

ST THOMAS MORE, SHELDON

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<p>St. Thomas More Primary Sch. Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Head teacher: Sr. Susan Collins</p>	<p>FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER 29TH APRIL 2018 – Year B</p>	<p>St. Andrew's Primary & Nursery Sch. Windrush Close, B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly</p>
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<p>Masses</p> <p>Sat 5:30pm William Cartmill</p> <p>Sun 8:30am John McDaid, RIP 10:30am Margaret O'Dowd, RIP Anniv.</p> <p>Mon 9:15am People of the Parish (St Andrew's School) 6:30pm Denis Fogarty, RIP</p> <p>Tue 10:45am Johanna Kett 7:00pm Family of Catherine Cullinane</p> <p>Wed 9:00am Miceal Carr, RIP Anniv. <i>Memorial of St Athanasius</i></p> <p>Thurs 10:00am Funeral Mass, Danny Reddin 7:00pm Christina Lynch <i>Feast of Ss Philip & James</i></p> <p>Fri 10:00am Funeral Mass, Susan Redman. 7:00pm Hugh Prunty, RIP <i>Feast of the English Martyrs</i></p> <p>Sat 9:00am Mary Mullins</p>	<p>Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour – Tues during 7:00pm Mass. Rosary is recited daily after Morning Mass. Eucharistic Adoration Tues 11:15am-1pm. Sat. 1st Sat Holy Hour 9:30-10:30am, Sat 4:25-5:05pm. Morning Prayer of the Church: Tue 10:30am, Sat 8:45am. Sacrament of Confession: 1st Friday 6pm-6:30pm, Sat 9:30-10am, 4:30-5pm. 1st Saturday Devotions, Sat 9:30am. May Devotions Fri 6:30pm.</p> <p>Recently Deceased: <i>May they rest in peace</i> Danny Reddin (Coventry Road) Reception Wed 2nd May, 6:30pm. Funeral Mass, Thur 3rd May, 10:00am. Susan Redman Reception Thurs 3rd May 6:30pm, Fri 4th May, 10:00am. Ted Nevin (Coventry Road) Reception Mon 14 May, 6pm Funeral Mass Tues 15 May, 10am John Bond</p>	
<p>Mass Intentions for Next Weekend</p> <p>Sat 5:30pm Deceased of the Rooney Family, RIP</p> <p>Sun 8:30am Margaret Allen, RIP Anniv. 10:30am Michael Smith, RIP Anniv.</p>	<p>May the Month of Mary</p> <p>May Devotions in Church, every Friday 6:30pm. If you would like Fr John to pray the Rosary in your home please let him know.</p>	<p>Processions</p> <p>Parish May Procession Sun May 13th. after 10:30 am Mass School May Processions St Andrew's Fri May 18th, 2pm St Thomas More's, Fri May 25th, 2pm Parish Corpus Christi Procession, Sun 3rd. June after 10:30 am Mass</p>



