

St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 30.09.18

Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: Seymour Cespedes RIP

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Ned and Ann Waldron Special Intentions

Monday, 01.10.18

St Therese of the Child Jesus, Doctor of the Church

9:30 am

Mass: Parishioners

10:00 am

Rosary

Tuesday, 02.10.18

Memorial of the Guardian Angels

10:30 am

Mass at St Mary & John's church

Wednesday, 03.10.18

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Anthony Corr RIP

10:00 am

Rosary

Thursday, 04.10.18

St Francis of Assisi

NO MASS

Friday, 05.10.18

Feria

7:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 pm

Mass: Deceased members of the Kakkanattu Family and all holy souls

Saturday, 06.10.18

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Evelyn Hannon' Birthday Intentions

10:00 am

Confessions

Sunday, 07.10.18

Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: Billy Hannon RIP

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Edilberto, Siegfiredo and Lorna Huellar RIP

Confessions: Sat. after 9:30am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:55 pm or on request



YOUR OFFERINGS: 23RD SEPTEMBER £498.47 (GIFT-AID £301.12)
SECOND COLLECTION FOR FATHER HUDSON'S CARE RAISED £127.96
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY (7TH OCTOBER): HARVEST FAST (CAFOD)
Church Cleaning this week: Team C (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

ALL WELCOME to join us for refreshments in the Hall after 9.30am Sunday Mass

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM. REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 234216

PARISH ADMINISTRATION: If anyone requires baptism certificates or any other written documents from the parish, please visit the parish office on Mondays & Fridays: 10.00am - 12.00noon or leave your message on the presbytery answer phone: 01902 736440 or e-mail: stpatricks220@sky.com



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Sally McNulty, Bridget Hannon, Joan Jones, Jack Byrne, Doris McShane, Deacon Michael Ainsworth, Fergus Fallon, Bernie Davies, Gerry Simpson, Mary Mahan, Michael Lockett, Obed, Charito, Melchor, Darcy Jamandri. *If you are not able to get to Mass (e.g. you're going into hospital) or if you notice someone who has not been at Mass recently, let know Fr Dawid or Gerry.*

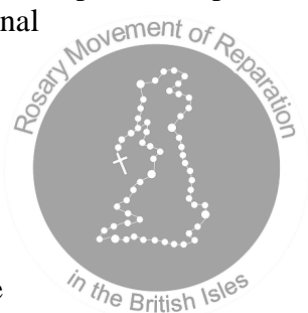


PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN OCTOBER (part 1): Anthony Corr who died recently, also Eileen Stoker, Bernard Patrick Brady, Harry Gay, Theresa Smith, Julie Neely, Norman Stephens, Neal Boyle, Graham Southall, Gladys Barrett, James Mullen, Tara Croucher, Michael Frank Kearns, Robert Ballantyne, William Leary, Molly Hague, Violet Hammonds.



'ST PATRICK'S SVP AFTERNOON TEA' Wednesday 3rd October 1pm – 3pm, in the Church Hall, free of charge – please come along, see your friends, have a chat.

ROSARY UNDER THE CROSS IN THE BRITISH ISLES for Faith, Life and Peace, Sunday 7th October at 3 p.m at Our Lady's church, Cannock Road. Following on from the Rosary on the Coast last April, Bishop John Keenan is appealing for Catholics to join again in praying the Rosary with an Act of National Reparation. We will gather in the silence of Mary and kneel under the Cross - and with Mary embrace the Cross of Christ in our times and plead for God's Mercy. The power of the Holy Rosary: St. Louis Marie de Montfort. *"When people say the Rosary together it is far more formidable to the Devil than one said privately, because in this public prayer it is an army that is attacking. It is easy to break a single stick, but if you join it to others in a bundle, it cannot be broken. In union, there is strength."*



CONCERNING THE RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION IN THE HAND The have been a couple of unfortunate incidents during the administration of Holy Communion during Holy Mass recently. It should be remembered that the normative manner in which Holy Communion is to be received in the Western Rite is on the tongue, though permission has been granted in some areas of the world for the faithful to receive Holy Communion in the hand (including in England and Wales). However, those who receive Holy Communion in the hand must consume the sacred host immediately and reverently, and in the presence of the priest or deacon (or minister) and must not walk away with the Sacred Host in the hand. **Pope St. John Paul II** emphasised this point particularly in the document *Redemptionis Sacramentum* (n.92): *"...special care should be taken to ensure that the host is consumed by the communicant in the presence of the minister, so that no one goes away carrying the Eucharistic species in his hand. If there is a risk of profanation, then Holy Communion should not be given in the hand to the faithful."*

ST PATRICK'S PRIMARY SCHOOL is in need of Parent Governors. The role is voluntary and will appeal to parents who want to make a positive impact on their child's education and school life. If you are interested, then please contact Mrs McKenzie at the school 01902 556451.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS ("RCIA") is the normal way in which adults are Baptised or received into the full communion of the Catholic Church. Following a lengthy period of preparation, it is usual that an individual is Baptised/received into the Catholic Church, receives the Sacraments of Confirmation all at Easter. Any adults seeking to become Catholics next Easter should see Fr. Dawid at the earliest possible opportunity (closing date **end of September**); it is to be understood that attendance at Sunday Mass is expected. First meeting: **Monday 1st October at 7.30pm at St Mary & John's church hall (Snow Hill, WV2 4AD).**



PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Information packs, including application forms, for those who wish to prepare for this Sacrament are available. These may be collected by parents/guardians of those who are considering preparing for those sacraments from Fr. Dawid after Sunday Masses. The closing date for applications is **Sunday 7th October.** Enrolment Mass: Sun 7th October at 9.30am.

PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Those who are considering receiving this Sacrament should collect an application form from Fr. Dawid. Please note: **the closing date** for application forms to be handed in: **Sunday, 7th October.** Enrolment Mass: Sun 7th October at 9.30am.