



# The Parish of Holy Trinity and Sacred Heart

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9 - 17<sup>th</sup> September

**TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 'A'**

Weekdays of Ordinary Time  
week 23 Cycle 1  
Hours of Psalter week 3

Date	Holy Trinity	Sacred Heart	Footerley Convent
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> Vigil	6:00pm People of the Parish		5:00pm Fr. Bede's 25th Ann.
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup> <b>23rd Sunday</b>	9:00am 11:00am 12.30pm 7:00pm William Heekin RIP Grace & Charles Gaffney RIP. <i>Baptism of Sonny Dominic Archer</i> Doreen Somerville RIP	10.00am Viet Family's Int.	11.15am NO MASS
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am 4:30pm Kathleen Buckley RIP. <i>Reception of body into church</i>	10:00am <i>Holy Communion</i>	11.30am Ellen Baker RIP.
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>11:00am</b> <b>Requiem of Anna M. Cummings</b>	10:00am <i>Holy Communion</i>	7.30am Winnie Clarke RIP
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am Dec'd Buckley & O'Connell Families	10.00am <i>Holy Communion</i>	11.30am AC Thuc's Intentions.
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	12:00am Rebecca Farrell and Family	10.00am <i>Holy Communion</i>	NO MASS
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am In Thanksgiving to Saint Jude	7:30pm Jo & Mary Thomas RIP	7.00am Nancy Crowther RIP
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> Vigil	<b>11:00am</b> <b>John Fawdry Memorial Mass</b> Fr Richard Dinnis (Anniversary)		5.00pm Anne & Tom Clibbery RIP
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> <b>24<sup>th</sup> Sunday</b>	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 1:30pm 7:00pm Mary Ford (Sick) Christine and Tony Southgate (50th Wedding Anniversary) <i>Baptism of Ethan Fahy</i> <i>Baptism of Oscar Hill</i> People of the Parish.	10.00am Deceased members of Cusack & O'Grady's families.	11.15am NO MASS

**Gift Aid**  
UK tax payers can sign up to Gift Aid and we can collect 25% more from our collection.  
For more information Contact:  
**Holy Trinity: Howard Drake on 323 4205**  
**Sacred Heart: Isobel Walsh on 308 8014**

**Holy Trinity**  
**Mass attendance:** 501  
Offertory: £1,505.26p  
Church maintenance £262.65p  
This week Church Maintenance  
**Next Week Catholic Evangelisation**

**Sacred Heart**  
**Mass attendance:** 151  
Offertory £601.10  
**Next week there will be a retiring collection for Catholic Evangelisation**

**Please pray for: those who are sick:**

Joan McDonald, Mary Curran, Anna Warnock, Philomena McElwee, Phil Rimmer, Margaret Tucker, Margaret McNamara, Irene Devlin, Gillian Dukes, Martin Halford, Edith Gilmour, John Constantine, Rose McDermott, Sean Mahoney, Rita O'Connor, Lilian Bownes, Jill Calderbank, Monica Meany, Mandy Jones, Margaret Keane, Mary Cooper, Pat Mitford, Jya Mitford, Margaret Fraser, Philippa Martin, Philip Bishop, Philomena Sharpe, Michael McMullen, Tony Cabral, Josephine Moran, Tony Stridgen, Christopher Manton, Joan Brown, Betty Dwyer, Elizabeth Davis, Sarah Davis, Dominic Mooney, David Kenny, Roddy Devlin, Mary Ellis, Marie Cope, Elizabeth Christopher, Sheila Flynn, Joan Gardner, Sally O'Leary, Anne Wilson, Kathleen Reilly, Kathleen Kean, Ann Cosgrave, Margaret Kelly, Paul Coleman, Bridie O'Sullivan, Paul Bui Trac, Albert Hinchley, Fr. Tony Haycock, Santino & Jean Di Blasio, Mary & Bill Maxwell, Maura Edwards and **all in Good Hope Hospital.**  
*(NB: Names will be removed from the sick list after 2 months, unless the parish office is notified. Thank you).*

**Those who have died recently: Cardinal Cormac Murphy-O'Connor, Anna Cummings, Mary Philomena Ryan, John Causer.**

**Anniversaries:** Henryk Kubacki, Henry Heaney, Pippa Bentley, Lesley Isherwood, Patricia Taaffe, Violet Rondel, David Carney, Revv: David Hutt, Dominic Round, Richard Dinnis, Patrick Meagher.

