

Please pray for those who are sick: Mary Carter, Dedee Flint, Kath Heatley, Nana Klados, Pauline Ollerenshaw, Elizabeth Lennon, Brendan Lennon, Harriet Taylor, Veronica Oswell, Tracey Cox, Suzanne Ovens, Michael Evans, Bernadette Beards, Christopher Browne, and Nigel Weston. You are welcome to add prayer intentions to the Prayer Board by the Sacred Heart statue. (Please update us if you wish to have a name removed or added to the list)

EUCCHARISTIC DEVOTION - Each Monday there will be Exposition after Mass in the Day Chapel till 8pm.

Parish Diary this week:

Monday Club – Please note there is a meeting this Monday but not on Bank Holiday. We will usually meet on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 2pm in the Hall. All welcome.

HOLIDAY CLUB RESULTS Week 23

£50 – 1090 D. Savage

£10 – 1680 A. Loach

£10 – 1671 S. Greenwood

Only two weeks to go to the Grand Draw for £1,000.

Are you fully paid up for this session?

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME

The next meeting will be for **Children and Parents** on **Monday, 21st May at 6pm in the Hall.**

UPCOMING EVENTS - Two special dates for Sacred Heart and English Martyrs and Monks Kirby.

Friday 8th June - QUIZ NIGHT IN AID OF MALAWI PROJECT

SIGN UP NOW! FUN CHARITY QUIZ

Friday 8th June at 7.30pm at Sacred Heart.

Full details on the Noticeboard.

Answer just on the tip of your tongue - we'll see!

All welcome, so tell your friends.

Sunday 1st July (afternoon) - SHARE THE JOURNEY - Draycote Water

CAFOD initiative, inspired by Pope Francis, for Catholics to walk and reflect on the plight of refugees and migrants. More details coming soon

FOODBANK ROTA is available in the narthex. Many thanks to those who support this venture. It is still very necessary in our town.

CELEBRATE BIRMINGHAM – Catholic Charismatic Family Weekend 30th June 1st July 2018 at Oscott College. Celebrate is a wonderful opportunity to share the joy of being a disciple of the Lord Jesus in an atmosphere of prayer, worship and spiritual formation. Everyone is welcome to experience this uplifting renewal in faith. Details on the noticeboard. www.celebrateconference.org

Last week's Collection: £407 (plus standing orders)

CAFOD: £14 **Catholic Communications:** £82

Thank you

ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEK

Readers: Sat: C. Turnbull, S. Barton

Sun: E. Browning, B. Davies, K. Browning

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat : D. Davies, V. York

Sun: C. Browning, S. Varghese, C. Warburton

Welcomers/Coffee: Sat: V. York

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Satellites: Half-term no liturgy

Children's Liturgy: Half-term no liturgy

Music: Sun: J. Howes

Cantor: As arranged

Offertory Counters: Team A: T. Mortimore & G. Reid

Flowers: Rosaleen Curley

Foodbank 20th May: Team 1: C. Turnbull & D. Davies

Live Simply Survey – In February 2015 before embarking on our successful push to become a live simply Parish we conducted a survey of parishioners. Our live simply assessors have advised us to re-run the survey to gauge current views. **We will be distributing the survey this weekend. Please help by filling it in and returning it to the box in the narthex.**

Live Simply Tips for May are available in the narthex. Please take a copy or view on the parish website.

CHURCH CLEANING - A big thankyou to all who have faithfully cleaned our church over the years. It has become clear that the average age of those on the rota has increased considerably and people feel less able to take on this job. We know that our young families are also often stretched and have little spare time. Therefore it has been decided to employ someone to do the basic cleaning of the hall and church on a weekly basis.