

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
- 17th June 2018 Year B

St. Thomas More Primary Sch.
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St. Andrew's Primary & Nursery Sch.
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 Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly

Masses		
Sat	5:30pm	John Joe Murphy, RIP Anniv.
Sun	8:30am	Doris Bond, Ints
	10:30am	Thomas & Cath Larkin, RIP
Mon		Dedication of the Cathedral
	9:15am	People of the Parish (St. Andrew's School)
	6:30pm	Mary Hill, RIP
Tue	9:15am	Patsy Conway, Ints.
	5:30pm	Kevin Fitzpatrick, RIP Anniv.
Wed	9:15am	Tom Nolan, RIP
Thurs		Memorial of St Aloysius Gonzaga
	9:15am	Esther Molloy, RIP
	7:00pm	John Clyne, RIP
Fri		Feast of St John Fisher & St Thomas More
	9:00am	Matt & Alicia Pitcher Ints.
	7:00pm	Cyril Gallagher, RIP Anniv.
Sat	9:00am	Jean Hogan, RIP

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour – Tues during 5:30pm Mass.
Rosary is recited daily after Morning Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration Tues 9:45am-12 noon. Fri 6:30pm-7:00pm. Sat 4:25-5:05pm.
Morning Prayer of the Church: Tues, Wed, Thu 9am, Sat 8:45am.
Sacrament of Confession: Sat 9:30-10:00am, 4:30-5:00pm.

Olton Friary Church – A Memorial Day will be held at the Friary Cemetery for the departed souls of our loved ones on Saturday 7th July at 10:15am. The service will begin in the cemetery (weather permitting), followed by the blessing of graves. All are welcome and please pass on the message to your friends and relatives whose loved ones are buried in the Friary Cemetery



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

Visit of Bishop Robert Byrne

Bishop Robert Byrne, Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham, will visit our parish over the weekend July 7th./8th. He will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on the children of St Thomas More's school at the Sat 5:30pm Mass and on the children from St Andrew's school and our parish group at Sun 10:30 am Mass.

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Sat	5:30pm	Mae McLoughlin, RIP Anniv.
Sun	8:30am	Jerry Creighton, RIP Anniv.
	10:30am	James Love, RIP Anniv.

Pilgrimage in Honour of Our Lady of Lourdes - Hednesford, Sunday 1st July. Coach leaves STM at 12:30pm. Fare £10 per person. Sign up sheet in the porch. Please pay by Sunday 24th June at the Presbytery or Piety Stall.

Congratulations & Prayerful Good Wishes to the Children from St Thomas More School, St Andrew's school & the Parish Group who made their 1st Holy Communion last Weekend. We pray that it will be the first of very many to be received throughout their lives. Please also pray for the 2 children in our parish group who will make their First Holy Communion at 10:30am this Sunday. I am very grateful to those who have prepared the children by giving them Catechesis. Many thanks also to all who helped prepare the Church so beautifully.

PARISH BBQ – Saturday 23rd June, 6:30pm
 * Free Entry * Pay Bar *
 *Meat & Veggie Burgers *
 * Hot Dogs * Hot & Cold Drinks *
 * Sweet Shop * Entertainment *

A Legion of Mary Visiting team will be working in our parish from July 7th -14th. Would you be willing to provide accommodation for them on a bed & breakfast basis for that week? The breakfast only needs to be simple. Their other meals will all be taken down at the presbytery. They will cover all their expenses. If you feel you can help, please contact Fr John.

Patricians Discussion Group
 Next meeting, Friday 22nd June, 7:45pm, Upper Room.
 Topic: **"What do we believe about Heaven, Hell and Purgatory?"**
 The Patricians is a monthly discussion group run by the Legion of Mary. It gives us a chance to discuss our faith together as members of God's family.

URGENT APPEAL FOR ALTAR SERVERS!
 We are desperately short of Altar Servers in our parish. Many children in our schools would serve Sunday Mass but their parents choose not to bring them. **Grandparents/family members can you help the children of our parish get to Sunday Mass?**

A NEW AND NEARLY NEW SALE in aid of the **Church Restoration Fund** will take place on **Saturday June 30th**, from 11am-2pm. in the parish centre. Please spread the word!

