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**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

Acts 2: 1-11;
Psalm 103;
1 Corinthians 12: 3-7, 12-13
John 20: 19-23

| This Week 9th June - 16th June (Psalter Week 2) | Holy Mass & Services | Other Events |
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| Sunday 9th June Solemnity of Pentecost Year C | 8.30 am Isabella Read RIP (MM) 10.30 am Special Intention - Thanksgiving (AM) 6.00 pm Terry Poulten (CM) | After 8.30 & 10.30 Mass: Coffee and Tea in the Hall Piety Stall available |
| Monday 10th June Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church | 9.00 am Morning Prayer 9.15 am Michael Webb RIP (PW) | |
| Tuesday 11th June Memorial of St. Barnabas, Apostle | 9.00 am Morning Prayer 9.15 am Holy Communion Service | |
| Wednesday 12th June Feria in Ordinary Time | 9.00 am Morning Prayer 9.15 am Holy Communion Service | 10.00 am - 9.00 pm: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. 7.30 pm: Sacred Heart Parish Meeting |
| Thursday 13th June Feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, The Eternal High Priest | 9.00 am Morning Prayer 9.15 am Maura Whelton RIP | |
| Friday 14th June Feria in Ordinary Time | 9.00 am Morning Prayer 9.15 am Private Intention (PD) | 7.00 pm - 8.00 pm: Adoration and Devotion to the Sacred Heart |
| Saturday 15th June Feria in Ordinary Time | 10.30 am Holy Rosary 11.00 am Edward Glossop RIP (BB) | 10.15 am - 10.45 am: Confessions 11.00 am Mass with the Sacrament of Anointing 12.30 pm: Catenian President's Mass |
| Sunday 16th June Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Year C | 8.30 am Mary Josephine McCorry RIP (MM) 10.30 am Howell Family (BB) 6.00 pm People of the Parish | After 8.30 & 10.30 Mass: Coffee and Tea in the Hall Traidcraft Stall available 12 Noon: Baptism |

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Cynthia Sharkey

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

8.30 am & 10.30 am: Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and
renew the face of the earth.
6.00 pm: Send forth your spirit O Lord, that the face of the
earth be renewed. (237)

PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Please pray for all our parishioners, and/or their friends and relatives, who
are unwell:

Ralph & Milly Arnold, Mary Arulandhu, Barbara Conway, Patrick Cussen,
Eileen Dalton, Delores Delaney, Alan Francis, Joan Graham, Beryl Hill, Alan
Hurst, John Jennings, Sue Nixon, Rosemarie Preece, Michael Sheridan,
Aidan Skinner, Jacky Smith, Paul Smith, Breda Wightman, Mark Wightman,
Richard Wightman, Monsignor Graham Wilkinson & Brigid Yates.

**Due to the new data regulations (GDPR), the Archdiocese have requested
that we do not list names unless we have the consent of the individual. If
you would like your name to be included in this list please contact
Fr. George SCJ or Kate Dalglish. Please note that the newsletter is also
placed on the parish website. Thank you for your understanding.**

SACRED HEART PARISH MEETING

There will be a Cheese and Wine evening on Wednesday 12th June at
7.30 pm in the Parish Hall. This evening will include the Parish Council AGM.
If you have any ideas or issues to raise please speak to Fr. George SCJ or
Jenny Leonard as soon as possible. All are welcome to attend.

FATHER'S DAY: SUNDAY 16TH JUNE 2019

In celebration of Father's Day there will be additional refreshments in the
Hall after the 8.30 and 10.30 am Sunday Masses. All are welcome.

CENTENARY CELEBRATION

The Centenary Celebration will begin on Friday 28th June with the Feast of
the Sacred Heart. The Solemn Mass will begin at 7.00 pm followed by a
fellowship meal and entertainment. It will be greatly appreciated if you
could come forward with some entertainment for the programme on this
evening. Donations would be gratefully received to help cover the expense
of the celebration. Tickets for this celebration will be issued as a maximum
of 100 people can be seated in the Parish Hall. These are available after
each Mass on Sundays and from the Presbytery during the week.

SUMMER GARDEN PARTY: SATURDAY 13TH JULY

The Parish Summer Garden Party in the Parish Hall and gardens will be on
Saturday 13th July from 3.00 pm to 5.00 pm. The garden party will have
some stalls, tombola, plant pots, cake stall, toiletries etc., so you don't go
home empty handed. This will be a great time to socialise with your fellow
parishioners and friends. Raffle Tickets will be on sale after all Masses. Any
donations of prizes for the raffle will be gratefully received. There is a
clipboard at the back of church for you to note any prizes you are able to
provide. Many thanks for your support.

MISSIO: RED BOXES

Please could **all** box holders kindly bring your boxes to church at your convenience from **Saturday 15th June until Sunday 30th June**. It is my last year as Missio Local Secretary for our Parish as I am soon to leave the UK. I am now calling for someone to come forward in order to continue this wonderful cause. Please contact the Parish Office at sacredheartdroitwich@hotmail.co.uk or on 01905 773258 if you are interested in taking over. With thanks and best wishes. Maria.

SACRED HEART LADIES GROUP: WEDNESDAY 19TH JUNE

Time for us to be out and about again and this time we are off to Harvington Hall, DY10 4LR. Jo Gylee has kindly arranged for us to have a guided tour followed by tea and cake (of course!!). Could all those attending please be at the venue for 1.50 pm as the tour has been organised for 2.00 pm. This promises to be a really interesting and informative afternoon with lots to see and investigate. Anyone requiring a lift should please contact a Committee member in order to make arrangements.

