



ST MARY'S CATHOLIC PARISH BREWOOD

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THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 7th	9.00am 10.15-10.35am 11.00am	Holy Mass Confessions Holy Mass	People of the parish Maggie Morris (private intention)
Monday 8th Feria	9.00am	Holy Mass	Jean Walker RIP
Tuesday 9th Lateran Basilica	9.00am	Holy Mass	Mairead Hanlon RIP
Wednesday 10th		No Mass	
Thursday 11th St Martin of Tours	9.00am	Holy Mass	Private int Anne Sollom
Friday 12th St Josaphat	9.00am	Holy Mass	Deceased members of the Ferguson & Canning Families
Saturday 13th		No Mass	(Morning Mass celebrated at HMP Brinsford)

THIRTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sunday 14th	9.00am 10.15-10.35am 11.00am	Holy Mass Confessions Requiem Mass	Frank Birch 90 th Birthday celebration For those who have died in conflict
	After Mass - Blessing of graves in our graveyard		

Please pray for the sick of the parish & their carers: Chris Rauchmann, Philip & Christine Elson, Bill Baker & Bernard Boyes.

Our collection for last weekend was **£319.12** made up of **£135.00** Gift Aid envelopes & **£184.12** loose. Thank you.

There will be a second collection today for the Johnson Association.

Dear Parishioners,

It was great to see so many of you this Tuesday for the All Souls Day Mass. Next Sunday is Remembrance Sunday and we the 11am parish Mass will be a requiem Mass offered for those who have died in conflict. After the Mass we will have a short service in our graveyard after which I will be available to bless individual graves. Please do come along!

Big Church Clean - Big thanks to Martin and Deacon Stephen for helping with the decluttering of the sacristy last Saturday afternoon! As we prepare to welcome Fr Paul for his Mass of Thanksgiving and Bishop Stephen for the Sacrament of Confirmation this month, it would be excellent to get rid of some of the cobwebs and make the church sparkling clean once again! With that in mind we're having a 'cleaning party' next Saturday 13th November at 2pm. Please come along if you're able to help. Bacon butties to be provided! ;-)

Fr Paul's Mass of Thanksgiving - We are looking forward to welcoming Fr Paul back on November 18th at 6pm. We will be presenting Fr Paul with a cheque. Please contribute towards it either by putting your money in the basket at the back of the church or by putting it in a labelled envelope and dropping it through the presbytery door. We are also organising a celebration with food and drinks after the Mass in the Hall to which everybody is cordially invited. We're looking for volunteers who could help with the organisation and catering. Please speak to Fr Tomas or Teresa.

Confirmations - Please pray for the Children of our Primary school who will be confirmed on the 24th November at 7pm by Bishop Stephen Wright. Please also remember in your prayers their families and sponsors.

Mass for the Bereaved - Our November Mass for those who have been bereaved will be held on Friday 26th November at 6pm. The Mass will be offered for those in our November Remembrance Book and also for those whose funerals have been celebrated in our church in the last two years. Please invite to this Mass who may find comfort and strength in the prayer that is offered for them and their loved ones.

Visiting the Housebound - Sadly the pandemic has largely put a stop to regular visiting of our sick and housebound parishioners. Since housebound visiting is now permitted, we would like to re-establish a pattern of visiting with the help of our parish's Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion. If you have been visiting the sick before the pandemic and are happy to start going again, please speak to Fr Tomas.

Facebook - Please like our Facebook page. I'm hoping to use it as an useful way to communicate about latest things in the parish.

Going into hospital? If you are going into hospital, please contact the Parish Priest in order to receive the Sacrament of the Sick before you go in. When you are admitted to hospital, you will have to ask explicitly to have your faith registered on your notes, and for the Catholic chaplain to be informed that you are there.

The Sacraments of Confession will be celebrated between the two Sunday Masses from 10.15am - 10:35am, upon request after a weekday Mass or by appointment.

Parish Finances - Our parish continues to need your financial support in these challenging times. As autumn creeps in our fuel bills will continue to rise alongside the need for ongoing maintenance of our building and the payment of diocesan levies. We ask for your continued generosity at this time. If you are willing to gift aid your donations please download a form from the parish website or take one from the church.

Friday Masses - As our school welcomes back their children after their half term break, we are looking forward welcoming them to our church every Friday for the 9am Mass. For the time being only one class at a time can attend and we are hoping to get the children as involved in our parish as possible.