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



**THIRTY THIRD
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

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**16th November - 24th
November 2019**

**Welcome to this House
of God:**

**Talk to God before Mass
Listen to God during Mass
Talk to others after Mass**

**Today's Mass
Readings
Malachi 3:19-20;
Ps 97;
2 Thessalonians
3:7-12;
Luke 21: 5-19**

THE LORD WILL COME TO RULE HIS PEOPLE WITH FAIRNESS

Jesus warned the people of his Second coming, they were to look beyond the wars and natural disasters to something of far greater importance. Our world is no different to Jesus' world, his words to the people in the scriptures are also his words for us today. These things will continue to happen. But these things are temporal; they are not eternal, and they are not the last word about human existence. Jesus is coming again to bring the world to its end and to establish his everlasting kingdom. Every time we recite the creed, we proclaim our faith in the return of Jesus; he will come to judge the living and the dead. We pray for this, long for it and we must do all we can to prepare ourselves for it. Do not be afraid, just have hope for the everlasting life ahead. 'Lord, help us to realise that it is in the way we live our daily lives, we are preparing for the day of the Lord, and when that day comes may we be ready to praise our King'.

DEACON TERRY

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

The annual Christmas Fayre will take place on Saturday 30th November after 12:30pm Mass in the Parish Centre. Please make a note in your diary. We welcome parishioners to support this important social and fund raising event in the Parish. All are very welcome. Your donations will now be appreciated. We are in need of toys, books, bottles and fancy Goods. These can be left in the Church Porch before any Mass or in the Parish Office. **No jumble please!** Fr Vincent SCJ.

JOB VACANCY

This vacancy is for a part time Domestic Assistant at St Paul's Convent, Selly Park. The closing date for applications is 6th December. For more details, please see the poster in the Church noticeboard.

**SACRED HEART
COMMUNITY**

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0121 357 6341

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Bernadette Cook

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Mary Arulandhu, Ossie Bishop, Audrey Clewlow, Catherine Freeman, Teresa Goddard, Arthur Harding, Maurice Hughes, Stephen Hurley, Bridget Green, Bryn and Bridie Howells, Elizabeth Ibbotson, Haydee Stanton, Anna Kennedy, Harold Johnson, Linda Lowe, Sr Annie Enright, Sandra Pearson, Anne Jennings, Janet Chamberlain, Margaret Jacob, Millicent Finn, Kevin O'Neill, Kala Kanji, Grace Sharron, Rose Bohan, Joan Rawlings, Sheila Shearon and Bridget Whitfield.

RECENT DEAD AND ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember all those who have died recently. We also remember Bernadette Sullivan, William O'Flaherty, Agnus O'Sullivan, Delia Shaughnessy, John Conway, Florence Wadley, Alison Cross, Julia Szuman, Una Green, Ned Callaghan, Patrick Kilcullen, Mary Greaves, Monica Humphreys, Joe Henderson and Rita Glassup. and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

ANNUAL DINNER IN AID OF ST MARY'S HOSPICE

The Knights of St Columba annual Buffet Dinner in aid of St Mary's Hospice will take place at Holy Name Parish Centre on Saturday 30th November from 8.00pm. The music is provided by the Hurling Boys. Tickets, £7 each, are available from any member of the Knights of St Columba.

NOVEMBER- MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

During this month we are asked to pray for the souls of the faithful departed. If you wish to remember family and friends in a special way, please write their names and put them in the Holy Souls envelopes available in the Church porch, and place them in the box provided. This box will be brought to the Altar with the Offertory Procession. Please do not put money in these envelopes but if you wish to offer a special Mass for them please use request for Mass Intention envelopes which are available in the Church

FOOD BANK - CHRISTMAS

If you are planning to donate some extra seasonal items for the food bank, please can you bring them as soon as possible so that they are ready to be given out before Christmas. Thank you.

