

+ English Martyrs Catholic Parish, Hillmorton +

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Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C – 10th November 2019

Mass Times and Intentions at English Martyrs

Sat:	Nov	09 th	MP	6.30 pm	Ronald Youson RIP (CY)
Sun:	Nov	10 th	GM	11.30 am	Alfred Giddings RIP (CY)
Tues:	Nov	12 th	GM	9.30 am	In thanksgiving
Thurs:	Nov	14 th	GM	9.15 am	People of the Parish
Sat:	Nov	16 th	MP	6.30 pm	People of the Parish
Sun:	Nov	17 th	MP	11.00 am	Margaret Reid RIP (G&L Reid)

Confessions: Saturday 6.00-6.20 pm.

Last week's Collection: £337 **Johnson Fund:** £136 Thankyou

Next weekend: Survive Miva will be making an appeal at both Masses. There will be a Retiring Collection to help provide transport for the missionary church's work.

WINTER SHELTER: At Masses this weekend Kieran Murray will speak about the Winter Shelter and will seek our support for this annual effort to help the homeless and needy in the coldest period of the year.

THIS WEEKEND: We observe today as Remembrance Day for those killed in war is like an extension of All Souls Day, very much within the context of the Catholic keeping of November. There is always a slight tension in Christian celebrations involving the military, between gratitude and acknowledgement of the sacrifice of brave people to whom we owe our present freedom, and distaste for war in general as in seeming contradiction to the Gospel. This tension will never disappear and we must not try to ignore it. On this annual celebration, we can remember not only the heroic dead, but the disastrous drift into appalling conflicts, caused by mutual hostility and the inability to back down in the face of perceived insults.

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS: The EM Children's Liturgy Group are hoping to put together hampers of treats for Rugby needy families. Please donate items such as tea, coffee, hot chocolate, biscuits, chocolate, sweets - any treat type items in support of this venture. Anything you can give will be gratefully received. More info Bernadette on 07770472663. Thanks.

PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENTS: **First Communion:** The registration session for Parents and children will be on **Monday, 9th December** at 6pm in the Sacred Heart Hall. The session will last one hour. Children please bring your pencil cases with you. **The date for First Communion is Sunday, 14th June 2020 at 9.30 am Mass.** **Confirmation** will be celebrated on **Sunday, 3rd May at the 9.30 am Mass.** The registration session for Parents and candidates will be on **Thursday, 16th January 6-7 pm in the Sacred Heart Hall.** It is important that you attend these sessions. Contact: 07951177910

