



# The Parish of Holy Trinity and Sacred Heart

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18 - 26<sup>th</sup> January 2020  
Octave of Christian Unity

**SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—YEAR A**  
**“YEAR OF THE WORD - THE GOD WHO SPEAKS”**

Weekdays  
Ordinary Time Year 2  
Psalter Week 2

Date	Holy Trinity		Sacred Heart		Fotherley Convent	
<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> Vigil</b>	6:00pm	Grace & Charles Gaffney Jim Devlin (Anniversary)	11-12nn	CONFESIONS	5.00pm	Michael O'Halloran (III)
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> 2nd Sunday Year A</b>	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm <b>5:00pm</b> 7:00pm	Special Intention (JG) Rosaleen Rhead & Family <i>Baptism of Luke Byrom</i> <b>Christian Unity Service</b> Bill & Mary Maxwell (B/Ann.)	10.00am	People of the Parish	11.15am	NO MASS
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Mary Cuddihy (Anniversary)	10.00am	Holy Communion	11:30am	Maria Huong KongSum
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> St Agnes	10:00am	Patrick Kennedy (Sick)	10.00am	Holy Communion	7.30am	Fr Peter Dao Duc Diem
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	10:00am <b>1:00pm</b>	Marie Girun & Anne Quinn <b>Requiem for Bill Little.</b>	10:00am	Holy Communion.	11.30am	Deceased members of the Buckley & O'Connell fams.
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>		<b>NO MASS</b>	10:00am	Holy Communion		NO MASS
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> St Vincent de Sales	10.00am	Liam Morris (Anniversary)	10.00am	Holy Communion	7:00am	Fr Gerry Breen RIP.
<b>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> Conversion of St Paul Vigil</b>	10:00am 11-12.00 6:00pm	Gerry Brady (Anniversary) CONFESIONS Paul Reilly (Birthday)	11-12.00	CONFESIONS	5:00pm	Leisha & Patrick Behan
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 7:00pm	Tony O'Neill RIP Elizabeth Davis (Anniversary) <i>Baptism of Olivia Irvine</i> Albert Cawley RIP.	10.00am	Marie McNally & Family	11.15am	NO MASS

GIFT AID	Holy Trinity	Sacred Heart
Gift Aid UK tax payers can sign up to Gift Aid and we can collect 25% more from our collection. For more information Contact: <b>Holy Trinity: Howard Drake 0121 3234205</b> <b>Sacred Heart: John Shanahan 01543 481243</b>	<b>Mass attendance 438</b> Offertory: £1,463.50 Church maintenance £253:87 <b>2nd Coll. This week for Church Maintenance</b>	<b>Mass attendance: 147</b> Offertory £568:00 <b>Thank you for your generosity</b>

**Please pray for those who are sick:** Matthew Perry, Little boy Zachary F Evans, Molly Thomsen, Julia Cusack, Gloria Coombes, Sean Laverty, Frank Cookson, Kathleen Orbell, Catherine MacLeod, Melissa Manton, Tony Cabral, Dorothy Harris, Maureen Manton, Miriam Banner, Elvira Peiro, Madeleine Church, Macius Grudzinski, Barbara Fallon, Joan Brown, Shelagh Dudley, Patrick Kelly, Margaret Bailey, Christopher Manton, Noreen Madden, Lesley Quinlan, Margaret Keane, Marie Cope, Mary Ellis, Sylvia Bailey, Alan & Beverley Johnson, Brian Jones, Kathleen Reilly, Mary Dickenson, Joan Gardner, Santino & Jean Di Blasio, Mo Oliver, Isabel & Nicholas Dominquez-Persiva **and all in Good Hope Hospital.**

**Please pray for those who died recently:** Canon Gerry Breen, William Little, Thomas Brady, Stella Moseley, Fr John Ellis, Fr Brian Doolan, Dr James Patrick Hanlon.

**Anniversaries :** Jim Devlin, Paul Cookson, Kathleen Daly, Gerry Prendergast, Peter Clough, Rachel McAllister, Ann Maguire, Florence Millar, Victor Stanton, Margaret Logue, Mary Cuddihy, Anne Ryder, David Hurd, Gerard Brady, Elizabeth Davis, Mary Cheal, Liam Morris, John Rudd, Rev George Jackson, Rev Joseph McKenna, Mgr Peter Dao-Duc-Diem, Canon Copesey, Rev Anthony Timlin, Rev Vincent Royles.

