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St. Thomas More Primary Sch. Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Headteacher: Mrs Kate Madia	<h2 style="margin: 0;">SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</h2> <h3 style="margin: 0;">2nd June 2019 - C</h3> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 10px;"> </div>	St. Andrew's Primary & Nursery Sch Windrush Close, B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly
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Masses

Sat	5:30am	Goodman Family
Sun	8:30am	Maureen Handel, RIP
	10:30am	Josephine Lynch, RIP
Mon		<i>Memorial of Ss Charles Lwanga and Companions</i>
		NO MORNING MASS
	6:30pm	Mary Whitehouse, Ints
Tue	11:00am	Funeral Mass, Maureen Rooney
	7:00pm	Mary Ganley intentions
Wed		<i>Memorial of St Boniface</i>
	9:00am	Carmel & Dermot Price & Family.
	7:00pm	Joe Perkins, Ints
Thu	9:15am	Martin & Ena Burke intentions
	7:00pm	P.J McCaddum, RIP
Fri	9:15am	Mary Ellen Ward
	7:00pm	Jim Meehan RIP
Sat	9:00am	David Comerford, RIP Anniv.

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour - Tuesday during 7:00pm Mass. **Rosary** is recited daily after Morning Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration
Thurs 9:45-11:00am. Sat 4:25-5:05pm.

Morning Prayer of the Church:
Thurs, Fri, 9:00am Sat 8:45am.

Sacrament of Confession:
First Friday, 6:30pm-7:00pm Sat 9:30-10:00am, 4:30-5:00pm

Parish Societies:
SVP – Second Saturdays, 9:45am
Legion of Mary, Thurs 7:45pm
Choir Practice: Tues 6:30pm
Thursday Club next on Thurs 6th. June
Journey in Faith Mon 3rd. June, 7pm

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Sat	5:30am	Cathal McGrory, RIP Anniv.
Sun	8:30am	Christine Kelly, Ints
	10:30am	Sullivan Family, RIP

Confirmation 2019

The parish confirmation class for children at non-Catholic schools will resume on Sunday, June 9th.. at 9:30am in the parish centre. If your child is in Year 6 or above and has not yet made his/her Confirmation, they will be most welcome.

The **Sacrament of Confirmation** will be conferred on the children from St Thomas More's school at the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, July 13th by Bishop William Kenney. It will be conferred on the children from St Andrew's school and non-Catholic schools at the 10:30am Mass on Sunday, July 14th. by Bishop David McGough. Please pray for our confirmandi.

Legion of Mary –General Meeting Times
Adult Group – Thurs Eves 7:45pm
Junior Group – Friday Eves 6:00pm
 Both meet in the Parish Centre.

School Groups (Term Time)
 St Thomas More's, Mondays ,3:30pm
 St Andrew's, Fridays 3:45pm

Recently Deceased - *May they rest in peace*
Maureen Rooney Reception, Mon 3rd June 6pm. Funeral Mass Tues 4th June 11:00am.
Maureen Quirke, Reception Wed 12th June 6:30pm. Funeral Mass Thurs 13th June 10:45am.
Margaret Hoare, Funeral Mass Fri June 21st., 11am

Next Weekend, June 8th./9th. there will be an Appeal by Fr Jim Fleming for the Columban Fathers. There will be refreshments after all Sunday Masses in the Parish Centre to which all are welcome. There will be an adult Baptism and 2 adult confirmations at the 5:30pm Mass next Saturday.

June - Month of the Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart Devotions
 Fridays 6:30pm. If you would like your home to be consecrated to the Sacred Heart, please ask Fr John

Mass with Anointing of the Sick Sat 15th June 10:30am, please Let us know if you would like transport. Devotions in honour of St. Peregrine, patron saint of cancer sufferers from 10:15am



Stories from the Holy Land: CAFOD meeting for Birmingham East Deanery volunteers and supporters, St Thomas More Church, Tuesday 4th June, Mass at 7:00pm. Bring and share supper and CAFOD meeting from 7:30 to 9:00pm. See poster.

