

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



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Sunday 27th October 2019 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)

Today we welcome Father Dan O'Malley who will make a Mission Appeal for the work of the Columban Fathers. After Mass, tea and coffee will be served in the Parish Hall. Next weekend there will be a second collection for the Johnson Association. Clocks go back 1 hour on Sunday morning 27th October. Friday 1st November is the Solemnity of All Saints and a Holy Day of Obligation. Please Note: No Mass at Bedworth on Sunday 10th November because of the Remembrance Parade.

COLUMBAN FATHERS The purpose of today's Appeal is to seek greater support for our work, principally through the readership of our Mission magazine 'The Far East', to request the prayers of the community and to commend our missionary work to their continued material support.

Sat 26th Oct	3.15-3.45pm BST 4.00pm BST	Exposition and Confessions. Helen Harvey RIP (Anniversary) (Terry).	Bedworth
Sun 27th	9.30am GMT	Alice Wilkinson RIP (Tubb).	Bulkington
	11.30am GMT	For the People.	Bedworth
Mon 28th	7.00pm	The Rosary.	Bulkington
Tues 29th	9.30am	Kevin Crowley RIP (Cullen).	Bulkington
Wed 30th	9.30am	Bernard Ison RIP (Kennedy).	Bedworth
	7.30pm	UCM meet in Parish Hall.	Bulkington
Thurs 31st	9.30am	Helen Harvey RIP (Anniversary) (Terry). Reg Thomas RIP.	Bulkington
Fri 1st Nov	9.30am	Solemnity of All Saints. Pro Populo.	Bedworth
	7.00pm	Pro Populo.	Bulkington
Sat 2nd	9.30am	Commemoration of All Souls. Holy Souls RIP.	Bulkington
	3.15-3.45pm 4.00pm	Exposition and Confessions. Kim Darragh RIP (Richards). Deceased Head and Lewis families (Eddie).	Bedworth
Sun 3rd	9.30am	Mary Anne Morris RIP (Cooper). Audrey Goode (100th Birthday) (Hilary & Rita).	Bulkington
	11.30am	Peter Yates RIP (Cilla & family). Selina Scally (Family).	Bedworth

ANNIVERSARIES

Rev John Francis McGovern, Rev Bernard Kelly, Rev John O'Dwyer, Rev Patrick O'Sullivan, Rev James Faulconer-Morgan, Rev Henry Taylor, Deacon Paul Grosvenor, Bishop John Barrett, Rev Louis Moore, Thelma March, Irene Tallis, Theodora Wall, William Alexander, Catherine Broadhurst, Eileen Basnett, Elizabeth Lakin, Kim Darragh, Kath Cashmore, Gil Sammons, Helen Harvey, Morgan Hehir, Ken Stone, Joseph Hillary, Josie Callaghan.

RECENTLY DEAD

Reg Thomas, *Raymond Plant, Danny Watkins RIP
May they rest in peace. Amen.

*Funeral of Raymond Plant takes place on Wednesday 6th November at 11.00am at St Francis of Assisi, Bedworth.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RELATIVES, FRIENDS, THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO ARE SICK AND THEIR CARERS - Janet Pittam, Bridie Guilfoyle, Sue Owen, Dale Cox, Joyce Cotterill, Jean Kimber, John Burns, Lauren Glynn, Baby Florence, Mgr Graham Wilkinson, Fr Gerry Doyle, Tina & Baby, Ann Allsop, Paul Cooper, Martin Payne, David Abell, Rebecca Woodward, Natalie Brett, Wendy and Bryn Williams, Paul Follows, Val Maund, Raymond and Nuala Nash, Tony Pittam, Jess Scoffham, Maria Dixon, Margaret Smith, Sr Mary Veronica, Jane Good-year, Paul Wooding, Joan McKenna, Pat McKenna, Horace Birch.

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 St Osburg's on 024 7622 0402.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION The Parish children who are preparing for Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation attended a Mass of Enrolment together with Y3 and Y6 children from St Francis School last Sunday in Bedworth. Our first group meetings will be on November 7th in Our Lady of the Sacred Heart parish hall 4.30 - 5.30pm for those preparing for Communion and 5.30 - 6.30pm for Confirmation. Please call 02476 327330 or email cogs3561@hotmail.com if you need further information at this stage.

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

NOVEMBER THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS Traditionally in the month of November we remember our Deceased loved ones and friends and pray especially for the Holy Souls. Envelopes will be at the back of Church to include your November Dead lists. These will be placed in a box near the Altar and will be remembered in all Masses during the month of November. Also on Saturday 3rd November (All Souls) there will be a Mass at Bulkington at 9.30am that morning to pray for the Holy Souls. Thank you.

R.C.I.A. The full RCIA programme will commence on Wednesday 6th November 2019 in the Canon Roughan Room at St Francis Church for three six week block sessions up to 11th April 2020 (Easter Vigil). The programme is aimed at adults who are interested in finding out more about the Catholic Church and understand more about their family's commitment to the Catholic faith. Anyone expressing an interest in converting to the Catholic faith should also attend this programme. Contact Fr Michael 024 7631 2293 or Ann McGrory on 024 7631 8741.

EDGE YOUTH GROUP on Friday 8th November from 6.30pm to 8.00pm at Our Lady of the Angels, Nuneaton.

SHOPPING TRIP to Cheshire Oaks or Chester on Saturday 23rd November. Coach leaves Our Lady of the Sacred Heart church at 8.30am, returning at 5.00pm. Price is £13 per person, please pay at the time of booking. Phone Rita on 024 7634 6895.

