

PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS, 13 NEW ROAD, STOURBRIDGE DY8 1PQ

Website www.olas.org.uk Webcam www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/our-lady-all-saints-

Email <u>olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> Telephone 01384 395308

Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity Number 234216

PARISH PRIEST Fr Philip Griffin PARISH DEACON Rev Mr Tom Tranter

PARISH SECRETARY Mrs Sarah Price HEALTH AND SAFETY Mr Steve McNally

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER Mrs Kathryn Sargent and Mr Paul Shannon

Christ the King - 20th/21st November 2021 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Sat 20th	5-00PM	Joan Coyne (Anniversary)	
November			Cl.: 41 W
			Christ the King
Sun 21st	8-30AM	People of the Parish	
	44 00 13 5		
	11-00AM	Clive Key	
Mon 22nd	No Mass		St Cecilia
Tues 23rd	9-00AM	Maxwell & Griffiths families deceased	
Wed 24th	9-00AM	Maureen & Arnold Thompson	Martyrs of Vietnam
Thurs 25th	9-00AM	Cotton & Dawson family deceased	
Fri 26th	9-00AM	Markowski family deceased	
	7-00PM	Holy Souls	
Sat 27th	10-00AM	James Feane	
	5-00PM	Trinham & Moore families deceased	First Sunday of Advent
Sun 28th	8-30AM	People of the Parish	1
	11-00AM	Frances, Arthur, Dennis & Kevin Barker	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 160 OF THE MASS BOOK

GIFT AID - £178.50 NON-GIFT AID £802.24 Johnson Fund Collection £467.25 STANDING ORDERS £1191.50 This weekend the 2nd Collection will be for the Catholic Youth Service.

To donate online please visit www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk

RECENTLY DEPARTED -

Joan Mary Heathcote – Service in Church Thursday 25th November at 11am.

Christian Lawson – Reception into Church Thursday 2nd December, at 4pm. Funeral Mass Friday 3rd December at 11am.

BLESSING OF THE GRAVES - Sunday 21st November 2pm, Stourbridge Crematorium Cemetery

WALK WITH ME PRAYER BOOKS (£1) and Advent calendars (prices vary) available today.

CHRISTMAS PIETY STALL – Advent Calendars, Christmas Cards, 2022 Calendars & diaries and gifts available from the piety shop today. The piety shop is moving to the back of Church. It will be open after Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday mornings. At other times please ask Fr Philip after Mass. If there are items you would like ordered please see Fr Philip.

CONFESSIONS – Fr Philip is available for confessions after any Mass. Please speak to one of the stewards.

DIVINE MERCY – After 12-30pm Mass on Thursday ADORATION - After Saturday 10am Mass until 11am

ADULT INSTRUCTION this Tuesday 23rd November 7pm, in the parish centre – The Gospel of John.

GROWING IN FAITH "CATHOLICISM" – DVD in the Parish Centre on Wednesday at 10am – Communion of Saints.

The Diocesan Plan Zoom Meeting Wednesday 24th November 7pm. Archbishop Bernard introduced us to the Diocesan Plan last summer and now we are also hearing about "synodality". You are invited to attend an online meeting at which you can hear from the Chief Operating Officer of the Archdiocese about the Diocesan Plan and what it is hoped it will deliver for the Diocese. Please register your interest by sending an email to actabhm@gmail.com

RESTARTING PARISH LIFE – MASKS – Please continue to wear a mask at all times when you are in Church. **SANISITISE** – Can we ask everyone who enters Church to please sanitise your hands this is not for yourselves but to protect others.

TODDLER GROUP has restarted. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 for more details and to book a place. **SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB** – Thank you to Pam and her team for the Afternoon tea last Wednesday. The next afternoon tea will be held on Wednesday 8th December at 2pm. To book a place please contact Pam Perry on 07848 406986 by Monday 6th December.

PARISH CENTRE – The ladies' toilets are now open for use. From next week the Gents toilets will be closed, please use the disabled/Accessible toilet.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL – It is important that you notify the parish if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital; For admissions to Russell's Hall, please notify Deacon Tom - 07415 211098 For admissions to other hospitals, please notify Fr Philip - 01384 395308

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). Paying by standing order reduces the bank charges for the parish.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK. MILK (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS, FRUIT JUICE (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS TINNED/CARTON CUSTARD, TINNED READY MEALS (e.g. VEG CHILLI/MACARONI CHEESE/CHEESE AND ONION PIE) INSTANT HOT CHOCOLATE (TO BE MADE WITH HOT WATER), PACKET MASHED POTATO, TINNED RICE PUDDING MARMALADE/JAM, TINNED FRUIT (PREFERABLY IN JUICE) SHAMPOO/CONDITIONER, HAND SOAP, TOOTHPASTE WASHING UP LIQUID, DEODORANT Cut of date for Christmas Food (such as mince pies and selection boxes) – Friday 3rd December, 2021. This date may seem early but we need plenty of time to sort and distribute all donations. 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. Thank you for your continued support.

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.

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL - Places are available for pupils in following years - one in Year 2, one in Year 3 & one in Year 4. They are looking to appoint Foundation Governors. If you are over 18 a practising Catholic and looking for a way to live out your faith and serve your local community at the same time? If so, becoming a Foundation Governor could be just the thing for you. Please contact Debbie either by email on info@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk or by telephone 01384 431980.

The Archdiocese of Birmingham is seeking to recruit inspectors of Catholic primary and secondary schools. We are particularly keen to hear from former school leaders who seek to remain connected with Catholic Education. Email b.mcardle@bdes.org.uk for details.