<p style="text-align: center;">This Week 16th November – 24th November (Psalter Week 1)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Holy Mass & Services</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Other Events</p>
<p>Saturday 16th November Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10:00am Deceased Members of the Enright Family 10:30am –12pm Confessions 12:30pm Warren & Bernadette Espinosa</p>	
<p>Sunday 17th November THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Retiring Collection for Parish Building Fund</p>	<p>8:30am People of the Parish 10:30am Teresa Vurlan RIP</p>	<p>Coffee & Tea in the Parish Centre after 10:30am Mass. (Margaret Brennan) 8.00pm-9:30pm Bingo in the Parish Centre.</p>
<p>Monday 18th November Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>11:00am Divine Mercy 11:30am James Brogan RIP</p>	<p>7:30pm Journey in Faith</p>
<p>Tuesday 19th November Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>9:15am (HNS) Mass in Church - Bridie Revill RIP</p>	
<p>Wednesday 20th November Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>11:00am Rosary 11:30am Mary Greaves RIP</p>	
<p>Thursday 21st November Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</p>	<p>9:15am - Mass at St. Marks School – Kitty Keane</p>	
<p>Friday 22nd November Memorial of St Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr</p>	<p>11:00am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 11:30am Deceased Members of the Brady Family</p>	
<p>Saturday 23rd November Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10:00am Larry Ryan 10:30am –12pm Confessions 12:30pm Ann Cosgrove</p>	
<p>Sunday 24th November SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE Retiring Collection for Catholic Youth Service</p>	<p>8:30am Bridie Revill RIP 10:30am Philip Harkin RIP 10:30am Mass will be led by St Mark’s School.</p>	<p>Coffee & Tea in the Parish Centre after 10:30am Mass. Marie & Carmel 8.00pm-9:30pm Bingo in the Parish Centre.</p>

Loose Money:**£ 476.70****Gift Aid Envelopes:****£ 356.33****Church
Maintenance:****£ 295.86****Mass Attendance****Last Sunday: 409****Thank you for
supporting your
Parish.****THANK YOU**

Thank you to Marie
and Carmel for the
altar flowers
donated this
weekend in
memory of Delia
and Patrick
Shaughnessy.

**OUR PARISH
CENTRE**

We need your
support. For
bookings contact
Jackie Mooney on
0745 552 6003
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tre.wix.com/
event

**Next Sunday's Mass
Readings:****2 Samuel 5: 1-3;****Ps 121;****Colossians 1: 12-20;****Luke 23: 35-43****JOURNEY IN FAITH**

Our theme this week is **the Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation**. These sessions are open to everyone so if you are enquiring about the faith or are a "cradle Catholic" there is something here for you.

PIETY STALL

The Piety Stall will be open this weekend and on the weekend 23rd & 24th after each Mass. Christmas Cards, Calendars etc will be on sale.

GOING INTO HOSPITAL

Please do let the parish priest know if you are going into hospital. Furthermore, it is essential that you ask for the Catholic chaplain when in hospital. Chaplains are no longer automatically given the names of Catholic patients. Many health care providers (e.g. Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Mental health Units) allocate resources for chaplaincy in line with how many requests are made, so you are actually doing the Church a favour by requesting the chaplaincy and the Sacraments whilst in hospital.

ST MARK'S SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE

This takes place on Friday 6th December after school from 3:30pm. All are welcome to come and support the school.

SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

You are warmly invited to our Senior Citizens party to be held in the Parish Centre on Saturday 7th December 2019. Please take the letter with you from the Church Porch after Mass and fill in the pro-forma below and return to the Parish Office by November 30th 2019.

READERS ROTA

Please collect your new Readers Rota from the Church Porch as you leave Mass today. If anybody would like to read the Scripture for Sunday Masses, please speak to Fr. Vincent SCJ. Thank you.

SPECIAL NEEDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

This party will take place on Saturday 14th December after 12.30pm Mass. If you know of anyone who would like an invitation please contact Jackie Mooney on 0745 552 6003.