

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



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Sunday 2nd June 2019 Seventh Sunday of Easter (C)

Today there will be a second collection for Catholic Communications. After Mass, tea and coffee will be served in Parish Hall.

Sat 1st June	3.15-3.45pm 4.00pm	Exposition and Confessions. Bernard Ison RIP (Jan).	Bedworth
Sun 2nd	9.30am	Paddy Rattigan RIP (Fallon). Baptism during Mass of Archie Philip Jackson.	Bulkington
	11.30am	Pro Populo.	Bedworth
Mon 3rd		No Rosary this week.	Bulkington
Tues 4th		No Mass	
	6.00pm	Sacramental Meeting for all Confirmation children in both parishes.	St Francis School
Wed 5th		No Mass	
Thurs 6th		No Mass	
Fri 7th		No Mass	
	5.00pm	Sacramental Preparation for Confirmation in Parish Hall.	Bulkington
Sat 8th	3.15-3.45pm 4.00pm	Exposition and Confessions. Monica Cole RIP.	Bedworth
Sun 9th	9.30am	Peter Abell RIP (Anniversary) (Sheila). Dominic Dolan RIP (Anniversary) (Jane)	Bulkington
	11.30am	Sister Anna O'Connor (Golden Jubilee) (Sr Bridget).	Bedworth

ANNIVERSARIES

Rev John Avery Lane, Rev Benedict Tarbuck, Rev John Crean, Canon Harry Bouchier, Rev Peter Gallagher, Jamie Patrick Keely-O'Leary, Derek Wyatt, Terence Mayne, Maria McCormack, Kathleen Seary, Philomena Haddon, John McCarroll, Jean Elkington, Peggy Birchall, Mary Barker, John Batty, Mike Stanley, Dominic Dolan, Ian Miller, Carmel Finta, Peter Abell, Mary Bird.

RECENTLY DEAD

*Joan Singleton RIP.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

*The Funeral of Joan Singleton RIP takes place on Friday 14th June at 1.30pm.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR RELATIVES, FRIENDS, THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO ARE SICK AND THEIR CARERS - Reg Thomas, Jean Kimber, John Burns, Lauren Glynn, Baby Florence Tina, 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, Christopher McDonald, Sr Mary Veronica, Jane Goodyear, 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 Fr Paul Burch who is the full time Chaplain and can be contacted on 02476 693752 or 02476 967515 or email paulburch5@hotmail.com.

RESTORED LIVES - recovery from divorce and separation. Familias is delighted to offer 3 workshops to equip individuals and teams to run the Restored Lives course in their parishes. Thursday 6th June Hallam Pastoral Centre, St Charles St., Sheffield Tel: 0114 2566407, Thursday 20th June Vaughan House 46 Francis St., London Tel: 020 7798 9363, Tuesday 2nd July Maryvale Institute, Maryvale House Old Oscott Rd., Birmingham Tel: 0121 360 8118 Ext 166. Workshops run from 10.00am to 4.00pm, Coffee at 9.45am and a sandwich lunch provided. Cost is £35 per person, booking is essential via email fammflew@gmail.com.

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

GIFT AID Gift Aid donors are requested to update our parish Gift Aid Organisers (Penny Harding on 07445 336573 (Bedworth) or Aileen Andrews 024 7638 5344 or Margaret Preedy 024 7635 4557 (Bulkington)) with any changes to their address or tax situation so that accurate records may be kept.

DEAR PARISHIONERS, Just to keep you informed:

Works taken place at Bedworth

There is a water leak underground somewhere on the presbytery side. This is causing the pressure to go down. We are still investigating this. Also we are still awaiting quotes for the damp work to be done in both sides of the church. Once this is done we will buy new carpet for the church and redecorate.

Works at Bulkington Update

I am very pleased to say that the re-wiring and lighting in the church has now been completed. There may be some final adjustments on the directions some of the spotlights are facing The decoration is also complete. Everything looks so bright and clean. The decorator Andy has been meticulous in his work. The new carpet will be laid during this next week, then the Consecration crosses and sconces and new Baptismal Font will be put in place ready for the Consecration/Dedication of the Church on Friday 28th June at 7.00pm when the Archbishop and guests will join us for 150th Anniversary of the Church and this important Ceremony of Dedication. This will be a Celebration for both parishes to enjoy on this momentous occasion in the history of the parish. Their will be a buffet afterwards and it would be very helpful to have an idea of the numbers for catering purposes. There is nothing worse than to see wasted food etc. If you are able to join us please could you sign up on the sheet at the back of church if you will be coming along. Any donations or Dedications to the work in Church would be gratefully received. The new facilities benefit everyone so please treat them with respect and care as if they were in your own home. Thank you to those parishioners who have worked so hard with sorting out the church and Hall while work has been going on. These things don't just happen and I am very grateful for their help at this time. Thank you. *Fr Michael.*

SENIOR LEADERSHIP IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS Vacancies for Senior Leadership roles within Catholic Schools are advertised on the BDES (Birmingham Diocesan Education Service) <http://www.bdes.org.uk/vacancies.html>.

