PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT THEM.

Also remember in your prayers, those who bear their illness privately.

Mary Sheila Cashmore (Noon), Sheila Cooney, Cath Crump, Terry Dixon, Eileen Hall, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Norma Jeynes, Betty Joynes, Lee Potts, Michelle Price, Matthew Pritchett, Stuart Roper, Glen Smickersgill, Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins, Dawn Wood.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of the faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in OCTOBER: Teresa Agg, Joe Burnside, Christine Byrne, Peter Cole, Charlie Cowley, Mary Davis, Edward Fairless, Winifred Fairless, George Gibbs, Jane Hooper, Joseph Jennings, David Anthony Jones, Catherine Joyce, Ann Maria & Henry Keay, Charles Kirinich, Joseph Lally, Avis Ruth Lester, Mary A.J.Lowe, Kath Mitchell, Marcella Moore, John Moran, Maria Morgan, Joyce O'Connor, Fr Francis O'Hanlon former Parish Priest, Fr Patrick O'Sullivan former Parish Priest, Mary Peach, James Ernest Peach, Joseph Peach, Joel & Maria Reed, Lynn Reynolds, George Turner, Violet Williams, Winifred Williams.

NOVEMBER: Ken Baxter, Margaret Beresford, Joe Borg, Fr J.F.Bromfield (former PP), Philomena Chambers, Joshua Clarke, Patrick D'Arcy, James Drummond, Win Green, Bernard Horton, Paul Lally, Michael Langord, Steve Langley, Brigid Madden, Melanie Marsh, Mary Martin, Joseph Moran, John Noakes, May Peach, Mary Perry, Brian Piggott, John G.J.Fairless, Mrs.A.Jones, Gwen Sedgwick, Jack (John) Taylor, Patrick Ward, Jim Wilcox.

The Altar of Our Lady and the Sacred Heart – to have the candle lamp burn for your

intentions or loved ones for the week - please see Fr Paul or Cate.

The candle lamp on Our Lady's Altar burns this week for:

Deceased Members of the Agg & Taylor Families RIP

The lamp on the Sacred Heart Altar burns this week for:

Joe Borg RIP (4th Anniversary 2nd November)

If you would like to have flowers in Church at a place of your choice in memory of a loved one and the intention in the newsletter, please see Anne or Cate.



FR PAUL INVITES YOU ON A JOURNEY TO SHARE WITH HIM THE WAYS OF PRAYER ON HIS YOUTUBE CHANNEL "IN MONTEM SANCTUM" TO GIVE HOPE AND ENCOURAGEMENT IN THE WAYS OF FAITH. FR PAUL LESTER - YOUTUBE CHANNEL - IN MONTEM SANCTUM

<u>PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR REGULAR UPDATES!</u> The website is regularly updated and the newsletter is on usually every Thursday.

<u>www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk</u> <u>Please note the cut-off is Wednesday lunchtime</u>

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## OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Wednesbury

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# SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS 31<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2021

Saturday Oct 30 4.00pm – Baptism & Confirmation – Syrika Le

5.00pm Mass (Fr Patrick O'Sullivan RIP – Anniv – former PP)

Sunday Oct 31 10.00am Mass (People of the Parish)

11.30am Traditional Latin Mass

Monday Nov 1 <u>6.30pm Traditional Latin Mass – All Saints</u>

Tuesday Nov 2 <u>9.30am Holy Rosary</u>

All Souls 10.00am Mass (Holy Souls)

6.30pm Traditional Latin Mass - All Souls

Wednesday Nov 3 9.00am Mass (Linda Bowen – Sick)

<u>Thursday Nov 4</u> 9.00am Mass in School - Parishioners Welcome

Memorial of St Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Friday Nov 5 <u>9.15am-9.45am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</u>

10.00am Mass (Fr J.F.Bromfield RIP – Anniv – former PP)

Saturday Nov 6

Sunday Nov 7

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32nd Sunday of the Year

11.30am Traditional Latin Mass

USUAL PROCEDURES WILL BE FOLLOWED, SANITISING, STEWARDS, ONE-WAY SYSTEM,

FACE COVERINGS TO BE WORN, SOCIAL DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES ETC.

CHURCH IS SANITISED. TOILET IS NOW OPEN BUT MUST BE SANITISED AFTER EVERY USE,

HOLY COMMUNION AT THE ALTAR RAILS IF SEATED ON LEFT GO ON LEFT, IF SEATED ON

RIGHT, GO TO RIGHT. THOSE RECEIVING ON TONGUE RECEIVE LAST.

NO STEWARDS DURING WEEK BUT USUAL GUIDELINES APPLY.

WE ARE STILL TAKING <u>MASS INTENTIONS</u> AND ALSO THE <u>ALTAR LAMPS</u> WHICH ARE LIT FOR THE WHOLE WEEK FOR INTENTIONS. YOU CAN PUT ANY MASS STIPENDS THROUGH THE PRESBYTERY LETTER BOX OR HAND TO A STEWARD TO PASS ON TO FR PAUL.

#### YOUR PARISH STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP FINANCIALLY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONSIDER SETTING UP A <u>STANDING ORDER</u>, PLEASE CONTACT CATE ON 07773 712936

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT AT THIS TIME.

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BECOMING A GIFTAIDER AT NO EXTRA COST TO YOURSELF, PLEASE CATE. THE GIFT AID IS A VALUABLE EXTRA SOURCE OF INCOME TO THE CHURCH EMAIL: ga.stmaryoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk

IF YOU ARE A GIFT AIDER AND YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE, PLEASE LET CATE KNOW SO THAT SHE CAN INFORM THE OFFICE. THANK YOU.