SUMMER CAMP 2019

A week packed with dynamic talks, adrenaline filled activities and powerful moments of prayer! Join over 200 young people who come to Alton Castle each year for the best camp ever! Open to all 12-18 year olds, this week is a life-changing experience not to be missed! Choose from one of two weeks: 4th-8th August or 11th-15th August 2019. For more information visit www.bcys.co.uk or email beccy.roseman@kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk.

MASS INTENTIONS

The first available date for Mass Intention requests for the 8.30 am Mass is currently Sunday 21st July. We make every effort to accommodate Mass Intentions on the dates requested however this is not always possible due to prior bookings or late changes to the daily Mass schedule. When submitting a Mass Intention request, please could you provide a phone number or email address so that we can contact you if needed. Due to GDPR regulations, with the exception of deceased individuals, we are unable to publish names unless the Request for Mass Intention Form at the back of church is completed. If we do not have a form the Intention will be listed in the newsletter and stated at Mass as Private Intention.

OUR LADY OF LOURDES DIOCESAN SHRINE HEDNESFORD 50TH ANNIVERSARY PILGRIMAGE

Please see the poster on the noticeboard for details of the 50th Anniversary Pilgrimage on Saturday 6th July and Sunday 7th July. For further information please contact Fr. Jeremy Howard at lol.hednesford@gmail.com or on 01543 422576.

CONFIRMATION FOR CHILDREN NOT IN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

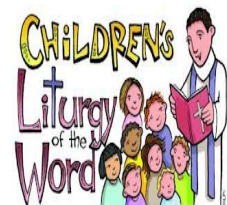
If your child is currently in Year 5 or above and you would like to have your child prepared to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please could you contact Fr. George SCJ as soon as possible. There will be an initial meeting for parish children, time and date to be confirmed, prior to any meetings at St. Joseph's and the Confirmation Commitment Mass.

SVP

Thanks to everyone who responded to the recent SVP appeal for carpet and a cooker. Apologies to anyone whose offer we were unable to take up. Limited storage forbids us to stockpile. Thank you, nonetheless.

FOODBANK & REFUGEE COLLECTION ITEMS

Please leave the food and clothing you bring for these collections in the wooden cupboards in the church porch where it says **FOOD BANK** or **CLOTHING**. Please do not leave them outside.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

There will be Children's Liturgy on the following Sundays during the 10.30 am Mass:
Sunday 9th June,
Sunday 16th June,
Sunday 23rd June,
Sunday 30th June,
Sunday 7th July,
Sunday 14th July.

Main Collection:

£168.79

Gift Aid: £278.50

Mass Attendance

Last Sunday: 263

**Thank you for
supporting your
Parish.**

**The retiring collection
for Catholic
Communications
raised: £39.29**

Gift Aid: £138.15

**Thank you for your
generosity.**

RiDL

The Retreat in
Daily Life group will
meet on Thursday 20th
June at 7.30 pm,
focussing on Luke 8:
26-29. All are welcome.
If you would like to
attend or need more
information please
contact Debbie Prigg on
01905 771288 or
dprigg@btinternet.com.



Next Sunday's Mass Readings

Proverbs 8: 22-31;

Psalms 8;

Romans 5: 1-5;

Matthew 16: 12-15

Welcome to everyone at Mass today, especially if you are new to our church or haven't been to Mass for some time. If you are of another Christian denomination or non-Christian you are warmly invited to approach the priest or minister and ask or signify your wish for a blessing.

STORIES FROM THE HOLY LAND: CAFOD MEETING FOR KIDDERMINSTER DEANERY VOLUNTEERS AND SUPPORTERS

This meeting is at St. Peter's Roman Catholic Community Centre, Rock Hill, Bromsgrove on Friday 21st June from 7.00 pm until 8.30 pm, followed by a bring-and-share supper. Teas and Coffees will be served from 6.45 pm. An exciting opportunity to hear from our Step into the Gap volunteer, Caroline Collins, about her visit to the Holy Land, to encounter CAFOD projects, partners and communities supported there. We'll also have a look at our exciting new ambition No One Beyond Reach and our climate change campaign, 'Our Common Home'. All are welcome. To book your place please email ewignall@cafod.org.uk or contact 01922 722944.

DIRECTION FOR OUR TIMES

Jesus is giving Anne, who lives in County Cavan in Ireland, a series of 12 locutions supporting us in the challenges of our present times. Copies of the six received so far are available at the back of the church. Any enquiries to Iain and Marie Martin on 01905 798130.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE

Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland departing on Saturday 14th September 2019. The cost is £599.00 per person sharing. This price includes flight with 10kg hand luggage from Manchester or Liverpool, 4 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment/ guided tours included. WCHR rooms on request. Single room supplement £100. For further information 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.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM NEWSLETTER

There are two copies of the latest newsletter from the Archdiocese at the back of church.

SAVE THE DATE

Please note the following date in your diaries:

Saturday 22nd June 2019

First Holy Communion Mass at 11.00 am

Friday 28th June 2019

Sacred Heart Feast Day: Parish Centenary Celebrations begin

Saturday 13th July 2019

Summer Garden Party