

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART, BULKINGTON AND SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI, BEDWORTH



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Sunday 26th August 2018 Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Today we have an Appeal by the Comboni Missionaries. After Mass, tea and coffee will be served in Parish Hall.

Sat 25th Aug	3.15-3.45pm 4.00pm	Exposition and Confessions. John Carr RIP (7th Anniversary) (Maureen).	Bedworth
Sun 26th	9.30am	Howard Rowe RIP (Birthday) (Rowe). Margaret & Michael Tynan RIP (Peggy).	Bulkington
	11.30am	Special Intention: Paula Kennedy (McGrory).	Bedworth
Mon 27th	7.00pm	The Rosary.	Bulkington
Tues 28th	9.30am	Service of the Word and Holy Communion.	Bulkington
Wed 29th	9.10am	Divine Mercy Chaplet.	Bedworth
	9.30am	Frank Mulligan RIP (McGrory).	
Thurs 30th	9.30am	Ailish Wright RIP (M&C & families).	Bulkington
Fri 31st	10.15am	Funeral of Aidan Walsh RIP.	Bedworth
	11.45am	Cremation at HOE Crematorium.	
Sat 1st Sept	3.15-3.45pm 4.00pm	Exposition and Confessions. Special Intention: Maggie and Eamon Hurley (Ison). Special Intention: Jordan family. Special Intention: Head family.	Bedworth
Sun 2nd	9.30am	Mary Cavanna RIP (Anniversary) (Peggy).	Bulkington
	11.30am 12.30pm	Pro Populo. Baptism: Matilda Elsie Tunnicliffe.	Bedworth

FIRST READING: Joshua 24:1-2.15-18

SECOND READING: Ephesians 5:21-32

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

GOSPEL: John 6:60-69

ANNIVERSARIES

Mgr Richard J Foster, Rev James Downey, Rev Isaac William Savin, Mgr Canon Laurence Emery, Canon Laurence Hogarty, Rev Francis Toole, Rev Brendan O'Malley, Canon Joseph Nightingale, Mgr Canon Leonard Emery, Rev J Basil Singleton, Mary McCann, Florence Preston, Joyce Stewart, Deacon David McCarroll, John Moore, Josephine McLaughlan, Harry Broadhurst, Ray McCann, Winfred Nichol, Jane Brady, Noel Coleman, Breedge Pritchard, Martin Kevin Howard.

RECENTLY DEAD

John James Reilly, Ronald Langford, Harry Anderson, Daniel Pittaway, Margaret Keane, Samuel Dixon, Aidan Walsh RIP.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

THE ROSARY is recited every Monday evening at 7.00pm in Bulkington and every Friday morning at Bedworth at 9.10am. For information regarding **BAPTISM**, please see our parish website at www.olshweston.org. **HOSPITALS** For George Eliot Hospital - Fr Matthew Pittam on 01788 833547 and if it is urgent please contact the hospital switchboard (024 7635 1351) and ask to speak to the on-call chaplain. For University Hospital, Coventry and Myton Hospice contact Fr Paul Burch who is the full time Chaplain and can be contacted on 02476 693752 or 02476 967515 or email paulburch5@hotmail.com. **MASS AT GEORGE ELIOT HOSPITAL CHAPEL** at 3.00pm on the first Monday of each month (except Bank Holidays).

RUGBY DEANERY VISITATIONS These will take place between 10th October 2018 with the Opening Meeting and then will end with a Deanery Mass on 19th March 2019. The Archbishop will be visiting Bulkington and Bedworth and St Anne's, Chapel End for a weekend in March 2019. Bishop William Kenney CP will visit the rest of the Parishes. The Consecration of Our Lady of The Sacred Heart Church 28th June 2019. (The Solemnity of The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus). Shortly I will get a small group together to plan for this. Watch this space!

FOODBANK - A FRESH APPEAL Our parish has always been a great supporter of the foodbank and been very generous in its donations. Thank you. For some reason there has been a falling off of that wonderful generosity, but the need is still there, more than ever. May I appeal once again for your help and support, it is so much appreciated. Thank you.

**PARISH PRAYER:- HOLY SPIRIT, TURN OUR GOOD INTENTIONS INTO SOMETHING REAL
AND ACTIVE AND FRUITFUL AND HELP US ENJOY THE PROCESS.**

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING AND 50/50 This year's Macmillan Coffee Morning will be held in the parish hall, Bulkington on Friday 28th September from 10 am - 12 noon. We'll also be running the 50/50 promotion which contributed to a total sum raised of £1122 last year. Each Sunday morning, beginning 26th August, tickets will be available for £1 a time, before and after the 9.30 am Mass. You can buy as many tickets as you like in the lead up to the Coffee Morning itself. Last year's winner received £285 which was 50% of the profits on the 50/50 alone. Nearer the time, we hope to ask for donations of cakes but, in the meantime, please support this good cause when you come to Mass on Sunday morning.

DATA PROTECTION If your name or the name of a friend or relative of yours is on the parish list of prayers for those who are sick (below), and you would like that name to remain on the list, would you please contact Fr Gamble. We need to make sure that you or your friend or family member has consented to their name being on that list. This is because the list can be seen by a lot of people, as it is put up on the noticeboard at the back of church, it is available for anyone to pick up in church and is also published on the internet through the parish website. In a couple of weeks' time, the list will be restarted with the names of all for whom the parish have consent. This is necessary to make sure the church takes proper care of your information and complies with current data protection law.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RELATIVES, FRIENDS, THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO ARE SICK AND THEIR CARERS - Patrick Fury, Wendy Williams, Pete Yates, Val Maund, Yvonne Robinson, Raymond Nash, Tony Pittam, Jess Scoffham, Paul Follows, Freda Dumbleton, Jane Malone, Therese Clarke, Gary

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART, BULKINGTON

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 19th August **£418.32**
Church Building Maintenance Fund **£127.16**
Thank you very much.