**Lord, make those who are not well, get better and grant to those who have died eternal rest in your heavenly home. Amen.**



# PARISH NOTICE BOARD

## PARISH

- **FUNERAL OF CANON GERRY BREEN THURSDAY 23 JANUARY 12 00 NOON AT ST CHADS CATHEDRAL** We are aware that many of you would like to attend Canon Gerry's funeral. We have organised a coach to **leave** from Holy Trinity at **10:00am** and to return to Holy Trinity after light refreshments in the Grimshaw Room afterwards. Currently there is limited seating on the coach (49 persons) and the Cathedral is expected to be crowded. However, the Cathedral is working hard to provide extra seating. This early start should hopefully enable us to get any seats which are available St Chad's. Should you wish to book seats on the coach please sign the sheets at the back of church or call 0121 355 6988 as soon as possible.
- **THE GOD WHO SPEAKS** – an evening of reflection on proclaiming the Word, **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 7:00-8:30pm**. Readers from both parishes are strongly encouraged to attend, but all are very welcome. For more information, contact Deacon Owen. deacongresty@gmail.com
- **DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE—23<sup>rd</sup> –30<sup>th</sup> May 2020**. Cost £845.00 or Travel by Coach is £645 (+ single supplement if applicable.) Contact Mary Holden in the Parish Office for more information.
- **FAMILY GAMES NIGHT** Sutton Coldfield Catenians are holding a Family Games Night on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January from 7-30pm in the parish hall. An evening of enjoyment using corporate games for the whole family and the opportunity to meet new people. Admission on door - £5-00 per person or a family ticket £12-00 (2 adults and 2 children) includes fish and chip supper. Bring your own drinks, tea and coffee available. All proceeds from the night towards funding the parish youth worker post.
- **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020** classes will start soon. Please let us know if you child is in year 3 and not in a Catholic School.

## HOLY TRINITY

- **SERVICE OF CHRISTIAN UNITY SUNDAY 19TH JANUARY at Holy Trinity at 5:00pm** with parishioners from the other churches in Sutton Coldfield. Prepared by the Church in Malta on the theme of Kindness.
- **ALTAR FLOWERS**—if you would like to mark a special occasion or the anniversary of a loved one by sponsoring the flowers for the sanctuary please use one of the forms available in the porch. Then either hand it to one of the clergy or drop it into the Parish Office. **NB** There are no flowers during Lent except 22 March & there are weddings booked throughout the year.

## SACRED HEART:

- **CHURCHES TOGETHER IN FOUR OAKS ECUMENICAL SERVICE** at Four Oaks Baptist Church, Grange Lane on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 6.30pm. Your support would be greatly appreciated..
- **FLOWER LIST** for 2020 is now on the Notice Board. If you would like to mark a date special to you by paying for the Flowers in Church that week, please put your name on the List for the week in question. Near the date please give £20 to the priest celebrating Mass who will give it to the Band of Ladies who purchase and arrange the flowers each week. From now on the List will be on the reverse of the Notice Board.
- **DIOCESAN DIRECTORY** on sale in the Hall, costing £3.50. From now on they will be available in the Sacristy.

## Useful Information

- ◇ **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a family member is in hospital and would like a visit by a Priest and/or Eucharistic Minister please inform the parish office as the Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.
- ◇ **Baptisms:** Please complete the request forms (available in the porch) and leave at the Presbytery. You will be contacted to book a date but you must give at least two months notice as you will be required to attend a preparation course first.
- ◇ **Weddings:** please take a "Booking your Wedding" at Holy Trinity or Sacred Heart. booklet from the church porch which explains the process. **Bookings** for the parish hall or conference room must be made in writing/email
- ◇ **Newsletter** If you wish to place a **notice** in the Newsletter please send an email to the parish email address. Must be received by 12 noon on Thursday.

## CANON GERRY BREEN

The reception will be on Wednesday 22nd January at 7:00pm at the Cathedral

**A MEMORIAL MASS** for him will be held at Holy Trinity on Tuesday 4th February at 7:00pm.

**THERE IS A BOOK OF CONDOLENCE** next to the Lady Altar for you to sign in memory of Fr Gerry who was an Assistant Priest for four years at Holy Trinity after his Ordination in 1986 and then he returned as Parish Priest in 1998 until October 2010.

## ALTAR FLOWERS In Memory of Cliff Blakemore on his Birthday



## 'THE GOD WHO SPEAKS'

We are all encouraged to celebrate, live, and share God's Word during this year 2020. Based on St Matthew's Gospel

**Prayer:** Living God you walk beside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures. Your Son Jesus Christ listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another. Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be you witnesses throughout the world. Amen

V. Your Word is our Path and your truth is our light

R. **This day and every Day**

<b>Our Lady of the Assumption</b>	<b>Pray for us</b>
<b>St Matthew</b>	<b>Pray for us</b>
<b>St Jerome</b>	<b>Pray for us</b>

## ROTAS 25/26<sup>th</sup> January 2020

<b>Readers</b>	6:00pm	Ann Ryder
	9:00am	Abe Cutajar
		Tope Soyannwo
	11:00am	Mary Blakemore
		Fred Kettell
	7:00pm	Claire Barton
		Peter Westbrook
<b>Children's Liturgy</b>		<b>Liz Concannon</b>
<b>Cleaning</b>		<b>Nevil Trotter</b>
		<b>Team C</b>

## Important Contact Information:

**Parish Office:** Parish Administrator is available Tuesday and Friday 10.30am-1.30pm.

## Parish Safeguarding Officers

**Holy Trinity:** Barbara Peel & Margaret McConnell.

**Sacred Heart:** Patricia Medcalf.

## Clergy contact e-mails:

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