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Fr Dominic Kavanagh Fr Paul Devaney Deacon Kevin O'Connor

19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11th August 2019

Dear Parishioners,

'You must stand ready. We have to be ready when the Lord comes to call us to our heavenly home. A good life is the best preparation we can make. We will enter in to a kingdom promised to us by our heavenly Father who through His own kindness and generosity has chosen us as His own.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Please pray for Joey Allison and Luke Knott who are to be baptized into the family of the Church this Sunday. September's baptismal preparation evenings will take place on Thursday 19th and Thursday 26th September at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

We welcome Monsignor Danny McHugh this Sunday to the 11am Mass in Father Dominic's absence. Father returns on Wednesday. For emergency sick calls please telephone Olton Friary on- 0121 706 0505 or The Columban Fathers on- 01564 772 096

This Thursday is the Solemnity of the Assumption and is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass will be celebrated at 10am; 12.30pm and 7pm. For the 7pm evening Mass, we have requested free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park between 6.30pm-8.30pm.

Please pray for: Mary Jena and Anthony McCool who are to be married at Saint Augustine's on Sunday 25th August and for Ian Parks and Marie Meredith who are to be married at Saint Augustine's on Saturday 21st September

Father John Peyton from St Thomas More Church Sheldon is organising an 8 day Pilgrimage to Rome, Assisi and San Giovanni. 1st-8th June 2020. Please see details on notice board. Booking deadline 19th August 2019.

The Annual Harvington Pilgrimage will take place on Sunday 1st September 2019. Coach list in porch. Coach leaves St Augustine's 12.15pm Cost £10. Coach will also be leaving from Holy Family Small Heath at 11.45am; St Thomas More Sheldon 12.00. Payment on booking please. See poster in front porch

Night Fever will take place on Saturday 17th August between 7pm-9pm. Your prayerful support would be greatly appreciated.

Father Dominic would like to hold a Parish Meeting on Wednesday 11th September at 7.30pm

<p>10th August Saturday St Lawrence</p>	<p>Wisdom 18:6-9 Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19 Luke 12:32-48 12.30pm Olive Byrne-RIP Catherine Maguire-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>11th August NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</p>	<p>Wisdom 18:6-9 Hebrews 11:1-2,8-19 Luke 12:32-48 9.00am Eileen Daneher-RIP 11.00am Janet Williams-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses</p>
<p>12th August Monday Feria in Ordinary Time St Jane Frances de Chantal</p>	<p>Deuteronomy 10:12-22 Matthew 17:22-27 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Martin McLoughlin-RIP</p>	
<p>13th August Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time Blessed William Freeman Ss Pontian & Hippolytus</p>	<p>Deuteronomy 31:1-8 Matthew 18:1-5,10,12-14 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Sharon Gregory-RIP Monsignor Tom Fallon-RIP</p>	<p>Legion of Mary 6.15pm</p>
<p>14th August Wednesday St Maximilian Mary Kolbe</p>	<p>Deuteronomy 34:1-12 Matthew 18:15-20 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Paddy Moran-Intention Janet Seddon-RIP</p>	<p>Parents & Toddlers Group</p>
<p>15th August Thursday Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</p>	<p>Apocalypse 11:19,12:1-6 1 Corinthians 15:45-51 Luke 1:39-56 9.35pm The Rosary 10.00am Molly Spear-RIP 12.30pm William Grant -RIP 7.00pm All People of the Parish</p>	
<p>16th August Friday Feria in Ordinary Time St Stephen of Hungary</p>	<p>Joshua 24:1-13 Matthew 19:3-12 10.30am Requiem Maura Murray 6.30pm Brian Healy-Intention</p>	<p>Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass 6.30pm</p>
<p>17th August Saturday</p>	<p>Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10 Hebrews 12:1-4 Luke 12:49-53 12.30pm Bernard Cusack-RIP Canon John McKenna-Special Intent Reginald Jenkins-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Night Fever 7pm-9pm</p>
<p>18th August Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10 Hebrews 12:1-4 Luke 12:49-53 9.00am Ann McVeigh- RIP 11.00am Tom Oliver & Family-Intention</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses</p>

Offertory Collection last week: £957:46 (Gift Aid £235:00 Loose £722:66)

RAFFLE WINNERS YELLOW TICKETS- 692 Pearl Necklace 735 4 Mugs filled with sweets 736 Bottle of Harveys Bristol Cream Sherry 745 Baylis & Harding Toiletries- Please take your raffle ticket to the Presbytery to collect your prize.

REQUEST FOR VOLUNTEERS- for Church Cleaners; Flower Rota and Readers. If you are willing to volunteer, please give your name to one of the Clergy or to Mrs Madeleine Coburn.

