

Please pray for those who are sick: David Fletcher, Mary Carter, Heather Green, Nana Klados, Pauline Ollerenshaw, Elizabeth Lennon, Brendan Lennon, Harriet Taylor, Tracey Cox, Suzanne Ovens, Michael Evans, Bernadette Beards, Christopher Browne, and Nigel Weston. (Please update us if you wish to have a name removed or added to the list)

We pray for Dedee Flint who died last week, may she rest in peace. Funeral at St Marie's on 8th March at 1.30pm. We pray for her family and friends as they mourn.

EUCCHARISTIC DEVOTION - Each Monday Exposition after Mass in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel till 8pm.

HOLIDAY CLUB RESULTS –

Week 11

£50 – 1052 L. Mapplethorpe

£10 – 1669 D. Salvio

£10 – 1652 C. Thornton

Confirmation Programme 2019

Please sign up in the narthex for **Confirmation on 2nd June**. For Children in Year 6 and upwards. **Preparation will begin with registration after the 9.30am Mass on Sunday, 3rd March**. The first session will be on Thursday, 7th March from 6-7.30pm in the Hall. For more details contact Diane on 07951177910

FIRST RECONCILIATION will be celebrated on Saturday, 2nd March at 11 am in the church. We pray for the children and their families.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – Friday, 1st March. There will be a service at 10.30 a.m. at Bilton Methodist Church and at 7.30 p.m. at English Martyrs' Church: "Come – Everything is Ready!" Interdenominational service prepared by Christian women of Slovenia; followed by refreshments. All are welcome – men, women and young people.

UCM - The next meeting will take place on Wednesday 27th February at 1.45 in the Hall. It will be an informal gathering with the opportunity for Tea and Chat. We would welcome any parishioners and friends who would like to come along and join us for a social afternoon.

RUGBY FOOD BANK: Please support the foodbank which continues to help needy families.

Are there any musicians out there who would like to play the keyboard on a rota basis, or any other instrument on a Sunday morning? Please speak to a member of the music group for details.

LITURGY MEETING - The next meeting is on Saturday, 9th March at 10.30 am in the presbytery.

Last week's Collection: £355 (plus standing orders)

CAFOD: £2.10 **Racial Justice:** £187 Thank you

ROTAS FOR NEXT WEEK

Readers: Sat: P. Francis, A. Hunter

Sun: M. McCormick, C. Browning, S. Salvio

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat : D. Davies, V. York

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

Welcomers/Coffee: Sat: A. Cramp, Volunteer

Welcomers/Coffee: Sun: The Teeton Family

Satellites: Liz Teeton

Children's Liturgy: Vashti Southarn

Music: Sun: as arranged

Cantor: as arranged

Offertory Counters: Team F: R & K Taylor

Flowers: V. Matthews

Foodbank 24th Feb: Team 5: M. Hope & R. Curley

Playing Fair - A reminder from Rugby Justice & Peace Group that 25th February-10th March is Fairtrade Fortnight. For two weeks each year, thousands of individuals, companies and groups across the UK come together to celebrate the people who grow our food, people who live in some of the poorest countries in the world and who are often exploited and badly paid. This year The Fairtrade Foundation is focusing on the people, particularly the women, who grow the cocoa in the chocolate we love so much. Please look for the Fairtrade symbol when you shop.

CAR PARKING AROUND THE CHURCH

Our local police have been in contact about dangerous and even illegal parking around the Church at Sunday 9.30pm Mass. BEC are responsible for much of it because our service times now coincide. Please use our Car Park where possible. **And park considerately and safely in the surrounding roads.** Thanks.

ST JOSEPH'S RESIDENTIAL HOME (Father Hudson's Care) If you are looking for a residential care home for yourself or a member of your family you can arrange to come and visit St Joseph's in Coleshill, situated just 30 minutes from the centre of Birmingham, Coventry and many other local towns. If you are interested but unsure if it is the right place, you can book one or two weeks respite to help make a decision. Please contact StJosephs2@fatherhudsons.org.uk or call 01675 434500.