THANK YOU to YEARS 3 & 6 FOR A LOVELY Enrolment Mass last Sunday at Bedworth. To Mrs Culleton and her staff and Mrs Margaret Patrick our Parish Catechist for all their support. Remember to do

your best to come to Mass and fulfil your ministries each week.

NEW HYMN BOOKS 400 hymn books 'Celebration For Everyone' have been purchased – 200 for each parish. If parishioners would like to donate a hymn book in memory of a deceased loved one or friend, the cost will be £7. A plate in memory of the person will be placed in the front of the hymn book – e.g. John Smith. Rest in Peace. Please enclose money in an envelope and put Memorial Hymn Book and the person's name on the front. Thank you.

KENELM YOUTH TRUST Winter Wonderland Ball at The Belfry, Sutton Coldfield on Saturday 16th November from 7.00pm - 1.00am. Four course meal, wine, live music, auction of prizes, awards to be presented. £45 per person. For more information and to book contact karen.goodley@kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk.

CANDLELIGHTING CEREMONY for those who have died in our parishes during the past year takes place in Bulkington on Wednesday 13th November and at Bedworth on Thursday 14th November.

SCHOOL NEWS - Christmas Photos Fundraising. A professional photographer will be taking bookings for a photo shoot on Saturday 9th November 2019. The photographer will take photos of individuals or family groups. Proofs will be made available and photos can be ordered in time for Christmas. Photos always make lovely gifts. School will receive 10% of all sales which will greatly help our fundraising! If you would like to book an appointment, please contact Mrs McClland at St Francis Catholic Academy 024 7631 5279.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES Thank you to all those who have continued to give items for this year's Christmas Shoe box appeal or who have made financial donations towards transport costs. We have 2 more packing days before the boxes are loaded onto trucks in Mid November for transportation and delivery just before Christmas. We will be packing 300 boxes for older boys and then the same amount for boys and girls age 3 - 5 years. If you have anything suitable - toiletries, stationery, small packets of sweets, small toys and games or new socks and underwear please leave them, clearly marked 'Christmas Shoe boxes', at the back of either church.

WORKS AT BEDWORTH Just to keep you informed. The Plaster that had fallen down in the church at St Francis has now been repaired. Advice and quotes are currently being obtained for the damp on both sides of the Church as well as work on the Cellar pump and the Old well behind the church. This will be a big project but hopefully will be underway soon.

Fr Michael would like to Thank you all for you kind wishes, Cards, Mass Cards and Gifts received on his Birthday (Thursday 24th October). Your kindness is very much appreciated especially this year.

God Bless

Fr. Michael

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART, BULKINGTON

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 20th October 2019 **£334.43**

Propagation of the Faith **£99.45**

Thank you very much.

100 CLUB (OCTOBER)

1st **10**, 2nd **20**, 3rd **07**. 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 **Christmas** gifts, cards, etc. are available.

APF RED BOXES The total collected for the September quarter is £578.75 with some boxes outstanding. Any monies received after this notice will be added to the December quarter total. Many thanks to promoters Mesdames: Andrews, Beddows, Fletcher, Langham, Lennon, Liddle, Waddoups and Waring; and to Messieurs: Alexander, Neale and Ryan for all their hard work and to individual boxholders who have made this total possible.

MENS CARD NIGHT It is proposed to organise a Men's Card night in the Parish Hall on a monthly basis. If any of you men are interested in joining this group, please see Graham Alexander or call him on 024 7634 6243. All are welcome.

UCM JUMBLE SALE Many thanks to all who gave, helped and supported our recent Jumble Sale, which raised £325.00 for church funds.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR Saturday 7th December, 11.00am - 3.00pm. Lists are now on the Church notice board, articles needed for the stalls, please pass them to person running the stall. Prizes needed for Grand Draw and help is needed in the kitchen,

READERS ROTA

Sun 27th October - D. Fletcher / H. Fiddy

Fri 1st November - L. Grindal / P Connearn

Sun 3rd November - B. Neale / C. Langham

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART DIARY

Over 50s Thurs 14th November, 2pm-4pm in Parish Hall. Tony's Quiz.

Shopping Trip to Cheshire Oaks Sat 23rd November. Phone Rita 024 7634 6895.

Christmas Bazaar Sat 7th December 11am-3pm in Parish Hall.

New Years Eve celebrations on Tuesday 31st December. A welcome return of the Blues Brothers. Bring your own food and drink. Tickets £10. Contact Eileen Clarke 024 7631 1650 or 0785 3899630.

First Holy Communion Sunday 17th May 2020 at 9.30am.

Confirmation Sunday 14th June 2020 at 9.30am.

ST FRANCIS of ASSISI, BEDWORTH

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 20th October 2019 **£332.83**

Propagation of the Faith **£207.03**

Thank you very much.

INTENTION CANDLES

Sacred Heart: James Cameron.

Our Lady: Kim Darragh RIP.

100 CLUB (OCTOBER)

1st **21**, 2nd **30**, 3rd **5**. 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 **Christmas** cards, gifts etc. are available. Intention candles are available at only £3 to commemorate a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion.

CHOIR members are needed to join and sing please.

READERS ROTA

Sat 26th October - M. Brennan / R. Mockford

Sun 27th October - M. Jones / Sister Mary Jane

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI DIARY

Play and Stay Group every Thursday at 10.00am in Parish Hall (except holidays).