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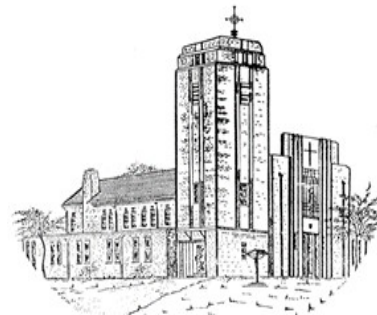
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Parish in the care of the Fathers and
Brothers of The Sacred Heart of Jesus



**EIGHTEENTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

YEAR B

**31st July to 8th August
2021**

**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

Exodus 16:2-4,

12-15; Ps 77;

Ephesians

4:17, 20-24;

John 6:24-35

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

As you all know, the Government has removed the Covid 19 restrictions in line with their roadmap to normality. In response to this, the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has prepared guidance for all the Dioceses.

At this stage, it is important to remember that although legislation is being relaxed, we continue to have a duty of care for all who use our church for Worship, the Sacraments and other Liturgical Services.

In order to safeguard the health and wellbeing of our parishioners, we are implementing the following. Please continue to be considerate, patient and understanding.

What has not changed:

1. Names and contact numbers will be noted for Track and Trace
2. Sanitising of hands on entry and exit
3. Face Covering - we strongly advice that people continue to wear face coverings in church
4. Social distancing for those who wish will be available in the side aisles
5. Communion will be brought to those seated on the side aisles
6. For those socially distancing, exit from the church will be via the Blessed Sacrament chapel and then through the side door at the back.

What has changed:

1. Social distancing has been removed from the two centre aisles. You may sit where you wish
2. At the Offertory, the collection bags will be brought to you by the stewards.
3. To receive Holy Communion in the centre aisles you are invited to approach the Altar. Please follow the instructions from the Stewards
4. Exit at the end of the Mass is via the main door. Please be patient to allow people to exit calmly.

P.T.O

**SACRED HEART
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Finally

I would like to express sincere thanks to everyone who has co-operated and followed the guidelines in keeping our church safe and virus free for our parishioners. Specially I offer my thanks to the team of volunteer stewards who have helped us for so many months since we re-opened our church for Mass and still continue to help us. I have received many compliments about how well we have organised our church. This was only possible because of their availability, generosity and dedication to the church.

Fr. Vincent Arulandhu SCJ

PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Mary Arulandhu, Bernie Mortlock, Audrey Clewlow, Catherine Freeman, Claire Harbutt, Carmen Mulholland, Denise Watson, Dawn Rutherford, Enid and John King, Teresa Goddard, Arthur Harding, Stephen Hurley, Bridget Green, Haydee Stanton, Linda Lowe, Sr Annie Enright, Jackie Tammam, Janet Chamberlain, Rudolf and Irene Sampays, Grace Sharron, Joan Rawlings, Sheila Shearon, and Bridget Whitfield.

RECENTLY DEAD AND ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember **Anne Jane Sweeney** and all those who have died recently. We also remember Patrick Leneman, Elizabeth Grealish, Bernard Donaghey, Bill Watton, John Ward, Paul Burns, Stephen Garrett, Bridie Kennedy, Helen Murray, Wilf Hayes, Norah Hughes, Thomas Round, Kate Coleman, James Casey, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

Requiem Mass for Anne Jane Sweeney(know as Joan) is on Tuesday 3rd August 2021 here at Holy Name Church at 12:00pm. Followed by Cremation at Sandwell Valley Crematorium at 1:00pm.

PARISH CENTRE

The Parish Centre has been hired by the NHS as Vaccination Centre for local people and communities. Therefore there are no private bookings available until October, with a possibility of further extension. Please be aware that, for security, there will be a police patrol in place.

<p style="text-align: center;">This Week Saturday 31st July – 8th August Sunday (Psalter Week 2)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Holy Mass & Services</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Other Events</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday 31st July Memorial of St Ignatius of Loyola, Priest</p>	<p>12:30pm Mary Holmes RIP</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 1st August</p>	<p>8:30am Clarke and Tams 10:30am Ints of Simi Gordhan</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">10:30pm Baptisms</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Monday 2nd August Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10:00am Ints of Sandra Pearson - Private Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">7:30pm Baptism Preparation</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Tuesday 3rd August Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">12:00pm Requiem Mass for Anne Jane Sweeney (know as Joan)</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday 4th August Memorial of St John Mary Vianney, Priest</p>	<p>11:30am Marleyn, Malcolm, Goldie and family</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Thursday 5th August Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10:00am Ints of Kathleen and Paddy Breen - Private Mass</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Friday 6th August Feast of the Transfiguration of the Lord</p>	<p>11:30am Patrick McGrellis RIP</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Saturday 7th August Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>12:30pm Thanksgiving Mass</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sunday 8th August</p>	<p>8:30am Vera Dwyer 10:30am M.T. Jose RIP`</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">10:30am Baptism</p>

**Last week's
Offertory
Collection:
£301.35**

**Gift Aid Envelopes:
£104.00**

**Standing Order for
the Month of June
£1758.67**

**Mass Attendance
Last Sunday:190**

**Thank you for
supporting your
Parish.**



**Next Sunday's
Mass Readings:**

1 Kings 19: 4-8;
Ps 33;

Ephesians 4:30-5:2;
John 6:41-51

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

I would like to reinstate the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion in the coming weeks. Ministers who would like to restart their ministry please let Payal know so that we can make a Rota. Ministers are now welcome to take Holy Communion to the Housebound and Sick. If you wish to do this please speak to Fr. Vincent SCJ for further guidance.

ALTAR SERVERS

All altar servers are now invited to serve at their usual Masses, just come to the Sacristy as normal to prepare for Mass. It will be good to have you back helping in Church.

NATIONAL MASS FOR THE GUILD OF ST STEPHEN

This year Archdiocese of Birmingham has been asked to host event. The Mass will take place on Saturday 25th September 2021 at 12noon. At the Parish of St Mary and St John Wolverhampton. To book your place please go to the diocese website or follow this link: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Event/national-mass-for-the-guild-of-saint-Stephen-September-2021>.

ST JOSEPH'S CARE HOME—COLESHILL

This care home is run by Father Hudson's Society. It offers range of personalised services including residential, specialised dementia and short term respite care in a friendly welcoming environment. The dedicated staff team are passionate about making residents safe and happy in this home environment.

If you or someone you know might benefit from the care offered and would be interested in more information or to book a virtual tour then please quote SJ1 and contact Care Home Manager Shelley Perryman on 01675 434559, email shelleyperryman@fatherhudsons.org.uk or visit our website at www.stjosephscarehome.co.uk

***We wish
everyone a very
restful and safe
Summer break.***