WORLD YOUTH DAY AT HOME is a weekend festival for 15-30s, featuring acclaimed musician Matt Maher and many more, bringing the festivities of WYD in Panama to your doorstep! It's from 7th-9th June at Alton Castle. Tickets for the weekend start from just £65 incl. coach transport. The parish is keen to support delegates from the parish to attend this event. Please speak to Father or

emailstephen.harris@kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk to find out more.

A WEEKEND OF DISCOVERY Enrich your marriage with a non-residential Marriage Encounter weekend at St Mary's on the Hill, Wednesbury on 29th/30th June. For more information visit our website www.wme.org.uk or contact Phil and Rita Jackson on 0121 244 7762.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOXES Thank you to everyone who is continuing to support this year's Christmas Shoe Box appeal. We have already had a number of workshops to prepare pencil cases and other items in readiness for packing of the shoe boxes, which will start at the beginning of July. We always make good use of whatever is donated but, at the moment, we are particularly short of soap, toothpaste and brushes, hair accessories, small cars and other small toys for boys and pencil cases of any shape and size, empty or full. Please leave any donations at the back of either church, clearly marked 'Christmas Shoe Boxes'.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE I have been asked to lead a Pilgrimage to Knock from 15th-19th September 2019. Staying at Knock House, Flights from Birmingham, Meals and trips etc. All inclusive. Myself and the sisters will be going and I would like to open it up to the Parish if anyone wishes to join. *Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 14th September 2019. £599.00 pp sharing. Price includes flight with 10kg hand luggage, from BIRMINGHAM, Manchester or Liverpool, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment/guided tours included. WCHR rooms on request. Single room supp £100. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.*

DEAN His Grace Archbishop Bernard Longley has reappointed me as Dean of the Rugby Deanery for the next 5 years 2019-2024.

UCM On Wednesday last I celebrated along with Sister Lisa Therese this important milestone with the UCM of our Parish. This group of ladies throughout the 55 years since their foundation have supported the parish and the Parish Priests in various ways whatever was needed in Parish life. They have also been there to support each other in sharing the joys and sorrows of life. I would like to thank them all for all their love and support shown to me, the parish and beyond for all they have done and continue to do in the service of us all. May God continue to bless you for many years to come! *Fr Michael.*

God Bless

Fr. Michael

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OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 26th May 2019 **£378.22**

Maintenance Fund **£164.52**

Thank you very much.

100 CLUB (MAY)

1st **18**, 2nd **3**, 3rd **6**. 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.

FOOD BANK Thank you for your continued support of the Food Bank. The last delivery was a magnificent 88 pounds! Sad to say, however, the need is not diminishing but growing. The warehouse last month distributed 1.88 tons more than it collected. Dire times. Thank you all for doing your bit to feed the hungry.

READERS ROTA

Sun 2nd June - S. Robinson / K. Alexander

Sun 9th June - Tricia & Keith Lawlor

OUR LADY OF THE SACRED HEART DIARY

Dedication / 150th Anniversary of the church with the Archbishop Fri 28th June 7.00pm.
Confirmation Sun 7th July at 9.30am.

Evening for Eucharistic Ministers Tues 9th July 7.00-9.00pm at Our Lady of the Angels, Nuneaton

Over 50s Thurs 11th July. AGM and Strawberry Tea. Note change of date due to work taking place in Parish Hall.

ST FRANCIS of ASSISI, BEDWORTH

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

For Sunday 26th May 2019 **£341.23**

Maintenance Fund **£132.27**

Thank you very much.

100 CLUB (MAY)

1st **91**, 2nd **50**, 3rd **43**. 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.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY Volunteers are needed to assist with the Children's Liturgy. If you can help, please contact Maureen Brennan.

READERS ROTA

Sat 1st June - C. Thompson / M. Brennan

Sun 2nd June - J. Wooding / F. Sweet

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI DIARY

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

Confirmation Tue 11th June at 7.00pm.