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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 20th October 2019

Dear Parishioners,

'Pray continually and never lose heart. When we pray we are inclined to give up if God does not seem to answer us immediately. We should persevere knowing that Christ is always interceding for us to His Father for our protection and welfare. As long as we pray in faith then we can never be beaten by our enemies.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

The baptismal preparation evenings for October will be Thursday 24th and Thursday 31st at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

This Sunday throughout the world is celebrated as World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis has chosen for the theme of this Sunday: 'BAPTISED AND SENT', reminding us that each and every one is a 'Mission', going out of ourselves in love to share the Good News with others. There will be a second collection for MISSIO (formerly the A.P.F.) Gift -Aid envelopes are available.

This Sunday afternoon Archbishop Bernard invites you to an 'Ecumenical Vespers' at 4pm at St Chad's Cathedral in B. Ham, to celebrate the Canonisation of St John Henry Newman. **For those children** who are not at a Catholic school and who wish to be prepared for the Sacrament of Confirmation please would the parents register their names by speaking to one of the clergy. Also, for those children who again are not at a Catholic school and who wish to be prepared for First Holy Communion would they please register their names with a member of the clergy. A Meeting for the parents of <u>all</u> First Holy Communion children will take place at St Augustine's School on <u>Thursday 7th November at 6pm</u>. Please note change of date. Following on from this Meeting there will be an enrolment Mass on Sunday 17th November at 9am. The first Meeting for those children not attending a Catholic School will take place on Tuesday 12th November between 4.30pm-5.45pm in the Parish Hall. The subsequent Meetings will take place on Tuesdays at this same time.

Mr Raymond Perrier expresses his sincere thanks on behalf of the Denis Hurley Centre in Durban for the most generous response to last week's appeal. A total of £1,500 has been raised which will help the poorest of the poor on the streets of Durban.

Father Dominic will be on Retreat this coming week and will offer Mass for your intentions. For sick calls please contact the Columban Fathers- 01564 772 096 or The Friary-0121 706 0505

| 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 after 12.30pm Mass |
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| 20th October TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | Exodus 17:8-13 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 Luke 18:1-8 9.00am All People of the Parish | Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses |
| World Mission Day 21st October Monday Feria In Ordinary Time | 11.00am Maria Kelly-RIPRomans 4:20-25Luke 12:13-219.35am The Rosary10.00am Patrick Ryan-RIP | Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm |
| 22nd October Tuesday Feria In Ordinary Time St John Paul II | Romans5:12,15,17-21Luke 12:35-389.35am The Rosary10.00amThomas Healy-RIPJean Tilliard-Intention | Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm Legion of Mary 6.15pm |
| 23rd October Wednesday Feria In Ordinary Time St John Capestrano | Romans 6:12-18Luke 12:39-489.35am The Rosary10.00amElizabeth Morris-RIPJim Lynskey- RIP | Parents & Toddlers Group Rainbows 4.30pm-5.30pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm |
| 24thOctober Thursday Feria In Ordinary Time St Anthony Mary Claret | Romans 6:19-23Luke 12:49-5312.05pm The Rosary12.30pm Elizabeth Shannon-Intention Joyce Fernandez-RIP Carmel-Special Intention | Pre School 9.30am-12.30pm Exposition 12.00pm-12.30pm Baptism Preparation Evening 8pm-Presbytery |
| 25th October Friday Feria In Ordinary Time | Romans7:18-25Luke 12:54-599.35am The Rosary10.00amPauline Kane-Intention6.30pm Holy Souls | Exposition after 10.30am Mass Until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass 6.30pm |
| 26th October Saturday Feria In Ordinary Time <i>St Cedd</i> | Ecclesiasticus 35:12-14,16-19 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18 Luke 18:9-14 12.30pm Kathleen Benson-RIP Dawn-Special Intention Pete Kilroy-RIP | Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Lunches available after 12.30pm Mass |
| 27th October Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time | Ecclesiasticus 35:12-14,16-19 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18 Luke 18:9-14 9.00am Moira McDaid-RIP | Tea/Coffee available after 9am & 11am Masses |
| | 11.00am Norah & Patrick Brennan-RIP | |

Offertory Collection last week: £1,116:36 (Gift Aid £215:50 Loose £900:86) 2nd Collection last weekend: Denis Hurley Centre: £1,500:00 2nd Collection this weekend: World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries like Sr Clara share the love of Christ with those most in need. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can. If you are a taxpayer, please use the Gift Aid envelopes. For more information, visit www.missio.org.uk Thank you.

