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17th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 24th/25th July 2021 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Sat 24th July	5-00PM	Leo Kealey	17 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 25th	8-30AM	Mary Feane	
	10-30AM	People of the Parish	
Mon 26th	No Mass		St Joachim and St Anne
Tues 27th	12-30PM	Aitken family deceased	Blessed Robert Sutton
Wed 28th	9-00AM	Cath Sherry (recently departed)	
Thurs 29th	9-00AM	Nanny Green	St Martha
Fri 30th	9-00AM	Barbara Gunn	
	7-00PM	Holy Souls	
Sat 31st	10-00AM	Grady family deceased	St Ignatius Loyola
	5-00PM	Gilbert Ferguson	18 th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 1 st August	8-30AM	People of the Parish	
	10-30AM	Glynn and Barker families deceased	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON 114 OF THE MASS BOOK (11th & 18th July) GIFT AID £145.60 NON-GIFT AID £482.81 STANDING ORDERS 17th July – 23rd July - £219.00 THE 2nd collection for Apostleship of the Sea raised £260.90

CONFESSIONS – Fr Philip is available to hear confessions after any Mass. Please ask the stewards.

RECENTLY DEPARTED -

Barbara Gunn – Funeral Mass Tuesday 3rd August, 12noon followed by burial at Norton Cemetery. Those wishing to attend the funeral of Barbara Gunn please text Mary Jane Gunn on 0745 000 6372 with your name & phone number. Mary Jane will compile a list of those attending in line with COVID requirements.

Father John Burns – Fr John was born in 1929, and was just 24 years old when ordained to the priesthood in 1953. He served at Sacred Heart, Tunstall (often described as the cathedral of the Potteries) for 12 years (1953-65), and then in Warwick for 20 years (1965-85) before his appointment to Stourbridge. In 1990 he returned to North Staffordshire as parish priest of Leek, and at the age of 67 in 1996 moved to the historic parish of Hethe in north Oxfordshire. He retired in 2014, aged 85, and moved to the Priests' retirement home at Aston Hall near Stone, having served the diocese of over 60 years. He died on Wednesday, 14th July, 2 days after his 92nd Birthday.

May God reward this good and faithful priest with the joy of Paradise. Fr Philip

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS – After Thursday morning Mass. **ADORATION** – following 10am Mass on Saturday

LIFTING OF RESTRICTIONS – Please visit our website olas.org.uk for more details.

RESTARTING PARISH LIFE -

Minister of Holy Communion - Beginning this weekend July 24th and 25th two extraordinary ministers will be required at each of the three Sunday weekend Masses. If you are already an authorised Minister and can help, please contact the Parish Office. The rota for August and September is on the board in the Church porch.

Altar Servers – Current regulations allow altar servers to assist at Mass where needed. Servers are invited to contact Fr Philip to resume duties in a limited and safe manner.

Readers – The rota for August and September is now on the board in the Church porch. If you would like to read in Mass at a weekend, please speak to Fr Philip or contact the parish office by calling 01384 395308 or email olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

Sunday 25th July – Is the First ever World Day of Prayer for Grandparents, please visit the Archdiocese of Birmingham website for further details and resources.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL – It is important that you notify the parish if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital, as hospitals do not give lists of Catholic patients to clergy, due to data protections law. For admissions to Russell's Hall, please notify Deacon Tom - 07415 211098 For admissions to other hospitals, please notify Fr Philip - 01384 395308

PARISH CENTRE – Please visit the Parish Centre page on our website to see the progress of work being completed in the Youth Room. A polite reminder that due to Covid restrictions the centre is still closed to all groups and is only allowed to open for the foodbank. Anyone who still has keys please do not let yourself in.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK. - We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm donations can be received at the back door of the building. Shortage's this week are: LONG LIFE MILK (1L cartons), TINNED MEAT, TINNED SPAGHETTI, INSTANT MASH, SMALL BOXES TEABAGS, SUGAR, 3-MINUTE NOODLES, TINNED RICE PUDDING / CUSTARD, LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE (1L cartons), SOAP / HANDWASH, SINGLE TOOTHBRUSHES, SHAMPOO, TOILET ROLLS Thank you so much for your continued support of the foodbank especially in the time of uncertainty for so many.

PARISH DONATIONS – Any donations to the Parish will be allocated to fundraising for the refurbishment of our parish centre toilets. Thank you for your support.

GIFT AID AND NON-GIFT AID DONATIONS – Thank you to those who have agreed to change to standing order donations. For more information on how to do this please contact Sarah in the Parish office by emailing olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or call 01384 395308 (Tuesday and Friday)

MARCH FOR LIFE will take place on Saturday 4th September in central London from approx. 10am- 4-30pm. A local coach is leaving from the Oratory on the Hagley Road. Please can you add that the coach departs from the Oratory at 7.30am. Will arrive back approx. 8pm. Adults £18. Under 12's £10. Under 5's free' To book a seat, please contact alice.grennan@gmail.com or phone 07845 706362. We recently had the highest ever annual abortion figures in the Uk (last year saw 210,860 abortions in England & Wales) as well as the introduction of home/DIY abortions. Let's do our part in turning the tide on our nation. More information is available at marchforlife.co.uk or from Isabel on 07773 501721 or email izzyvs@gmail.com