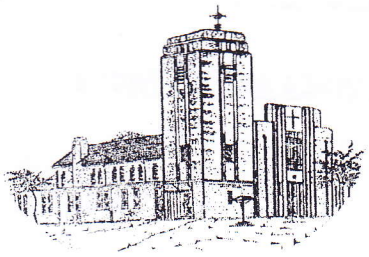

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Parish in the care of the Fathers and Brothers of The Sacred Heart of Jesus (Betharram)

Welcome to this House of God–**Talk** to God before Mass
Listen to God during Mass–**Talk** to others after Mass

17TH SUNDAY OF YEAR "B"

28TH JULY TO 5TH AUGUST

2018

MASS ATTENDANCE & OFFERTORY:

Loose Money	£473.72
Gift Aid Envelopes	£323.60
Parish Levies	£215.05

Thank you

Mass Attendance:359

RETIRING COLLECTION:
This week: Parish Levies
Next week: Parish Levies

OUR PARISH DEVELOPMENT AND FUNDING:
Thank You to those who organised and supported the Cake Sale after the 10.30 Mass last Sunday, we raised £126.53 for Our Parish Building Fund.

SAFEGUARDING IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMIGHAM: SCIE REVIEW.
Bishop Bernard has commissioned a review of our current safeguarding /child protection practices in light of the National Catholic Policies and Procedures. This review is to be welcomed as a means of ensuring that our systems to protect our children and young people are as effective as possible. This review is being conducted by an independent charity called SCIE (Social Care Institute for Excellence). As part of the rewiew, SCIE would like to speak with any individuals who have had experience with any safeguarding issues within the Archidiocese, and have experience of working with our parish safegurding representatives and the safeguarding team at the Archdiocese. Anyone who is impacted by abuse issues can contact the safeguarding team on 0121 230 6240 (emergency out of hours 07976 516629). If you are able to contribute to this important review and share your experiences with SCIE then please contact Hugh Constant (Hugh.Constant@scie.org.uk or 020 7766 7374 or 07872 602207.

HOLY NAME KEEP-FIT GROUP:
Is closed Tuesday 31st July and Tuesday 7th August.
Re-open Tuesday 14th August.

THE LOVE AND GENEROSITY OF JESUS

The Gospel tells of the miracle of the feeding of the five thousand and is the only miracle recorded by all the Evangelists. The start of this miracle is that the little boy is willing to share the food he has brought and gives it willingly to Jesus. The Holy Spirit wants to open up our minds and hearts to enable us to glimpse and understand that Jesus is the 'bread of life' who gives us his body and blood to feed upon. This Eucharist is food both for this life and the life to come. And just as we nourish and feed our bodies, so too we must nourish and feed our souls with the Eucharist. If we do not feed our bodies, they become malnourished and we suffer, likewise if we do not feed our souls they too become malnourished and suffer. This miracle shows how loving, caring and generous Jesus is. All we are called to do is put our trust in Jesus, following his commandments by giving praise and thanksgiving to God for all his blessings and looking after our neighbour as ourselves. In the reading from the second book of Kings, we are told of Elisha (who was Elijah's successor in about the ninth century before Christ) following the word of the Lord and sharing his great faith. The Lord through his hands shows once again, love and generosity to provide not only sufficient for the people's need but is so bounteous that the amount produced is more than required. The messages from these events is clear, God will always provide for us – 'Ask and you shall receive'. This is the message we should take to our neighbours and show them the same love and generosity. God is sharing his love with us so that we will – hopefully – show the same to our brothers and sisters whom we find in need.

DEACON TERRY

Priest in Charge
Fr. Alessandro Locatelli, SCJ

Parish Deacon
Rev Terry Charles (Retired)

Superior of the SCJ Community
Bro Andrew, SCJ

Parish Brother
Bro John, SCJ

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Angela Richards
Payal Gordhan

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Mr A Neenan
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Mr S Murphy
0121 357 9892

Stuart Bathurst
Mr J Harris
0121 556 1488

Marist Convent
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OUR PARISH 80TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS:

We look forward very much to welcoming Archbishop Bernard to Our Parish Community to celebrate the evening Mass of Thanksgiving on the evening of Friday 21 September; followed refreshments in the Parish Centre. There will be a Shared Parish Lunch on Sunday 23 September, more details to follow in early September. If you have photographs and that we could place on a display to celebrate the history of Our Parish Community, please contact the Parish Office.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION:
Takes place every week at the Marist Convent on Wednesday at 2:00pm and Thursday at 7:30pm All are welcome.

PIETY STALL:
Open this weekend after all Masses. Cards for all occasions and gifts on sale.

