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<p>St. Thomas More Primary Sch. Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Headteacher: Mrs Kate Madia</p>	<p>FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 7TH July 2019 - C</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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Masses

Sat	5:30am	John Madden, RIP Anniv..
Sun	8:30am	Lawrie Nugent, RIP
	10:30am	Josephine Lynch, RIP
Mon	9:15am	Elizabeth Hope, Ints.
Tue	9:15am	Margaret Carlin, Ints
	7:00pm	Fr Bernard McDermott
Wed	9:00am	Mary Murray, RIP
	7:00pm	Peter Fegan, RIP
Thu	9:15am	People of the Parish (St Andrew's School)
	7:00pm	Mary Catherine Goodman, RIP Anniv.
Fri	8:30am	Joan Kelly, Ints.
	7:00pm	Oliver & Alice Ruane, Wedding Anniv.
Sat	9:00am	Margaret Smith, Sick

Feast of St Benedict

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour - Tuesday during 7:00pm Mass.
Rosary is recited daily after Morning Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration
Tues 9:45-11:00am. Fri 6:30pm-7:00pm,
Sat 4:25-5:05pm.
Morning Prayer of the Church:
Mon, Tues, 9:00am, Sat 8:45am
Sacrament of Confession:
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 This week from 12noon

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

We welcome into the family of our parish
Larna Richardson, Gracie Hopkinson
and **Leo Sirik** baptised here last weekend.

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Sat	5:30pm	Confirmation Mass, Intentions of Fitzgerald Family
Sun	8:30am	Noreen Donohue, Ints
	10:30am	Confirmation Mass, Deceased of Nerney & Killeen families

Confirmation 2019
Next weekend we will be welcoming to our parish 2 auxiliary bishops of our diocese. 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. The young people will receive their certificates of confirmation at the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday 20th. July.

His Grace, Archbishop Bernard has issued a pastoral letter concerning the recent IICSA report. Please take a copy.

St Joseph's Care Home in Coleshill, which specialises in dementia care have vacancies. If anyone is looking for this sort of care then call 01675 434500

Recently Deceased -
Mick McGarvey (formerly of Horse Shoes Lane), Margaret O'Reilly
May they rest in peace

Summer Camp at Alton Castle, Aug 11th-15th. Places still available, email Beccy@kenelmoyouthtrust.org.uk
Other events being organised by Jesus Youth 'Arise' and Youth 2000

Church Cleaning
Wednesday after Mass in preparation for the Confirmation Masses next weekend. All help gratefully received.



July - Month of the Precious Blood
Divine Mercy Devotions every Friday 6:30pm.

Mass with Anointing of the Sick Sat 20th July 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

Birmingham Diocesan Trust (the Archdiocese of Birmingham) has launched a new Whistleblowing policy. This policy aims to help individuals to raise with confidence and without having to worry about being victimised, discriminated against or disadvantaged in any way as a result any serious concerns (including safeguarding issues) they may have about post-holders, colleagues, their employer, or with how the Trust operates. Find the policy at <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/policies>. The diocese is also a member of Protect, formerly Public Concern at Work - who are leading experts in whistleblowing. They provide confidential advice to individuals regarding whistleblowing, visit: <https://protect-advice.org.uk/>

Second Saturday Convention
Saturday, 13th. July, 2019, 8am-4pm at Bethel Convention Centre, B70 7JW. Mass at 9am. Chief speaker: Mar Joseph Srampickal, Syro-Malabar Bishop of Great Britain.

A study group on **Evangelii Gaudium**, Pope Francis' document on evangelisation is meeting on Monday evenings in the Parish Centre at 7pm. How can we spread the truth of the Gospel in today's world? Can we become "spirit filled evangelizers?" The spread of the Gospel is an urgent and necessary work. All are welcome.

Annual Pilgrimage to Harvington Hall. Sunday 1st September. See poster in the porch. A coach is being organised, please sign name if interested.

GK CHESTERTON Pilgrimage
Saturday 27th July.
More details in porch

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS - 30/06
Gift Aid £176.50 ~ Non-GA £416.27
Peter's Pence - £284.16
Next Weekend -
Apostleship of the Sea

Mercy Garden Party is on Sunday 14th July at Corpus Christi Church, Stechford. This year supporting 2 charities:
1. Funding to train 2 young women as teachers is South Africa.
2. Hamlin Fistula UK providing Obstetric care to destitute women in Ethiopia

Parish Family Fun Night Celebration
Sat 20th July after the 5:30pm Mass.
An American supper. Please indicate on the sheet what food items you can bring. Then.....Play your cards right!

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). Details are being finalised

Columban Interreligious Dialogue Summer School. 7-9:30pm on 16th, 17th & 18th July 2019. See poster in porch. Info @ volunteer@columbans.co.uk

St. Thomas More's Parish Tote JACKPOT NOW £2,750
Result for 02/07/19
02-05-06-16
Next draw will take place On **Tues 9th July after Mass.**



Pilgrimage to Hednesford - Sunday 7th July 2019. The coach will leave from Holy Family at 1:15pm, St Thomas More 1:30pm and St Augustine's 1:45pm.

St Edmund Campion have vacancies for a Data Manager and an Attendance Officer. More details on poster in porch.

For any safeguarding concerns, contact the diocesan team on **0121 230 6240** or safeguarding@rc-birmingham.org

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, Teresa & Des Duffy, Mary Holland, Trevor Williams

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr Rooney, Fr Armishaw, Fr Pires, Fr Gaffney, Deacon Bateman, Fr Maddox, Fr Donlon, Fr Maguire, Canon Grady, Fr Hunter, Fr Molyneux, Fr Shannon, Fr Whelan, Joseph O'Brien, Gladys Jullien, John Wright, Letitia Robinson, James Larkin, Elizabeth O'Neil, Yvonne Horton, Michael Long, Catherine Gilbert, Marion Lawton, Thomas Smith, John O'Neil, Christina Flanagan, Doreen Welch, Eugene Meehan, Alice Moran, Edmond McCarthy, Mary Rafiuddin, Malcolm Curry, James Rochford, Catherine Moroney, Maria Jones.

Eucharistic procession at St Andrew's next Friday, 2:15pm

Parish Bingo, Sat July 6th, Eyes down 7pm.
St Mary's Hospice Street collection 5th & 6th July.

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14 th July 2019	5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am
Readers:	E	D	A
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	D	C	B
Cleaning:	M.Folan, B.McDonald		
Counting:	F.Perkins, M.McGrory, T.McGrory		
Brasses:	S.Hall, C.McGrory		