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### Fr Dominic Kavanagh Fr Paul Devanev Deacon Kevin O'Connor

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 13th October 2019

### Dear Parishioners,

**'Give thanks to the Lord!** We should always give thanks to the Lord for His constant goodness to us. He gives us life through the death and resurrection of His Son, Jesus Christ. We know that if we die with Him we shall also live with Him. We were like lepers through sin and now we are made new through Christ's saving power which cleanses and heals.'(Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

We welcome to our weekend Masses Mr Raymond Perrier who is the Director of the Denis Hurley Centre in Durban. He will be making an appeal on behalf of those who are helped through the work of the centre.

We welcome to our 9am Mass this Sunday, members of Year 6 at St Augustine's School who will be enrolling as candidates for Confirmation.

**This Sunday** we give thanks for the Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman, which will take place in Rome. You will be able to follow the ceremony on the Diocesan website and on E.W.T.N.(Sky No 589). This Sunday evening, 13<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30pm at Olton Friary, Fr Austin will be giving a talk on St John Henry Newman, and on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm there will be a Mass of Thanksgiving at the Friary and a reading of St John Henry's talk which he gave at the opening of the Library at the Friary.

**Next Sunday afternoon,** 20<sup>th</sup> October at 4pm you are invited to St Chad's Cathedral for Ecumenical Vespers to celebrate Saint John Henry Newman's Canonisation. Please see inside for further details. There will be a Pontiical High Mass at the Oratory next Friday evening, October at 7.30pm with Archbishop Bernard.

**Father Dominic writes:** 'My visit to Knock Shrine last week was a very blessed and enjoyable time with the Fellowship. I offered Mass for you in the beautiful Basilica Church and remembered your intentions whilst there. We enjoyed several outings to Westport, Foxford and along the wild Atlantic Drive. Whilst at Knock my uncle Seamus died and I was able to concelebrate his Requiem Mass. He died peacefully at home with family members present. Thank you very much for your prayers for him and for the family. May he rest in peace.' **Please note** that there will be an additional Mass on Thursday at 8.45am.

12th October Saturday <i>St Wilfrid</i>	2 Kings 5:14-17 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Luke 17:11-19 <b>12.30pm</b> Dean,Stella and Chloe-Intentions Patricia Jones Familiy living & deceased Johnny Killeen-RIP	Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Lunches after 12.30pm Mass
13th October TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	2 Kings 5:14-17 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Luke 17:11-19 9.00am David Jones-RIP 11.00am John Rice-RIP Aileen Rotheram-RIP	Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses
14th October Monday Feria In Ordinary Time St Callistus	Romans1:1-7Luke 11:29-329.35am The Rosary10.00am Sylvia Bunce-Intention	Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm
15th October Tuesday St Teresa of Jesus	Romans 1:16-25 Luke 11:37-41 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Requiem Charles Cassidy	Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm Legion of Mary 6.15pm
16th October Wednesday St Hedwig/ St Margaret Mary Alacoque	Romans 2:1-11 Luke 11:42-46   9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Mary-Special Intention   Anna & Eugene O'Donnell-RIP	Parents & Toddlers Group Rainbows 4.30pm-5.30pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm
17thOctober Thursday St Ignatius of Antioch	Romans 3:21-30Luke 11:47-548.45am James McNally-RIP12.05pm The Rosary12.30pm Lily Ryan-Get Well Peggy & Larry Parker-RIP	Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm Exposition 12.00pm-12.30pm
18th October Friday Feria In Ordinary Time <i>FEAST</i> St Luke	2 Timothy 4:10-17Luke 10:1-99.35am The Rosary10.00am Irene Sutton-RIP6.30pm Legion of Mary-Intentions	Exposition after 10.30am Mas Until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass 6.30pm
19th October Saturday St Frideswide/ St John de Brebeuf/ Isaac Jogues & Companions St Paul of the Cross	Exodus 17:8-13 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 Luke 18:1-8 12.30pm Eugene Callaghan-Intention Patrick & Sarah Shaughnessy Ann McIlroy-RIP	Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Lunches available after 12.30pm Mass
20th October Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Exodus 17:8-132 Timothy 3:14-4:2Luke 18:1-89.00am All People of the Parish	Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses
	11.00am Maria Kelly-RIP	

#### Offertory Collection last week: £1,112:98 (Gift Aid £414:40 Loose £698:58) 2<sup>nd</sup> collection next week: Durban Denis Hurley Centre 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection last weekend CAFOD FAMILY FAST: £2,506:55 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection next weekend: APF-Association for the Propagation of the Faith

# **BLESSED JOHN HENRY NEWMAN-** See poster in porch of celebrations for the Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman, at the Oratory.

**ST THOMAS MORE SHELDON** With the help of Steve Fleming, a seminarian from Oscott who is working on his extended pastoral placement here, we are trying to revive our Parish Youth Group here at St Thomas More's. We have had a preliminary meeting, and we are planning another meeting for Tuesday, October 15th., at 7:45 pm in the parish centre. All are most welcome, whether it would be to help with a youth group here or to start youth groups in other parishes.