Pilgrimage to Rome – Newman’s Canonisation A pilgrimage to Rome (long-weekend). Friday 11th – Monday 14th October 2019. Includes attending Newman’s Canonisation Mass at St Peter’s on Sunday 13th October. Flying from Stanstead. Coach transfers to and from the airport included in the cost. Picking up from Birmingham and Stratford. Rome Tax extra. Half board. Cost: £550 - sharing. £600 - single rooms (limited). Deposit: £150. The weekend will also include an English-speaking tour guide and the opportunity to visit some of the sites of Rome. This will be a combination of walking tours and travelling on a coach. **You can book online** <http://www.northernstartravel.com/Tours/Rome> or via the telephone by contacting **Adrian Duffy at Northern Star Travel 0161 773 2115, mobile: 07821 924528. Email: info@northernstartravel.com.** you can also contact me for more information. Andrew Oldnall 07733 226063 or email: andrewsoldnall@gmail.com Book early to avoid disappointment.

OUR LADY & ALL SAINTS MULTI ACADEMY COMPANY- MAC Development Project Manager required. Please see details on Notice Board. Closing date for applications Friday 6th September 2019, 9am.

For those preparing for marriage: Engaged Encounter Weekend- 12th-13th October. The Dormer Conference Centre, Leamington Spa. <https://wwme.org.uk/weekends/engaged-encounter-weekend-learnington-spa/>

For marriage enrichment: Marriage Encounter Weekend- 22nd-24th November. Ibis Hotel, Rugby.

<https://wwme.org.uk/weekends/residential-marriage-encounter-weekend-rugby-3/> For more information about Marriage Encounter visit their website <https://wwme.org.uk/> or email bookings@wwme.org.uk

Volunteers needed: Could it be you? *‘The harvest is rich but the labourers are few’* Marriage Care is a Catholic organisation providing marriage preparation and relationship counselling services through 50 centres across England and Wales. Our centre in Acocks Green is in need of **Marriage Preparation Course Facilitators** to present and facilitate marriage preparation courses to small groups of engaged couples. We provide all the training you need to fulfil the role in this Ministry and you will be volunteering with other like-minded people. We are also in need Chaperone/Receptionist to assist the Counsellors. For more information please visit: www.marriagecare.org.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

Solihull Catenians would welcome any practising Catholic Gentleman to attend their next normal monthly meeting and dinner at the Village Hotel, Shirley, on Tuesday 20th August, as our guest. Meeting starts at 7.15pm with dinner at 8.15pm, dress code smart casual. Contact Brian Healy 705 9317 or Frank Miller 681 7031 Come and have a look you might find something interesting.

Readers this week

SUNDAY

9.00am Teresa Cund

Anthony Killeen

11.00am Chris Hodrien

Juliana Benjamin

Cleaning Rota: for week beginning 5th August for Services August 10th/11th-D

Mary Murray, Pat Ferris, Veronica Norton

Flowers Rota: – for week beginning August 5th for Services August 10th/11th –Juana Browne

Eucharistic Ministers this week

SUNDAY

9.00am Anne & Michael Hallissey

Joan & Dan Doyle

11.00am Helen Brookes

Beatrice Ngala

Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish: Keith Frettsome Martin Yates
Virginia Gregory, Angela, Eilish, Tony Duffy Margaret Kelly Joan Kennedy Roberto Cordora
Keith Frettsome Martin Yates Bruce Pountney Kevin Fahy Val Burgess Sandy Simia

The
Assumption
of the
Blessed
Virgin Mary
15th August



All powerful and ever-living God,
you raised the sinless Virgin Mary, Mother of Your Son,
body and soul to the glory of heaven.
May we ever look towards heaven as our final home
and come to share her glory.
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son,
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,
one God forever. Amen

Mary, Queen of every heart, accept all that I am
and bind me to you with the bonds of love, that I
may be yours forever, and may be able to say in all truth:
'I belong to Jesus through Mary.'

Please pray for: Ben O'Reilly (Funeral Our Lady of Lourdes, 14th August 12.00 noon; Reception 13th August 7pm); Maura Murray (Requiem Friday 16th August 10.30am; Reception Thursday 15th August 6.00pm) and Mary D'Arcy (Requiem Tuesday 20th August 10am; Reception Monday 19th 6.30pm) and Maria Kelly who all died recently. Also Suisan Dugdale, Hughie Cooney, Bernard Ereaut, Bill Gibson, Jean Bridget Delaney, Victor Ruffieux, Francis Rooney, Peter Gertner, Georgina Herraty, Joseph Patton and Freda Bragg and all with anniversaries at this time.

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