

+ English Martyrs Catholic Parish, Hillmorton +

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Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C – 17th November 2019

Mass Times and Intentions at English Martyrs

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)
Tues:	Nov	19 th		9.30 am	No Mass
Thurs:	Nov	21 st	MP	9.15 am	Ints of English Martyrs School
Sat:	Nov	23 rd	MP	6.30 pm	People of the Parish
Sun:	Nov	24 th	GM	11.00 am	Sarah Reynolds RIP

Confessions: Saturday 6.00-6.20 pm. Last week's Collection: £279 Thankyou

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENT; Children from our school will be enrolled as candidates for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion at Sunday morning Mass. Please pray for them for their families and teachers as they begin their important journey of preparation.

This weekend: Survive Miva, a Catholic lay Association providing funding for essential transport for health outreach work in isolated rural areas and for the Church's Pastoral care in places of difficult access. will be making an appeal at both Masses. There will be a Retiring Collection for this important work.

Next weekend is Youth Sunday and there will be a collection for the Diocesan Youth Service.

Introduction to the Liturgy: Today we will hear of horrifying signs that may portend the end of the world: earthquakes and famines, wars and persecutions. Even though these warnings were given two thousand years ago or more and the world has not yet ended, they can still spur us to action now, when climate change and other world events can make them seem less than theoretical. What can we do?

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS: The EM Children's Liturgy Group are hoping to put together hampers of treats for Rugby needy families. Anything you can give will be gratefully received. More info Bernadette on 07770472663. Thanks.

PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENTS: First Communion: registration session for Parents and children **Monday, 9th December** at 6pm in the Sacred Heart Hall. The session will last one hour. Children please bring your pencil cases with you. **First Communion Sunday is 14th June 2020 at 9.30 am Mass.**

Confirmation Sunday, 3rd May at the 9.30 am Mass at Sacred Heart. Registration session for Parents and candidates on **Thursday, 16th January 6-7 pm in the Sacred Heart Hall.** It is important that you attend these sessions. Contact: 07951177910

ENGLISH MARTYRS SCHOOL AND PARISH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR Saturday 30th November 12-2.30. An important joint School and Parish Fundraiser. Please support by taking, selling and buying Raffle tickets. Items and donations for the stalls welcome, bottles, cakes, quality toys and books etc. If you can help in any way contact Bernadette 07770472663. All welcome. Do come and support this event.