100 CLUB (AUGUST)

1st **99**, 2nd **04**, 3rd **44**. Why not join the 100 Club! For just 50p per week (£2 per month, paid monthly) you could win a 1st Prize of £60, a 2nd Prize of £25, or a 3rd Prize of £15. Please see Janet or Terence. Many thanks for supporting the 100 Club.

The **PIETY SHOP** will be open after weekend Masses. A large selection of gifts, cards, etc. are available.

UCM Resumes on Wednesday 5th September at 7.30pm In the Parish Hall.

OVER 50S No meetings in July or August, resumes again on Thursday 13th September with 'A Trip to Rome' with Allan Stewart.

UCM JUMBLE on Saturday 8th September at 11.00am in the Parish Hall. Jumble sale, newly new clothes, bric-a-brac and book sale. Items of clothing and bric-a-brac needed. Unfortunately we are unable to take videos and large items of furniture etc. All proceeds to Church Funds. Please contact Janet Cooper 02476 312478 or any UCM member. Thank you.

CHOIR The choir will be taking a well earned break during August. Thanks to them for their hard work and commitment every week, not just on a Sunday but rehearsals every Monday evening and other events during the year. Sung mass will resume in September although we will still have hymns each week. Readers please note, the psalm will be said during the break. *Thank you Jenny.*

READERS ROTA

Sun 26th August - F. Spicer / D. Adams
Sun 2nd September - D. Fletcher / H. Fiddy

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART DIARY

UCM Wed 5th September at 7.30pm in Parish Hall.

UCM Jumble Sales Sat 8th September and Sat 6th October at 11.00am in Parish Hall.

Over 50s Thurs 13th September 2.00-4.00pm. 'A Trip to Rome' with Allan Stewart.

Coach Trip to Salford Quays Sat 10th November leaving at 8.30am promptly.

New Years Eve Dance Mon 31st December. Music by The Blues Brothers.

First Holy Communion Sun 19th May 2019.

Confirmation Sun 7th July 2019.

Stringer, Martin Payne, (Nurse) Pat Birch, Daria Walsh, Sue Stringer, Angela French, John Mason, Edward Gallagher, Roy O'Neill-Foulger, Maria Dixon, Paula Kennedy, Sean Daly, Fiona McMahon, Bryn Williams, Bob Devenney, Margaret Smith, Christopher McDonald, Terence Howkins, Natalie Brett, Rebecca Woodward, Helen McDonald, Brendan Duffy, Sue Owen, Paul Inns, Sr Mary Veronica, David Abell, Jane Goodyear, Paul Wooding, Joan McKenna, Pat McKenna, Lily Anderson, Aileen Davies, Horace Birch, Gerry Dudgeon, Patrick Morris, Michael Vasilium, Jonty Brinkley, Jimmy Follows, Yvonne Evans, Anne-Marie Kendall, James Fitzsimons, Barbara Carr, Paul McKenna, David Shruga, Eileen Dosaley.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS The 2018/2019 RCIA programme will commence with six weekly Come and See introductory modules. These will commence at 7pm on Wednesday 12th September 2018 and, are held in The Canon Roughan Room in St Francis church, Bedworth. Each session should last no longer than an hour. The full RCIA programme will commence on Wednesday 7th November 2017 for three six week block sessions up to Easter 2019 (excluding school holidays). Contact: Father Michael on 024 76312293 or Ann McGrory on 024 76318741.

PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION AT OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART

First Holy Communion will take place on Sunday 19th May 2019 and Confirmation on Sunday 7th July 2019. It would be very helpful to know at this stage if you wish your child to be included in either of these groups. Preparation classes will begin on Friday 9th November from 4 - 5pm in Bulkington Parish Hall for all children (Year 3 and above) wishing to receive First Holy Communion and on Friday 11th January 2019 from 5 - 6pm for Confirmation (Year 6 and above). Once again we will be working closely with St Francis School in Bedworth and there will be a meeting to enrol on the programme on Wednesday 3rd October at 6pm in the school hall. If, in the meantime, you would like further information please email cogs3561@hotmail.com or phone 02476 327330.

God Bless

Fr. Michael

ST FRANCIS of ASSISI, BEDWORTH

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 19th August 2018 **£290.12**
Church Building Maintenance Fund **£152.11**
Thank you very much.

INTENTION CANDLES

Sacred Heart: Patrick Cunningham RIP
Our Lady: Patrick Cunningham RIP

100 CLUB (AUGUST)

1st **15**, 2nd **100**, 3rd **96**. Why not join our 100 Club? For just £1 per week you could win a 1st Prize of £80, a 2nd Prize of £50, or a 3rd Prize of £30. Please see Peter Oakley or Mary Smith if you would like to join.

PIETY SHOP is open after both weekend Masses. A large selection of cards, gifts etc. are available. Intention candles are available at only £3 to commemorate a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion.

ST FRANCIS BEDWORTH PARISH HALL- FEASIBILITY STUDY

Part of the Lottery grant "Grants for all" we received £10,000 to undertake a Quinquennial Report for the whole site and also undertake a Feasibility Study on the Hall that is currently not fit for Purpose. This grant will have to be used to pay for this. A steering Committee met last Tuesday with the APEC Architects who are undertaking this and we began the process, that will involve the whole parish community. Everyone will be kept fully informed as the process develops. Thank you. We wish the Staff and Pupils of Our Parish School a very happy Summer Holiday.

READERS ROTA

Sat 25th August - M. Ison / J. Richards
Sun 26th August - T. Tedds / A. McGrory

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI DIARY

RCIA programme begins on Wed 12th September at 7.00pm in CRR.