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ST. THOMAS MORE, SHELDON

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<p>St. Thomas More Primary School Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Head teacher Sr. Susan Collins.</p>	<p>TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 25th September 2016 – Year C Jubilee Year of Mercy: December 8th 2015- November 20th. 2016</p>	<p>St. Andrew's Primary School & Nursery, Windrush Close, Solihull B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head teacher Mr. David Naughton</p>
<p>Masses: Sat 5:30pm Frank Gallagher, RIP Anniv. Sun 8:30am Paul O'Connor, RIP Anniv. 10:30am Ann Donnelly, Sick. Mon 9:15am Anna Celeste-Tavares Lima Ints. Tues 9:15am Malach Meehan, RIP 7:00pm Catherine Danaher, RIP Anniv. Wed 9:00am Sr Jackie Smith, Sick. 7:00pm Barrett Family, Sp Int. Thur 9:15am People of the Parish (St Andrew's School) 7:00pm Michele Rosa, RIP Anniv. Fri 9:15am Mary Dalton, RIP Anniv 7:00pm Mary Cusack, Ints. Sat 9:00am Patrick Finn, RIP</p>	<p>Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour: Tues 7pm with Mass. Rosary is recited daily after Morning Mass. Eucharistic Adoration. Friday 9:45am-12noon, 6:00-6:55pm. First Saturday Holy Hour, 4pm-5pm Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon, Tue, Fri, 9am. Sat 8:45am Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions) Sat 9:30-10:00am. 4:30-5:00pm. 1st Saturday Devotions: Sat 9:30am.</p> <p>We welcome into the family of our parish: Charlie Gregory and Esme White who were baptised here last week. Congratulations and Prayerful good wishes to John & Caroline Howell who were married here last week</p> <p>Parish Outing to Blackpool, Saturday 22nd October 2016. It's the last chance to put your name down on the list Fare: Adults £13.00 Children £7. Altar Servers go Free. Please pay at the Piety Stall or the Presbytery</p>	
<p>Mass Intentions for Next Weekend Sat 5:30pm Joe & Alice Macklin, RIP Anniv. Sun 8:30am Jerry Corkery, RIP Anniv. 10:30am Paul Crossan, RIP Anniv.</p>	<p>Many Thanks to all who took part in our Eucharistic Festival. It was truly inspiring to see the church being visited by so many people and to experience a wonderful atmosphere of prayer. Thanks especially to those who cleaned and decorated the church so beautifully. May we continue to put the Eucharist at the centre of our lives.</p>	
<p>Recently Deceased: Philomena Davis (Gosmoor House, Yew Tree Lane) Reception, Wed 5th. October, 6:30pm, Funeral Mass, Thurs 6th. October 11am. May she rest in peace.</p>		
<p>Journey in Faith Starting Monday 26th September 7:00pm. Are you interested in finding out more about the Catholic Faith? Perhaps you know somebody who wants to become a Catholic? Maybe you're an adult who hasn't been baptised? All are welcome.</p>	<p>Our Parish Youth Group is due to re-commence on Oct. 14th. but it urgently needs more adults to act as leaders. There will be a meeting on Thurs Sept. 29th. at 6pm in the parish centre to plan our youth group's programme.. All are welcome.</p>	<p>40 Days for Life- Kick off event.: Sun 25th. Sept., 3pm, upper cloister room, The Oratory, Hagley Road with testimonies and a pro-life movie.</p>
<p>Next Patricians Discussion Group <i>Friday 30th September 7:45pm.</i> In the upper room Topic "I believe" – Faith- the power to believe?</p>	<p>Dates for your Diary:- Parish Bingo! New date, Sat Oct. 8th, Eyes Down, 7pm. Bazaar Planning Meeting: Fri Oct 14th 2016, 7:45pm. Extraordinary Ministers of The Eucharist & Readers: Meeting Fri Nov 4th 7:45pm, November Remembrance Mass: Sat Nov 5th 10:30am Parish Bazaar: Sat 3rd December 2016</p>	<p>Mass with Anointing of the Sick – Saturday 8th October. Please let the presbytery know if you would like transport so you can attend this Mass.</p> <p>St Marys Hospice Street Collection Friday 23rd & Saturday 24th Sept.</p> <p>Why not give our Thursday Club a try? We meet every Thursday afternoon in the parish centre between 2 and 3:30pm, for a chat over a cuppa, bingo and outings</p>