A course on **Amoris Laetitia**, Pope Francis' letter on the Pastoral Care of Families is taking place here on Monday evenings **meeting at 7pm in the parish centre**. We will meet weekly until **July 23rd**. The course is being organised for the World Meeting of Families, in Dublin in August- which Pope Francis is due to attend. In prep for the World Meeting of Families, please go to <http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie>

Fr David Cullen, a White Father of Africa, will be celebrating Mass at 5:30pm on Tuesday, 19th June in our church. Mary Holland and her helpers have worked with Fr David for many years. There will be a chance to meet him in the Upper Room after Mass.

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

10th June 2018

Gift Aid £177.00 ~ Non-Gift Aid £480.33

This Weekend – Day for Life

Next Weekend – Peter's Pence

We welcome into the family of our parish **Keegan Mayers** baptized here last weekend.

Brightlights Festival, Alton Castle, 29th June-1st July
 Are you under 30 and interested in meeting like-minded young adults for a day or weekend of Faith formation, inspiring speakers and live music?
 Please visit www.brightlights.org.uk

Catholic Charismatic Family Weekend 30th June & 1st July 2018. More details in porch.

St. Thomas More's Parish Tote JACKPOT NOW £3,000

Result for 12/06/18

13-14-15-18

Next draw will take place

Tuesday 19th June after morning Mass.



Adoremus National Eucharistic Congress 7-9 September 2018, Liverpool. There are plans to organise a coach from our deanery so that people can attend the Mass and Blessed Sacrament procession on Sunday 9th September. The return fare to Liverpool will be approximately £12. One of the pick-up points can be St Thomas More's if there is sufficient interest. For more info., please see the diocesan website www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk

Fancy a little TLC? - Come and try our Thursday Lunch Club! Every Thursday in the Parish Centre from 1pm. Lunches at excellent value available. Come and enjoy the food, the craic and the BINGO!

Parish Societies:
SVP – Second Saturdays, 9:45am
Legion of Mary Thursday 7:45pm
Thursday Lunch Club Thursdays from 1pm
Youth Group Fri June 22nd, 7pm-8:30pm.
Choir Practice: Thurs June 21st., 6:30pm

SICK: Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Pam Firkins, Comelius McKay, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Joseph Fahy, Joan Morris, Sally Woodcock, Joseph Lockington, Montana Coughlan, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Cameron Cuddihy, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Etti Devine, Nora Mills, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tidswell, 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 Plesser, Jean Cole, Anne O'Meara, Bernie O'Gorman, Charlotte Moriarty, Michael Ward, Ami Mucklow, Danny Moore, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie & Danielle Pinches, Jack Baker, Peter Bradford, Santhamma Abraham, Mary Cusack, Kathleen Widdop, Kathleen Biddles, baby Jacob, Anne O'Donnell, Justin Bull, Annie Mortimer, Pdraig Mannion, Hugh Hanratty, Lynn Daniels. **ANNIVERSARIES:** Fr Jones, Fr Mooney, Fr Doona, Fr Smith, Fr Morgan, Fr Proudman, Fr Tucker, Mgr Stonier, Fr Browne, Fr Boyer, Edna Ryan, Annie Scott, Michael Madden, Christopher Burke, William Johnson, Bridget Coleman, Rosaleen Connolly, Andrew Mooney, Ida Jones, Kevin Fitzpatrick, Mary O'Brien, Annie Beck, Emmie Marshall, Franciszek Zychon, Michael Fullard, Thomas Naughton, Franciszek Maksymiak, Ivy Woodford, Josephine O'Brien, William Gordon, Patrick Knowles, Jeremiah Creighton, Reginald Heame.

Ceili dancing this Monday @ 7:45.

Rotas for 24th June;

	5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am
Readers:	B	A	B
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:	A	D	B
Cleaning:	M.Folan, B.McDonald		
Counting:	P.Martyrn, M.McDonald, J.Mills.		
Brasses:			