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THE XIII SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Sunday 27th June 2021

Holy Mass		**Intention**
Saturday for Sunday		
5:30pm	**Vigil Mass**	Mary McLoughlin RIP
	Holy Baptism	
SUNDAY		
9:00am	**Holy Mass**	Patrick Flannery RIP
11:00am	**Solemn Mass**	James Love RIP Anniv
12noon	Holy Baptism	

Weekday Masses

Monday 28th Saint Irenaeus
10:00am Holy Mass at Saint Andrew's - Thanksgiving for Confirmation (School only)
11:30am Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Confirmation
All Welcome – in Church

THE SOLEMNITY OF SAINT PETER & SAINT PAUL – *Holyday of Obligation*

6:00pm	**Vigil Mass**	Special Intention
Tuesday 29th		
9:05am	Rosary & Novena	
9:30am	**Holy Mass**	Pro Populo
7:00pm	**Holy Mass**	Cath Larkin RIP Anniv

Wednesday 30th The First Martyrs of the Church of Rome
9:30am Holy Mass Ivor & Eileen Woodford

JULY

Thursday 1st Saint Oliver Plunket
The Most Precious Blood of Our Lord
5:00pm Eucharistic Adoration
6:00pm Holy Mass David De Cruz

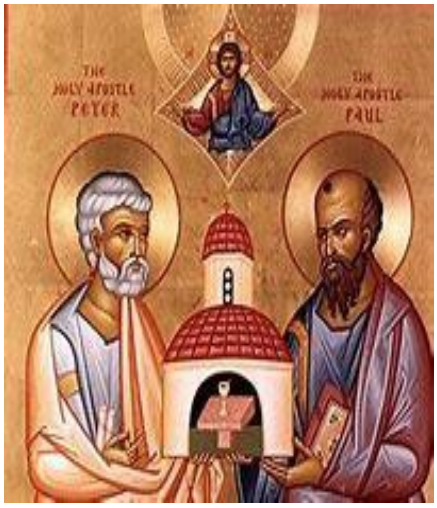
Friday 2nd - *First Friday*
9:30am Holy Mass Christopher Morris
10:00am – 11:00am
Eucharistic Adoration

Saturday 3rd Saint Thomas, Apostle - *First Saturday*
---- NO Morning Mass
12noon Holy Mass – First Holy Communions
Saint Andrew's Year 3

The Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday 4:45pm – 5:15pm
Rosary Monday – Friday before the morning Mass
Saturday after the morning Mass
Divine Mercy - After the morning Mass on Fridays

Next Sunday 4th XIV SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday for Sunday		
5:30pm	**Vigil Mass**	John Madden RIP
SUNDAY		
9:00am	**Holy Mass**	May Brennan RIP
11:00am	**Solemn Mass**	Gerard O'Malley RIP Anniv



THE SOLEMNITY OF SAINT PETER & SAINT PAUL

The Solemnity of the holy Apostles Peter and Paul is at once a grateful memorial of great witnesses of Jesus Christ and a solemn confession in favour of the one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. It is above all a feast of catholicity.

The sign of Pentecost -- the new community that speaks in all tongues and unites all peoples in one people, in one family of God -- became a reality.

THE VOCATION TO HOLINESS

"God calls all the souls he has created to love him with their whole being, here and thereafter, which means that he calls all of them to holiness, to perfection, to a close following of him and obedience to his will. But he does not ask all souls to show their love by the same works, to climb to heaven by the same ladder, to achieve goodness in the same way. What sort of work, then, must I do? Which is my road to heaven? In what kind of life am I to sanctify myself?" *Blessed Charles de Foucauld*

FROM THE ARCHBISHOP - Unfolding God's Plan

You may recall a Pastoral Letter from Archbishop Bernard Longley was read out at Mass a few weeks ago. It outlined the vision for the Archdiocese as we move forward.

Leaflets explaining The Diocesan Vision: Unfolding God's Plan will be available to take away this weekend. Please pick up a copy for yourself, and take copies for those who are unable to come to Mass.

More information on the Vision is available on the Diocesan website:
www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/vision

BISHOP DAVID EVANS

The Bishop will be with us for Holy Mass in Church this Monday 28th June at 11:30am. This is a Mass of Thanksgiving for all those who have just been Confirmed. Everyone is welcome to this Mass.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers are given in memory of Mary McLoughlin

RIGHT TO LIFE UK

"We pray for our Government, that their willingness and ability to support pregnant women would increase and that they would anchor themselves in the desire to protect all human life."

Second Collections

This Weekend: Peter's Pence