INTERCULTURAL MASS-will take place at St Catherine of Siena on the Bristol Road in B.Ham on Saturday 26th October at 12.00 noon. All are welcome. The leading celebrant is Bishop David McGough and the celebration marks this extraordinary month of Mission.

The SVP would like to thank all who have given to our group through financial, food and clothing donations. Know that you and your families are in our prayers.

Ladies Fashion Show and Pop up Shop? Wednesday 13th November in school hall Doors open 7pm for a 7.30pm show Tickets £7 to include a drink on arrival Tickets available from school office or Anne-Marie Jones (9am mass) High street branded clothing at up to 50% off RRP

BLESSING OF GRAVES- Oscott 2nd November 3pm; Woodlands 3rd November 2pm; Brandwood End 3rd November 2pm; Robin Hood 10th November 2pm; Widney Manor 17th November 2pm; Yardley 24th November 2pm. Please see poster in porch.

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>https://www.ol-</u> wayside.solihull.sch.uk/admissions/

The LIFE organisation have organised a Connect weekend at Maryvale Institute on the weekend of 2nd/3rd November. It is for young people aged between 18-25 years. The Conference is aimed at bringing together young people interested in the prolife movement and principles but who are not yet certain about where they stand on these issues, or not yet confident in acting on their beliefs. For more information and to book please visit <u>www.</u> <u>Connectconference.co.uk</u> Bookings need to be made by October 28th. On-site accommodation at Maryvale if required.

| Readers this week | Eucharistic Ministers this week | | |
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| SUNDAY | SUNDAY | | |
| 9.00am Madeleine Coburn | 9.00am Ken Bolton/Don Deneny | | |
| Bernard McHale | Ken Bolton/Don Deneny | | |
| 11.00am Marie Watts | 11.00am Henryk Cettler | | |
| Chris Hodrien | Henryk Cettler | | |
| Cleaning Rota: for week beginning October 21st for Services October 26th/27th-D | | | |
| Mary Murray, Pat Ferris, Veronica Naughton | | | |
| Flowers Rota: - for week beginning October 21st for Services October 26th/27th -Sue Hodrien | | | |
| Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Pa | arish: | | |
| Keith Frettsome Martin Yates Virginia Greg | ory, Angela, Eilish, Tony Duffy Margaret Kelly | | |
| Joan Kennedy Roberto Cordora Kevin Fa | | | |
| Trevor Windle Colette Hickey Danny Meadow | S | | |

LORD of the Harvest,

BLESS young people with the gift of courage to respond to your call.

Open their hearts to great ideals, to great things.

INSPIRE all of your disciples to mutual love and giving for vocations blossom in the good soil of faithful people.

INSTILL those in religious life, parish ministries, and families with the confidence and grace to invite others to embrace the bold and noble path of a life consecrated to you.

UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and sacrament, so that we may cooperate with you in building your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace. Amen.

— Pope Francis

Please pray for: Val Burgess (Annette Kelly's sister), Eileen Kelleher (Requiem Friday 25th October, 12.00 noon; Our Lady of Lourdes; Reception Thursday 24th October 5.30pm) and Alan McBride-George who died recently. Also, Jerzy (George) Stanislaw Bartoszewicz, Broderick Anthony Light, Mercedes Sancher, Edith Campbell, Kathy (Kathleen) Finnegan, Jimmy Greene and Evelyn Bedford and all with anniversaries at this time.

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