<p>OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS 18th September Gift Aid £225.63 ~ Non-Gift Aid £576.17 Catholic Evangelisation ~ £306.48 This Weekend ~ Walsingham Next Weekend ~ Retiring Collection for the Clergy Training Fund</p>	<p>No, I haven't gone away to train for the All Ireland Gaelic Football Final Replay! I will be in Rome this weekend, attending a Jubilee Year Gathering of Catechists. I work for the Archdiocese's Department of Parish and Family Catechesis, based at Maryvale. Whilst in Rome, I will have the privilege of concelebrating Mass with His Holiness, Pope Francis in St Peter's Basilica. I will offer this Mass for the People of our Parish. May God Bless you, Fr John.</p>	<p>Vacancy for a Family Ministry Project Worker Full details on poster in porch.</p> <p>Children's Liturgy now takes place at the 5:30pm Saturday Mass. It will also take place at 10:30 am Sunday Mass from October 2nd. onwards. More leaders are urgently needed- please see Fr John or Fr David.</p>
<p>St. Thomas More's Parish Tote This week's Jackpot £1,200 Result for 20/09/2016 11-12-19-21 Next draw, Tues 27th September 6:30pm in the presbytery</p> 	<p>Annual Eucharistic Healing Novena at the Rosary Church, Parkfield Road, Saltley, Thurs 29th. Sept. to Friday 7th. October. Weekdays: Mass, 12:15pm, Exposition 7pm.</p>	<p>Parish Societies: SVP – Saturday, 9:45am Legion of Mary Thurs 7:45am Thursday Club 2-3:30pm- parish centre Youth Group – recommences Oct 14th. Choir Practice – Tues 9:45am Journey in Faith – Mondays 7pm</p>
<p>Rotas for 2nd October: Readers: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Cleaning: M.Folan, B.McDonald</p>	<p>NEW ROTAS AVAILABLE IN SACRISTY 5:30pm Team C 8:30am Team C 10:30 am Team C 5:30pm Team C 8:30am Team B 10:30 am Team B Counting: P.Martyn, M.McDonald, J.Mills</p> <p>Refreshments in the Parish centre after 10.30am Mass. Please support!</p>	

SICK: Hugh Murphy , Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Cornelius McKay, Pam Firkins, Katie Hobday, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Kathleen Fahy, Joseph Lockington, Sally Woodcock, Joan Morris, Charlie Fogarty, Montana Coughlan, Clara Bett, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Camron Cuddihy, Vera King, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tidswell, Freya Williams, Ettie Devine, James Dalton, Paul Ryan, Fred Whitehouse, Mary Griffiths, John O'Sullivan, Anne Cleary, Elaine Collins, Lilian Collins, Jackie Gallagher, John Bond, Gillian Cox, Josephine Conboy, Mary Morris, Rita Duffy, Margaret Kelly, Joanna Jones, Michael Wallis, Val Plessner, Jean Cole, Charlotte Moriarty, Bernie O'Gorman, Rita Deehan, Nora Mills, Michael Ward, Ami Mucklow, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie & Danielle Pinches, Margaret Casey, Jack Baker, Anne O'Meara, Danny Moore, Karen O'Connor, Peter Bradford. Santhamma Abraham, Ann Maloney, Jim Barrett, Pamela Smith. Mary Cusack, Catherine Byrne, Martha Burton. **ANNIVERSARIES:** Deacon McCormack, Fr Banks, Mgr McTernan, Fr Orchard, Mgr Farrelly, HH Pope John Paul I, Fr Cotter, Fr Daly, Philip Mills, Mary Pryke, Margaret Arrowsmith, Paulina Galankiewicz, Howard Horsburgh, Maria Cristofoli, Elizabeth McGovern, Catherine Danaher, Marcella O'Riordan, May Weston, Ellen Lee, Mary Harrington, Francis Gallagher, Denis Sweetman, Henry Murphy, William Cameron, Ann Nevin, David Arrowsmith, Geraldine O'Meara, Kathleen O'Neill.