Blessed Sacrament Processions
 Parish: Sun Jun 23rd., after 10:30 Mass
 STM school: Thurs Jun 27th., 1:45pm
 St Andrew's : Mon Jun 24th., 1:30pm

It's a Knockout: June 22nd-23rd. A great fun summer outing for any parish youth group, at Rough Close Scout Campsite, Berkswell, Coventry CV7 7DB. Camping £28 per person or £22 for a day ticket on the Saturday. All that's needed to take part is a team of 6 young people and a DBS checked leader. For more info maria.bracken@kenelm youthtrust.org.uk

I had a wonderful day at Wembley on Monday - truly unforgettable. I look forward to Blues joining Villa in the Premier League for the 2020/2021 season!

Coming soon - a study group on **Evangelium Gaudium**, Pope Francis' document on evangelisation. We plan to start on Monday, 17th. June. Meetings will take place for 5 consecutive Mondays at 7pm. How can we spread the truth of the Gospel in today's world? Can we become "spirit filled evangelizers?" Spread the word!

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS – 26/05
 Gift Aid £138.66 ~ Non-GA £401.19
This Weekend – Catholic Communications
Next Weekend – Appeal by the Columban Fathers

Feast of St Thomas More, June 22nd.
10am-4pm, Day for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion in our parish centre.
After 5:30pm Mass, Parish Barbeque!

Italy Pilgrimage 2020
 A pilgrimage to the shrines of Italy is being organised by our parish for May 2020. We hope to visit Rome, Assisi (St Francis and St Clare) and San Giovanni Rotondo (St Padre Pio). More details very shortly!

St. Thomas More's Parish Tote JACKPOT NOW £2,500
 Result for 28/05/19

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 Next draw will take place On Tues 4th June before funeral Mass.

A Weekend of discovery, A Lifetime of Love Marriage Encounter Weekend, St Mary's On The Hill, Wednesbury, 29th-30th June 2019. Contact Phil & Rita Jackson. 0121 244 7762. www.wvme.org.uk

Catholic Summer Youth Festival, Alton Castle 7th-9th. June. A festival for young adults, 16-30 years. Speakers and musicians include Matt Maher, and Sarah Kroger. More info. megan.cox@kenelm youthtrust.org.uk

Summer Camps at Alton Castle – "a faith filled week of fun in which young people's relationship with Jesus is enlivened through engaging talks, praise and worship, the celebration of the sacraments and the nurturing of Christian friendship. This would be an ideal week of formation in faith for our altar servers" (Fr Michael Dolman, Diocesan Vocations Director). Two options: Aug 4th-8th or Aug 11th-.15th. Contact megan.cox@kenelm youthtrust.org.uk

SICK: Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Pam Firkins, Cornelius McKay, Rosie Smith, Peter Fahy, Joseph Fahy, Joan Morris, Sally Woodcock, Montana Coughlan, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Cameron Cuddihy, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Etti Devine, Nora Mills, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tideswell, Freya Williams, James Dalton, Paul Ryan, Mary Griffiths, John O'Sullivan, Elaine Collins, Lilian Collins, Gillian Cox, Josephine Conboy, Rita Duffy, Margaret Kelly, Joanna Jones, Michael Wallis, Val Plessner, Jean Cole, Charlotte Moriarty, Ami Mucklow, Danny Moore, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie & Danielle Pinches, Santhamma Abraham, Mary Cusack, Kathleen Widdop, Kathleen Biddles, Baby Jacob, Anne O'Donnell, Justin Bull, Pdraig Mannion, Hugh Hanratty, David Comerford, Margaret Bond, Ann Heath, Keith Allen, Andrea Cadman, Marie Ryan. Caelan McGurk.

Retirement function for Lisa Fahy, former head of Sacred Heart school, Aston. Saturday 6th. July with Mass at 12:30pm at Sacred Heart church, Prestbury Road, Aston. Contact Sacredheartaston@hotmail.com

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr Lane, Fr Tarbuck, Fr Crean, Canon Bouchier, Fr Gallagher, Bishop Dey, Fr Shiel, Mary Gegg, David Comerford, Catherine Maher, Robert King, Brendon Walton, Joan Walker, Mary Hallissey, Graham Coffey, Michael Moloney, Christian Morris, Bernard Quinney, Norah Hopkins, Luke Davis.

Next Parish Bingo
 Saturday June 1st., Parish centre, Eyes Down, 7pm

Coming Soon.....
 A Family Fun Evening!

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9th June 2019	5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am
Readers:	F	C	B
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	C	B	B
Cleaning:	M.Folan, B.McDonald		
Counting:	V.Titmus, T.Perkins		
Brasses:			