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE ANYTHING FROM PIETY, PLEASE ARRANGE BY CONTACTING TONY DEVENNEY 07531 461366

HOLY WATER IS NOW AVAILABLE, PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN BOTTLE OR PURCHASE ONE FROM PIETY – A STEWARD WILL FILL THE BOTTLE FOR YOU.

WE CAN NOW SING HYMNS ON SUNDAYS: BUT WITH FACE COVERINGS - YOU WILL FIND THE HYMNS ON THE BACK OF YOUR MASS READINGS, ALSO THE CREED – PLEASE TAKE THESE AWAY WITH YOU. THANK YOU.

LUCKY SQUARE - THREE CASH PRIZES OF £25, £12 AND £7.

PLEASE NOTE THE DRAW WILL BE MADE ON THE 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, SO PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL MONIES ARE PAID PRIOR TO THIS, OTHERWISE THE NUMBER WILL NOT BE INCLUDED. IF ANYONE WISHES TO JOIN THE LUCKY SQUARE, PLEASE SEE TRACEY OR ONE OF THE STEWARDS. THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH.

 $\underline{\text{COFFEE}}$  & TEAS AFTER MASS - IN THE CHURCH HALL ON SUNDAYS. STRICT SAFETY MEASURES ARE IN PLACE.

<u>TEA/COFFEE & TOAST</u> - IN THE CHURCH HALL AFTER MASS ON THURSDAY MORNINGS. ALL ARE WELCOME – EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T ATTENDED MASS.

Beware of spam emails! The Archdiocese has been made aware of spam emails coming from fraudulent impersonated Gmail accounts pretending to be from parish priests. These emails often include 'parishpastor' and the name of parish priests but they are not being sent from priests' email accounts. Proactive action has been taken by the Diocesan IT team to block such emails but they can still be generated elsewhere and infiltrate email accounts. Diocesan clergy and staff should now be using email accounts that end in @rcaob.org.uk Please be vigilant. If you are in any doubt about an email please contact your parish priest/parish office and check. Thank you

### **PARISH NEWS:**

END OF BRITISH SUMMER TIME: THE CLOCKS GO BACK 1 HOUR ON SUNDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER AT 2AM.

"NEARLY NEW SALE" – SATURDAY NOVEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup> 10AM IN PARISH HALL.

PROCEEDS TO CHURCH FUNDS. STRICT SAFETY MEASURES ARE IN PLACE.

OVER A PERIOD OF TIME, WE HAVE RECEIVED A MASSIVE AMOUNT OF

DONATIONS OF BRIC A BRAC AND CLOTHES, TO WHICH WE HAVE TO ADDRESS AS

A HEALTH & SAFETY ISSUE. THEREFORE, PLEASE DO NOT BE OFFENDED, BUT WE

WILL NOT ON THIS OCCASION BE ACCEPTING ANY FURTHER DONATIONS. ANY

HELP ON FRIDAY EVENING 5<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 6PM TO PUT OUT TABLES AND TAKE

BAGS OFF STAGE, WOULD BE APPRECIATED. ALSO ANYONE ABLE TO HELP SET UP

OR SELL ON SATURDAY MORNING 6<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER FROM 9AM.

GOING FORWARD, WE WILL AIM TO HAVE 4 JUMBLE/NEARLY NEW SALES IN A

YEAR, AND IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HOLD ON TO ITEMS FOR US, IT WOULD BE

GREATLY APPRECIATED. WE WILL PUBLISH THE DATES. THANK YOU.

JOHNSON ASSOCIATION: THERE WILL BE A RETIRING COLLECTION 6<sup>TH</sup>/7<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER FOR THE JOHNSON ASSOCIATION (FOR SICK AND RETIRED CLERGY) Be Strong and steadfast. Do not fear nor be dismayed for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go. Joshua 1:9

Please pray for the retired Diocesan Priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. These are the men who have served the Church for many years. They have been zealous and caring labourers in the Lord's harvest. Now is the time for them to abide in the Lord, while continuing to climb that spiritual mountain to the heavens. With the support of prayer and the generosity of love, may we remember fondly these men who have retired from ministry. Through our love and prayers, may they always feel that prayerful embrace of God's people towards them.

POT LUCK SUPPER: WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER AT 6.30PM IN THE HALL

## **BLESSING OF GRAVES:**

SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER AT 11AM FALLINGS HEATH CEMETERY.

NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF HOLY SOULS WHEN WE REMEMBER THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED. THERE WILL BE A BOX ON THE ALTAR AND ENVELOPES AVAILABLE FOR YOU TO PUT THE NAMES OF YOUR LOVED ONES IN THE BOX TO BE REMEMBERED AT MASSES THROUGHOUT THE MONTH. IF YOU HAVE A PARTICULAR MASS INTENTION, PLEASE HAND TO FR PAUL OR A STEWARD.

#### **GRAND CHRISTMAS RAFFLE:**

DURING ADVENT WE WILL BE RUNNING A GRAND CHRISTMAS RAFFLE, TO BE DRAWN AT CHRISTMAS. PROCEEDS FOR ST MARY'S RESTORATION FUND. ANY DONATIONS OF PRIZES GRATEFULLY RECEIVED, PLEASE SEE CATE OR TRACEY. THANK YOU.