**St Scholastica's Retreat Open Day** - Saturday, 19th October, 2019 . St Scholastica's Retreat is an almshouse that provides sheltered housing for practising Catholics, in 36 self-contained flats at £491pcm, who are able to care for themselves, who are 60 years or over and who are of limited financial means.We are hoping that the Open Day will generate some applications for our Waiting List..Is this for you OR for someone you know? St Scholastica's Retreat - Open Day - Saturday, 19th October, 2019 more information on the poster and from The Warden: Deacon Seán Duffy - Princes Risborough (01844) 344437. Email: info@stscholasticas.co.uk website- www.stscholasticas.co.uk

To mark the Canonisation of Cardinal Newman Choral Ecumenical Vespers with Archbishop Bernard and other Anglican Bishops and Church leaders. The Anglican Bishops of Birmingham, Coventry, Lichfield, Oxford and Worcester have been invited as well as Civic leaders. In this way, it marks Newman as a priest of the city of Birmingham, but also as a Saint of our Archdiocese. It is an ecumenical occasion recognising Newman's journey of faith. The joint choirs of St Chad's Cathedral and St Philip's Cathedral will lead the singing. Vespers at 4pm on Sunday 20th October.

OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL School Open Day - Tuesday 22nd October 2019 -9.30 am to 11.30 am A warm welcome awaits prospective parents to the above event. The application process is now open. Parents should contact their Local Authority to apply for Reception placements and Nursery applications are to be made direct to the school. Nursery applications can be downloaded from our school website - <u>www.ol-</u> <u>wayside.solihull.sch.uk/admissions/</u>

**There will be an extra High Mass of Our Lady (EF)** at 11am on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October in the Parish Church at Douai Abbey (RG7 5TQ), followed by a Marian Procession in honour of Our Lady of Fatima (after Mass) at approx. 12noon, around the grounds of the abbey. ALL ARE WELCOME. There will also be an extra Mass for Christ the King (EF) on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 10:30am in the Parish Church at Douai Abbey (RG7 5TQ). All events are organised by YCA. Music will be provided by the Schola Gregoriana of Cambridge. ALL ARE WELCOME.

"HCPT Group 712 is our local youth service group which travels with and supports the disabled and disadvantaged children's groups with the HCPT pilgrimage to Lourdes at Easter. Young people aged 16 to 19 who would be interested in joining the group for Easter 2020 should email Deacon Tim from the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, Yardley Wood: <u>deacon.tim@yahoo.com</u>. The cost of the week including flights and full-board hotel will be no more than £450. We will assist you with fundraising towards this. See also <u>www.hcpt.org.uk</u>."

Reade	ers this week Eucharistic Ministers this week SUNDAY 9.00ar	n
SCHOOL YEAR 6	9.00am Angela Keating & Caroline McGonigle	
Madelein	ne Coburn Ken Bolton/Don Deneny	
11.00am	11.00am Annette Kelly	
Marie Wat	tts Henryk Cettler	
Cleaning Rota: fo	or week beginning October 14th for Services October 19th/20th-C	
	Marguerite Pearsall, Anne Hallissey, Julia McGovern, Katrina Hicken	
Flowers	Rota: - for week beginning October 14th for Services October 19th/20th - Marie Adkins	
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 Bruce Pountney Kevin Fahy Val Burgess Sandy Simia	
Trevor Windle	Colette Hickey Danny Meadows	

#### Saint John Henry Cardinal Newman

"God has created me to do him some definite service; he has committed some work to me which he has not committed to another. I have my mission; I never may know it in this life, but I shall be told it in the next. I have a part in a great work; I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons. He has not created me for naught. I shall do good, I shall do his work; I shall be an angel of peace, a preacher of truth in my own place, while not intending it, if I do but keep his commandments and serve him in my calling."

> Almighty and eternal God, we offer heartfelt Thanks and praise for the life And witness of Saint John Henry Newman. In him you have given us an inspiring example of a priest and Teacher heriocally devoted to the persuit of holiness and the salvation of souls. Through his intercession and his teaching We ask you to pour out Your blessings on all Your children who seek Your truth, so that all may come to know and love You in the one fold of the Redeemer, Our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You In the unity of the Holy Spirit, One God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**Please pray for**: Charles Cassidy (Requiem Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 10am; Reception Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October 6.30pm), who died recently. Also John Rice, Rita Flynn, Patrick Joseph O'Connor, Maurice Mullane, Sheila Smith, Stephen Patrick Delaney, Richard Palmer, Peter Satelle and Stella Gilbert and all with anniversaries at this time.

**St Augustine's has been working** with other Catholic schools in the local area to establish a Multi Academy Company. As part of our planning, we are now looking to recruit volunteer Shadow Board Directors to give additional Governance support to Our Lady and All Saints Catholic MAC. If you have the skills and time to support the future development of Catholic education in your community, please see the poster on the notice board at the back of the Church, inviting you to a presentation on the role of a Director in a Catholic Multi Academy Company. If you would like further details please email: academies@bdes.org.uk

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