<p>We welcome into the family of our parish Betty-Rae Robertson and Lillian Sparrow baptized here last week.</p>	<p>Church Cleaning Wednesday 2nd May after morning Mass</p>	<p>Diocesan Day pilgrimage to Walsingham Saturday 12th May, leaving Holy Family at 7:00am returning at 9:00pm £15 pp plus Diocesan levy of £3 total £18. To book a place please phone Fr Philip Griffin on 0121 772</p>
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<p>Celebrating the 50th. Anniversary of Humanae Vitae, a Public Lecture at Maryvale Institute Humanae Vitae- 50 years on: Toward a Deeper Understanding, by Rev. Prof. Gilfredo Marengo, Professor of Theological Anthropology, John Paul II Institute, Rome. Sat. May 19th, 2018, 7:30pm, Maryvale Institute, Old Oscott Hill, B44 9AG</p>	<p>A course on Amoris Laetitia, Pope Francis' letter on the Pastoral Care of Families will begin here on Monday evenings from June 4th, meeting at 7pm in the parish centre. We will meet weekly until July 23rd. The course is being organised in preparation for the World Meeting of Families, taking place in Dublin in August- which Pope Francis is due to attend. In preparation for the World Meeting of Families, please go to http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie</p>	<p>THAT'S IT FOR ANOTHER YEAR! I am very, very grateful to all who worked so tremendously hard to make the Real Ale Festival such a resounding success. It was a truly inspiring effort by many. We raised £3,858.65 over the weekend. Congratulations to the Festival Quiz Team Winners The Heebegeebes! who will be back next year to defend their title Make sure to Save the Date Saturday 4th & Sunday 5th May 2019</p>
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<p>Please visit our Easter Garden prepared by our Children's Liturgy and Youth Groups. Offerings can be made to Mary's Meals.</p>	<p>National March for Life will take place in Central London on Saturday 5th May 2018. A coach will leave from St Augustine's, Solihull, (picking up from other churches). The cost is £15 payable in advance. If you are interested in going please sign sheet in porch.</p>	<p>Petitions to the Sacred Heart A box for petitions to the Sacred Heart has been placed beside the statue in the Sacred Heart chapel. A selection of these petitions will be read when we pray the Sacred Heart novena at Mass on First Fridays.</p>	<p>Annual Solemn Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour May 7th -16th. at St Francis of Assisi, Handsworth B19 1EB Weekday services 9:15am, 12noon, 6:30pm, 8:00pm</p>	<p>Bereavement Group Meeting, Thursday 3rd May, 5:45 in the presbytery</p>	<p>Vacancy for a Temporary F/T Primary Adviser for RE & Catholic Life. See full job spec on poster in porch</p>	<p>First Holy Communion Preparation for Children in non-Catholic Schools The instruction class will next meet on Sunday April 29th. at 9:30 am in the upper room, parish centre. Any child who is in Year 3 or above at a non-Catholic school, and has not yet made his or her First Holy Communion, will be most welcome.</p>
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<p>OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS 22nd April 2018 Gift Aid £179.28 ~ Non-Gift Aid £485.42 Clergy Training Fund £359.85 Next Weekend - Bucket Collection Mary's Meals (Tickets available for a KSC Skittles evening)</p>	<p>St. Thomas More's Parish Tote JACKPOT NOW £2,900 Result for 25/04/18 05-19-21-22 Next draw will take place Wednesday 2nd May after Mass</p>	<p>The Like Minded Ladies invite you to AFTERNOON TEA in the Parish Centre at 3pm on 20th May. Entrance by ticket only, cost:£6-00. All proceeds to the Church Restoration Fund- also lots of Raffle Prizes!</p> <p>The Thursday Lunch Club (TLC) from 1:00pm. Come along for a chat, lunch and a game of bingo. We can arrange transport if requested</p>
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<p>SICK: Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Pam Firkins, Cornelius McKay, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Joseph Fahy, Joan Morris, Sally Woodcock, Joseph Lockington, Charlie Fogarty, Montana Coughlan, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Camron 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 Plessler, Jean Cole, Anne O'Meara, Bernie O'Gorman, Charlotte Moriarty, Michael Ward, Ami Mucklow, Danny Moore, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie & Danielle Pinches, Margaret Casey, Jack Baker, Peter Bradford. Santhamma Abraham, Pamela Smith, Mary Cusack, Kathleen Widdop, Kathleen Biddles, baby Jacob, Anne O'Donnell, Justin Bull, Annie Mortimer, Pdraig Mannion, Hugh Hanratty, Lynn Daniels.</p>	<p>Bingo, Next Sat 5th May Eyes Down 7:00pm.</p>
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<p>ANNIVERSARIES: Fr Cooney, Fr Heath, Fr O'Connor, Fr Byrne, Yvonne Mason, Kathleen Sutton, Veronica King, Michael Lynch, Mary Butler, Cornelius O'Mara, Winifred Lovett, Michael Walsh, Brian Cooke, Ita Matthews, Michael Smith, Albert Corns,</p>	<p>Rotas for 6th May;</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">5:30pm</td> <td style="text-align: center;">8:30am</td> <td style="text-align: center;">10:30am</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Readers:</td> <td style="text-align: center;">E</td> <td style="text-align: center;">B</td> <td style="text-align: center;">B</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</td> <td style="text-align: center;">B</td> <td style="text-align: center;">A</td> <td style="text-align: center;">E</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Cleaning:</td> <td colspan="3" style="text-align: center;">I.Buckley, S.Smith</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Counting:</td> <td colspan="3" style="text-align: center;">A.Aulton, A.Corkery, J.Crossan.</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Brasses:</td> <td colspan="3" style="text-align: center;">M.McGrory, A.Perkins</td> </tr> </table>		5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am	Readers:	E	B	B	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	B	A	E	Cleaning:	I.Buckley, S.Smith			Counting:	A.Aulton, A.Corkery, J.Crossan.			Brasses:	M.McGrory, A.Perkins		
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