

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 olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk 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 All Saints – 30th/31st October 2021 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Sat 30th October	5-00PM	People of the Parish	All Saints
Sun 31st	8-30AM	James McIlwee	-
	11-00AM	Larry Murphy	
Mon 1st	No Mass		
Tues 2nd	12-30PM	James McIlwee	Holy Souls
	7-00PM	Holy Souls	
Wed 3rd	9-00AM	Henrietta Dunbar	St Martin de Porres
Thurs 4th	9-00AM	Reilly and Clement Families deceased	St Charles Borromeo
Fri 5th	9-00AM	Holy Souls	
	7-00PM	Hendy and Thatcher families deceased	
Sat 6th	10-00AM	Intentions of Sister Birdie and Sister Betty	
	5-00PM	Intentions of Murphy and Noakes family	32 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 7th	8-30AM	People of the Parish	
	11-00AM	William and Alice Sargent	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 186 OF THE MASS BOOK

Second collection this weekend for the Johnson Fund, the diocesan charity which gives financial assistance to sick and retired diocesan priests.

RECENTLY DEPARTED -

Vernon Bissell – Funeral Service in Church on Wednesday 3rd November, at 11.30am

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

Advance Notice; Tuesday 2nd November – Feast of the Holy Souls Masses at 12-30pm and 7pm

NOVEMBER – Month of the Holy Souls.

The prayer box for lists of the Holy Souls can be found by the altar. Please give requests for Masses direct to Fr Philip in the usual envelopes. Donation for the Holy Souls in general will be used to offer Holy Souls Masses through the year.

Holy Souls Candles £1 each. You are welcome to place the name/names of those of whom the candles burn on the candles. Please give them to the stewards for placing on the lady altar.

NO ADULT INSTRUCTION this Tuesday, due to evening Mass for All Souls Day. Back on 9th November **GROWING IN FAITH "CATHOLICISM"** – DVD in the Parish Centre on Wednesday at 10am this week is on Mary and the incarnation. **RESTARTING PARISH LIFE – MASKS** – Please continue to wear a mask at all times when you are in Church. **ALTAR SERVERS** can now serve at all Masses. Please arrive 10 minutes before Mass and wear black shoes. **CONFIRMATION** – If you have a child who does not attend St Joseph's who is in year 6 and wishes to be confirmed please contact the Parish office by emailing <u>olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u>

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – The Parish Mass was enrolment will be celebrated on Saturday 27 November. If you have a child that does not attend St Joseph's and it currently in year 3 or above, please contact the parish office by emailing <u>olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> for an application form.

TODDLER GROUP has restarted. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 for more details and to book a place. **SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB REOPENING** was well attended thank you to Pam and team for all their hard work.

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 <u>olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> or call 01384 395308 (Tuesday and Friday). Paying by standing order reduces the bank charges for the parish.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK. LONG LIFE MILK 1L CARTONS, LONG LIFE FRUIT JUICE 1L CARTONS SMALL BREAKFAST CEREAL BOX (eg less than 250g), TINNED READY MEALS (eg MACARONI CHEESE/CHICKEN CURRY) PACKET MASHED POTATO. TINNED/PACKET CUSTARD, , TINNED FRUIT (PREFERABLY IN JUICE) SHAMPOO TOOTHPASTE, WASHING UP LIQUID. 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. They have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor The hours are Monday - Friday 12.00-1.20pm. Please contact Debbie either by email on info@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk or by telephone 01384 431980.

BIRMINGHAM DIOCESAN EDUCATION SERVICE – Coleshill has a vacancy for a Senior Office Administrator – please visit <u>http://www.bdes.org.uk/vacancies.html</u> for more details

A message from CAFOD: Thank you for supporting our Climate Crisis Appeal for our recent Family Fast Day. Every donation helps us in our work and is gratefully received. <u>cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis</u>

Please pray for the success of the upcoming UN climate talks in Glasgow, COP26, from 31 October to 12 November. There are prayer cards at the back of church; please do take one and pray that that world leaders will put the needs of marginalised communities around the world, those most affected by climate change, right at the heart of these climate talks. For more information see <u>cafod.org.uk/COP26</u>

A REQUEST FOR HELP Dudley Refugee Support Group was set up by a group of us living in the Wollaston and Stourbridge area, following the reports of people fleeing Afghanistan, and families arriving with nothing but the clothes on their backs. We are in discussion with the Council in the hope of finding suitable facilities to store, sort and distribute from. However so far, a space has not been found. We are writing to ask if you have, or know of, anywhere that would enable us to have a base for our storage and sorting. Thank you for taking the time to consider this. Do contact us at admin@dudleyrefugeesupport.co.uk if you have any questions or wish to discuss this further.