

St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 14.10.18

Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: Thanksgiving intention of Simran Glaxin

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Brian Whitehead Birthday Intention

Monday, 15.10.18

St Teresa of Avila, Doctor of the Church

9:30 am

Mass:

10:00 am

Rosary

Tuesday, 16.10.18

Feria

10:30 am

Mass at St Mary & John's church

Wednesday, 17.10.18

St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr

9:30 am

Mass: Parishioners

10:00 am

Rosary

Thursday, 18.10.18

Feast of St Luke, Evangelist

NO MASS

Friday, 19.10.18

Feria

7:00 pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 pm

Mass: For the Devlin and Swingell Families

Saturday, 20.10.18

Feria

9:30 am

Mass: Thomas Gallagan RIP

10:00 am

Confessions

Sunday, 21.10.18

Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am

Mass: Mary and Frank Kearns RIP

5:30 pm

Confessions

6:00 pm

Mass: Mercedes Pedrosa RIP

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



YOUR OFFERINGS: 7TH OCTOBER £1049.11 (GIFT-AID £719.00)
SECOND COLLECTION FOR HARVEST FAST (CAFOD) RAISED £231.09
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY (21ST OCT): APF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
Church Cleaning this week: Team B (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

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, 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 2): **BERNIE DAVIES, JOAN JONES AND ANTHONY CORR** who died recently, also Thomas Orpen, Thomas Whitefoot, Mary O'Loughlin, Jean Wainwright, Winifred Meaney, James Foskett, Michael Wall, William Mason, Stanley Thorpe, Andrew Moody, Edith Vaughan, Margaret Mason, Thomas Garner, Kathleen Tingle, Christine Shipley, Mary Burns.



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."*

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: A ground-breaking coordinated international mobilization is taking place from September 26th to November 4th. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our country – and beyond. The Vigil location is: Outside Marie Stopes, 4 Arthur Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, UK. The local contact for info is Isabel 07773501721, 40daysforlife.bham@gmail.com. You can sign up for vigil hours by visiting <https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/birmingham-2/>

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY (Next Sunday, 21st October) World Mission Sunday is your chance to support missionaries and the Church in proclaiming the Gospel of peace to those who suffer around the world. By supporting Missio, the Pope's official charity for overseas mission, you will be sharing the peace and love of Christ with all people by helping everyone in need, regardless of background or belief. Today, your prayers and your donation will help a spirit of peace spread across Ethiopia and around the world. Please give what you can, and if possible, please use the Gift Aid envelopes if you are a taxpayer. Thank you.



PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Sessions on Sunday mornings after 9.30am Mass in the Presbytery on the following days: 14th October, 4th November, 25th November, 2nd December, 9th December, 13th January, 27th January, 3rd February, 10th February, 24th February, 3rd March (Confessions). Confirmation Day: Tuesday 5th March at 7pm.

PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Lessons on Saturday mornings 11am – 1pm in the Sacristy on the following days: 10th November, 8th December, 12th January, 23th February, 9th March, 13th April, 4th May and 11th May. First Holy Communion: Sunday 19th May 2019.

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. The school is also in need of **Foundation Governors** who are practising Catholics. If you are interested, then please contact Mrs McKenzie at the school 01902 556451.



CHRISTMAS FAYRE - Saturday 1st December - It's 7 weeks to our Christmas Fayre. Please start looking out items for sale – Gifts, prizes, bottles, jars, tins, books, bric-a-brac etc. Anything you have can be handed in to the piety stall – we have plenty of storage space.