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PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS:

Alison Alder, Pauline Brady Mya Brown, Father Burke, Baby Grace, Barbara Holman, Christine O'Callaghan, Geoff Bullock, Anna Burke, Joan Cannon, Audrey Clewlow, Jackie Conway, Bill Corley, Hugh Creegan, Oliver Crocock, Rose Delacruz, Kate Dudley John Dudley, Tom and Molly Falvey, Millicent Finn Catherine Freeman, Christine Baines, Terry Barker, Tomas Godwin, Teresa Goddard, Arthur Harding, Helena Davenport, Bridie Hastings, Anne Haycock, Father Anthony Haycock, Peter Hayward, Leah Hobson, Barbara Holman, Bridie and Bryn Howells, Arabella Kennedy-Hughes, Stephen Hurley, Maurice Hughes, Monica Humphreys, Peggy Jacob, Elizabeth Ibbotson, Anne Jennings, Harold Johnson, Nancy Johnson, Anna Kennedy, Patricia Lacey, Tony Liddell, Helen Lloyd, Linda Lowe, Mary Lynch, Caroline Mackay, Vijay Mandania, Mary O'Grady, Adam Ostrowski, Jane Paterson, Sandra Pearson, Joan Rawlings, Bridie Revill, Sheila Shearon, John Sippits, Marion Vickers.

LATELY DEAD:

Please remember in your prayers Kathleen Teresa Bourke and all those who have died recently. May they rest in peace.

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS:

For Kathleen Teresa Bourke
Requiem Mass Monday 30th July 2018
At 11:00am here in Church followed by Burial at 12:15pm at Heath Lane Cemetery.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember in your prayers Hugh McCann, Kevin Sexton, Bill O'Brien, James Byrne, Michael Foley, Jessie O'Reilly, Patrick Lenehan, Elizabeth Grealish, Bernard Donaghey and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time. May they rest in peace.

THE CURSILO COMMUNITY:

The word Cursillo is Spanish, meaning a short course. The Cursillo Community is Worldwide, people come together to share a short course in the faith we together share in the Lord Jesus. There is a Cursillo Community within the Archdiocese of Birmingham (and in a few other Dioceses in England), we have a small group within Our Parish, we would both to grow and develop, watch this space over the next few weeks!

PARISH SCOUT GROUP:

Annual Summer Camp is taking in Cannock Chase from Saturday 28 July to Saturday 4 August. Please hold them in your thoughts and prayers.

Coffee in the Centre after 10.30 am Mass on Sunday.

This week- Scouts (Ann Marie)

Next Week- Friends of St Mark's (Payal and Group)

OUR PARISH CENTRE:
PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR PARISH CENTRE

Sunday Bingo this week.

For bookings contact Jackie Mooney: 0745 552 6003

www.holynameparishcentre.wix.com/event

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2018:

The takes place in Liverpool from Friday 7 to Sunday 9 September, please do take a Prayer Card from the porch as you leave Mass today. The Walsall Deanery in preparation for the Congress is holding several Holy Hours: Thursday 23 August, St Joseph's Darlaston, 7.30pm, Thursday 30 August, St Peter's, Bloxwich, 7.30pm, Thursday 6 September, St Mary the Mount, Walsall, 7.30 (Mass at 7pm). The concluding Holy Hour (after the Congress) will take place here at Holy Name on Thursday 13 September, 7.30pm.

BIRMINGHAM CATHOLIC CHARISSMATIC RENEWAL CONFRENCE:

The Annual Conference takes place from Monday 6th to Friday 10th August. For more information please take a leaflet from the table in the Porch or speak with Br Andrew.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMIGHAM & MARYVALE INSTITUTE JOB VACANCY:

Head of Parish Catechetics and Administrative Assistant. For more details Please see the Poster on the Church Notice Board.

GREAT BARR FOODBANK:

Thank you for your continued support and donations of food, the Foodbank continues to support those within the area needing food each week.

MASSES AND SERVICES:

SATURDAY 28TH JULY:
10:00am-Mary Harbutt RIP
12:30pm-Intentions for Joe and Gusia

SUNDAY 29TH JULY:
8:30am – For the Parish
10:30am –Intentions for Lawrence Coogan

MONDAY 30TH JULY:
11:00am- Requiem Mass for Kathleen Teresa Bourke

TUESDAY 31ST JULY MASS IN CHURCH:
9:15am- Ramola Manocha (ill)

WEDNESDAY 1ST AUGUST:
11:00am- Rosary
11:30am-John Hayward RIP

THURSDAY 2ND AUGUST MASS IN CHURCH:
9:15am- Ray Pearson RIP

FRIDAY 3RD AUGUST:
11:00am- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
11:30am-Mary Wheeler RIP

SATURDAY 4TH AUGUST:
10:00am-Sr Mazarello
10:30am- 12:00pm- Confessions
12:30pm- For the Parish

SUNDAY 5TH AUGUST:
8:30am –Intentions for McNamara Family
10:30am –Intentions for Mary O'Grady

SACRED HEART FATHERS AND BROTHERS COMMUNITY NEWS:

Thank You for attending Feast Day Mass for Our Lady of Betharram, we ask for her continued intercession for Our Parish Community. Brother Andrew will be making a Mission Appeal over the weekend on behalf of the Sacred Heart Fathers and Brothers in the Parish of St Peter and All Souls, Peterborough. Please hold him in your thoughts and prayers. Brother John is away on holiday for the next couple of weeks. We hold him in our thoughts and prayers.

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