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 & PARISHIONERS

- **ST PAUL'S OLD GIRLS ASSOCIATION** are celebrating 100 years of continued friendship with Mass in the Convent Chapel, Vernon Road Edgbaston on Saturday 7th October. All friends and former pupils are most welcome. A Cream Tea will be served afterwards. If you plan to come please contact Chairman Anne Russell 0121 705 4400 or [email evakatri@hotmail.com](mailto:evakatri@hotmail.com)

## HOLY TRINITY

- **Confirmations will be on Saturday 11th November at 6:00pm Mass.** Classes will commence on September 16th at 4:30pm in the Conference Room for Children in year 6 or above who do not attend a Catholic School. Please email or telephone the office with your details
- **RCIA Course for Adults** wishing to learn more about the Catholic Faith will begin on **Tuesday September 26th at 7:00pm** in the Conference Room. Please speak to Father Michael, Fr David or Deacon Daniel if you are interested. We already have several parishioners who are interested.
- **Thank to all who kindly sponsored Amélie and Fraser Hindle** on their children's triathlon. They raised £445 for the Thien Phon orphanage in Vietnam and Building Schools for Africa!
- **Sutton Coldfield Adventure Unit (ages 7—14)** will be starting again on 15th September. Contact [joanna.garvey@gmail.com](mailto:joanna.garvey@gmail.com) for more details
- **Holy Trinity Annual Bazaar will be on 25th November.** There will be a planning meeting on Wednesday 27th September at 7:30pm in the Conference Room

## SACRED HEART

- **Sacred Heart Thursday Club will meet on Thursday 14th September** in the Parish Hall. All are welcome to come along and join-in what is usually a very enjoyable evening. We start at 7:30 pm

## OTHER NOTICES

- **'Newman and the New Evangelisation: A Lesson for the Disappointed?'** A Public Lecture at Maryvale Institute by Professor Stephen Bullivant of St Mary's University Twickenham on Saturday 23rd September at 7:30 pm.
- **St Paul's School for Girls, Vernon Road, Edgbaston, B16 9SL** will be holding an Open Evening for Secondary Transfers 2018 on Thursday, 21 September 2017 from 6pm-9pm. The Head Teacher will give a talk at 6pm and at 7:30pm. We welcome all Year 6 and Year 5 girls and their parents.
- **NEW EMERGENCY HOMELESS SHELTER IN BIRMINGHAM:** The Archdiocese, with Father Hudson's and others, is establishing a New Night Shelter at St. Anne's Digbeth. If you are want to know how you can support this new homeless project, please join us. See Fr Michael for more info.
- **CAFOD in El Salvador a talk by Clare Dixon.** Monday 18th September, 3pm in The Masterson Room at St Chad's Cathedral, Birmingham, B4 6EX contact Elizabeth Wignall at [ewignall@cafod.org.uk](mailto:ewignall@cafod.org.uk) or on 01922 722944
- **HOLY TRINITY CHOIR**— As Ken Mackey has retired as Choir Master we are looking for a New Choir Master and second Organist for the Choir. If you are interested in these posts please let Fr Michael know. Mrs. Jean O'Connor & Michael Connolly will be our Choir Master & Organist in the meantime. Thankyou Jean & Michael for your support. The choir is still active as usual.
- **AN EVENING WITH BARRY McGUIGAN** - The Irish Boxing legend comes to The Irish Centre in Digbeth on Friday 20th October. Tickets £25 available in tables of 10 or Individual - Tickets online from [www.shamrockevents.co.uk](http://www.shamrockevents.co.uk)

## Useful Information

- ◇ **Mass intentions:** To request a Mass for your Intentions please use one of the envelopes available in the church porch or parish hall at Sacred Heart.
- ◇ **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a loved one is in hospital and wish to be visited 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 (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.
- ◇ **Bookings** for the parish hall or conference room must be made in writing/email. FAO Parish Administrator.
- ◇ **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.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

Are for the Parish.

If you would like to sponsor the flowers for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one please complete one of the forms available in the church porch.



## Saints of the Week

- Tuesday:** Most Holy Name of Mary  
**Wednesday:** St John Chrysostom born in Antioch was a great genius whose powerful eloquence earned him the name Chrysostom "the Golden mouthed". As Archbishop of Constantinople he was famous for his preaching and writings.  
**Thursday:** Exaltation of the Holy Cross  
**Friday:** Our Lady of Sorrows  
**Saturday:** Saints Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop. Martyrs.

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**MASS INTENTIONS** - If you wish to have a Mass celebrated for your intentions, for the Sick or those who have died, or their Anniversaries...or any other occasion, please put your stipend in the envelope provided in the foyer at the back of the Church, we then will book your intentions in asap. Thank you.

## Rotas 16/17th September

<b>Readers:</b> 6:00pm	Judith Long Ann Ryder
9:00 am	Margaret McConnell Julie Collins
11:00am	Graham Hall James Novak
7:00pm	Pat Salter Elizabeth Fruer

**Children's Liturgy**  
**Crèche**  
**Younger**

**Nikki Houghton**  
**Sarah & Ian Reid**

**New Volunteers are required ASAP**

**Cleaning Team** **D**

## Important Contact Information:

**Parish Office:** Holy Trinity 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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