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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 12th/13th February 2022 - Year C

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 12th February	5-00PM	Barry Nicholls	6th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sun 13th	8-30AM	People of the Parish	
	11-00AM	Susan Lee (Anniversary)	
Mon 14th	9-00AM	Luciano Filiberti	St Cyril & St Methodius
Tues 15th	12-30PM	Seamus McCann (Anniversary)	
Wed 16th	9-00AM	Intentions of Annette Parker	
Thurs 17th	9-00AM	In thanksgiving – Cath and John Mason (Diamond Wedding Anniversary) & David Mason RIP	
Fri 18th	9-00AM	Holy Souls	
	7-00PM	Barry Nicholls and Cronin family deceased	
Sat 19th	10-00AM	Carmen Giannolto	
	5-00PM	Moira Connelly	7th Sunday in Ordinary
Sun 20th	8-30AM	People of the Parish	Time
	11-00AM	Sargent family deceased.	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 139 OF THE MASS BOOK. GIFT AID £108 NON-GIFT AID £1009.05 STANDING ORDERS DECEMBER 2021 GIFT AID £3228.90 NON-GIFT AID £406.00 THE COLLECTION FOR PRO LIFE RAISED £360.58

RECENTLY DEPARTED – Michael Morris.

Patricia (Pat) Maxwell – Funeral Mass on Thursday 17th February at 1pm followed by cremation at Stourbridge Crematorium.

Mary Farrell – Funeral Service on Wednesday 23rd February at 1.30pm at Gornal Wood crematorium. Edward Rubery – Funeral Service on Wednesday 23rd February at 2-10pm at Stourbridge crematorium

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

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday **ADORATION** – After Mass on Saturday morning.

ADULT INSTRUCTION – Tuesday 15th February at 7pm in the Parish Centre.

ASH WEDNESDAY – The beginning of the Season of Lent is on Wednesday 2nd March. Plese return your old palm crosses to be burnt to the box in the porch.

THIS WEEKEND – Joe Woodall will be speaking at Mass this weekend about the "40 days for life" campaign.

LENT WALK WITH ME PRAYER BOOKS – are available this weekend at a cost of £1 each. Lent Calendars are also available for those children not at St Joseph's.

SYNODAL PATHWAY – This is the last week of our parish consultation. It's not too late to come and share ideas and insights at one of our meetings – Thursday 10am and 7pm in the Parish centre.

FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – If you have a child in year 3 or above not at St Joseph's who wishes to make their First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion, please contact the parish office for an application form.

40 DAYS for LIFE - KICK OFF EVENT 'ABORTION EXPOSED' - an insight into the abortion industry from ex-abortion worker, Kevin Duffy and the inspiring story of a mum who changed her mind halfway through an abortion and kept her baby. SUNDAY 27th FEBRUARY at 2pm in the parish hall of St Joseph & St Helen's RC Church, 84 Northfield Rd, Kings Norton, Birmingham B30 1JG. For more details contact Isabel on 07773 501721 or Joe 07812 493014 **OPTIONAL TRAINING SESSIONS** for volunteers praying outside the Abortion Centre. Attend EITHER session in the parish hall of St Joseph & St Helen's RC Church on THURSDAY 17th FEBRUARY at 11am OR FRIDAY 19th FEBRUARY at 7pm

TODDLER GROUP has restarted. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 for more details and to book a place. **SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB** – The next afternoon tea will be held on Wednesday 16th February. Please contact Pam on 07848 406986 by Monday 14th February to book a place.

POETRY GROUP – Next meets on Thursday 3rd March at 7-30pm in the parish centre.

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.

TEA/COFFEE AFTER 11AM MASS - Thank you to all those who have volunteered to serve refreshments after 11am Sunday Mass. There is still time to join the rota, please contact the Parish Office.

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

PARISH DONATIONS – Due the recent weather, we have needed to carry out repairs to the Church roof at a cost of £3000. Any donations received will be put towards this.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK - FRUIT JUICE (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS, JAM/MARMALADE, MILK (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS, TIN/CARTON RICE PUDDING/DESSERT/CUSTARD, TINNED FRUIT (PREFERABLY IN JUICE), VEG READY MEALS (VEG SPAG BOL/VEG CHILLI), TINNED MEAT (HAM, HOT DOGS, SPAM), SPONGE PUDDINGS, JARS OF COFFEE, TOILET ROLLS, SHAMPOO, WASHING UP LIQUID, BARS OF SOAP 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.

Preaching the Gospel in a Multifaith Society. Mission is one of the themes of the Synodality process and walking together leads inevitably to the mission of the Church. Dr Rosalee Velloso Ewell, Principal of Redcliffe College, will be speaking on the theme of Mission in a multifaith and multicultural society. This will be an online meeting via Zoom to be held on Sunday February 20th from 2.30pm - 4pm. It would be great to see you there. To get the link to join the Zoom meeting, please email actabhm@gmail.com.

NEW GUIDANCE/REGULATIONS - Face coverings are now optional but we would strongly encourage you to wear one whilst in Mass. This is for the protection of others and to make those still anxious feel more comfortable. Some pews will still be closed to give you the option to social distance is you prefer. Please continue to sanitise when you enter Church. Holy Water stoups will be reintroduced, these will be change frequently. You can now give the sign of

peace if you wish. Communion will still be given under one kind and our ministers will sanitise and wear masks. The collection baskets will still be at the door, and not taken around during the service.