuseppe Caloroso
Wednesday 4 th	10:00am	Advent Mass	Lena & Garofalo families
	6:00pm	Vigil & Reception Service for Nora Petch	
Thursday 5 th	9:00am	School Mass (Moat Rd)	People of the Parish
	11:00am	Requiem Mass for Nora Petch	
Friday 6 th	12 noon	Requiem Mass for John Meally	
Saturday 7 th	No Mass today - We have our Christmas Fayre!		
	6:00pm	Sunday Vigil Mass	Pat Allen RIP

Second Sunday of Advent (Year C, Week I) 8th December

Sunday 8 th	11:30am	Sunday Mass	Alo & Jim Luby
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Offertory Totals for 17th November 2024

Gift Aid	£ 106.00	Non GA	£229.97	Standing Orders	£256.00	Totals	£901.97
Raffle		£160.00		Donation	£170.00		

There is no second collection this weekend

Next weekend second collection: for the Poor Parish

APF Red Box Holders: please return your boxes for collection/counting
Security: Please ensure that you take care of your own property (handbags, phones etc.) always, while at the church

Advent Walk with me Booklets and Calendars: Available Free of Charge.
Saturday Evening Masses from Advent (30th November). As you will be aware, from this weekend we will no longer be able to guarantee a Vigil (Saturday Evening) Mass here at St Huberts. This is because my (Fr Roger's) services may be required to celebrate mass elsewhere. If, however, I am available I would still like to continue to celebrate mass here on a Saturday at 6pm. To this end I propose to set up a whatsapp broadcast list that I can add people to which will let me notify you if mass is unavailable on any given Saturday. If you do not have the wherewithal/technology to access whatsapp then perhaps a family member or friend can monitor the group for you. Or better still perhaps you can arrange with a fellow parishioner to give you a call if mass is cancelled. In this age of increased ease of communication and technology I do believe that this should prove to be a viable solution. All I require from you to add you to the list is your name and mobile number. There are sheets available at the back of church for you to provide this information. Alternatively, you can email me your name and mobile number to the parish email address olash.warley@rcaob.org.uk. I need your name because in order to add you to the whatsapp list I also need to add you into my own personal whatsapp contact list. Please be assured on this, however, that my phone is password protected and nobody but myself has access to it. **To receive notices from the list you will also need to add me (Fr Roger) into your whatsapp contact list.** My mobile number is 07961928006.

The First Sunday Mass for Advent: As you know from this Sunday the Sunday morning mass here at St Hubert's will be at 11:30am. I am aware that this later time will not be ideal for many of you, and if you need to attend mass at an earlier time elsewhere, I will fully understand. I do hope, however, that as the later time may prove inconvenient for many, it may actually prove to be more convenient for others. Families with young children, for example, may appreciate the extra time available to get everyone up and fed and ready. We have always tried here at St

Hubert's to cultivate the Sunday morning mass as a "family friendly mass" and this later time may actually help with this. With this in mind, the first Sunday mass at this new time, on Sunday 1st December (today), will be led by the children of St Hubert's School.

Catechesis for the coming year.

Adult catechesis continues this Tuesday 3rd December at 7:00pm in the conference room. We welcome anyone who is interested in learning more about the faith and/or may be considering becoming a Catholic. The next session for our First Holy Communion Class will be in the New Year. Date tbc. This is for children from year 3 or above not in Catholic schools, in preparation for 1st Holy Communion (6 sessions). **In the new year** we will also be looking to start our catechesis for young people (Yr 6) who are not in Catholic schools (4 sessions) for confirmation which will take place on the 10th of July 2025. Please contact Fr Roger or Deacon David (dcn.david.williams@rcaob.org.uk) to express your interest.

The New Lectionaries. A big thank you to everyone who has sponsored a book. We have now received the books and will be blessing them at the masses this weekend, and they will be inscribed with the sponsors dedications over the next few weeks.

Our Christmas Fayre is this Saturday 7th December. Any donations of suitable prizes for the tombola and items for the stalls will be gratefully received. Please see the blue leaflet and poster available for more information on the sort of items that we are asking for. Any assistance that can be provided with setting everything up will also be appreciated. This will take place on Friday from about 4pm and Saturday morning.

The Proposed new mass times (beginning the first Sunday of Advent)

<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>
6pm St Mary's, Harborne	8:45 St Gregory's, Bearwood
6pm Our Lady of Fatima, Quinton	10:00 Our Lady of Fatima, Quinton
6pm Our Lady of St Huberts	11:30 St Hubert's, Warley
(Only if Fr Roger is available)	9:30 St Mary's, Harborne
	11:00 St Mary's, Harborne
	4:30pm St Gregory's, Bearwood

Struggling to Start a Family? Contact Fiat Fertility down www.fiatfertilitycare.co.uk

Carol Singing at the Wernley! At 6pm on 17th December. All welcome.

Care for the Sick: If you know of anyone who lives in the parish who is sick, infirm, or housebound and is unable to get to mass and would like regular communion to be brought to them - or who might like an occasional visit - please pass on their details to Fr Roger. Also please let Fr Roger know if there is someone going into hospital who might like a visit there.

Please pray for...

Sick Clergy of the Diocese: Fr Alan Bell CHS, Fr Anthony Dykes, Fr Brian Wall, Fr Bruce Dutton, Fr Dominic Innamorati SCJ, Fr Fred Sheldon, Fr Jacob Lewis, Fr John Baggley, Fr Michael Ho, Fr Tony Rohan, Fr Walter Bance, Gerry Kelly & Fr Michael White

The sick of the parish. Especially: - Evelyn Knight, Teresa Stanley, Pat Walsh, Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, Terence Rose, Marion King, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Martin Thomas, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, Jawed Akhter; John Southall; Terrance McDonagh; Maureen McCamley; Mary McDonagh; Philip Williams; Janey Heanue; Pauline Bill; Veronica Kelly; Lourdes; Sandra Wood; Mary Williams; Ann McGeoghan

The recently deceased: Fr Peter Blundell; John Sawford; Robert Bible; John Askew; Rev Bill Baines; Richard Waddington; Christine Connolly; Simon Bullivant; Lourdes; Joe O'Grady; Kevin Williams; Mgr Graham Wilkinson; John Meally; Nora Petch

For those whose anniversary occurs at about this time, including: Vincent Perkins; Michael Joseph Grant; Les Moran; Noel Lowry; Hilda Skidmore; Michael Wallace; Michael McNeils; Geoff Petch; Derchival Condon; Arthur Clifford; Roland Round; Lily & Bernard Rollason; Stanley Ward; Mary Cecilia Kennedy; Patrick Allen; Mary Mitchell; George Mantle Dorothy Barrett, Carmel Granville; Sylvia Binns; Winifred Webb; John O'Grady; Virginia Rose; Annie McCamley; Gay Smallwood; Arthur Sidaway; Maria Chau Hong Diep; Eileen Houghton; Brendan McGurry; Barbara Jarvis; Sylvia McAndrew, Zef Nikolli, Sophia Pandhal, Thomas Patrick Farrelly; Elaine Pearce; Mary Kelly; Donna Crowther; Grazia Armato; Bernard Abbotts; Mary Nicholson