

ST. THOMAS MORE, SHELDON

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: registered charity no. 234216

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<p><i>Parish Schools:</i> St. Thomas More Primary, Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Head teacher Sr. Susan Collins.</p>	<p>SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS 1st November 2015 – Year B Year of Consecrated Life: November 30th 2014 - February 2nd 2016</p>	<p>St. Andrews Primary & Nursery, Windrush Close, Solihull B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head teacher Mr. David Naughton</p>
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Masses:

Sat	5.30pm	Joe & Alice Macklin and Bert Duffy RIP
Sun	8:30am	Martin O'Meara, RIP Anniv
	10:30am	Denis Keating, RIP Anniv.
Mon		Commemoration of the Faithful Departed
	9:15am	People of the Parish
	12 Noon	Holy Father Intentions
	7:00pm	Holy Souls
Tues	10:30am	Funeral Mass, Eileen Moore
Wed		Memorial of St Charles Borromeo
	9:00am	Bill Hartle, RIP
	10:45am	Funeral Mass, Hannah Gorman
Thur	10:00am	Margaret & Joe Seramone, Ints
Fri	10:00am	Tony Curran, RIP Anniv.
	7:00pm	Margaret Daly, RIP Anniv.
Sat	9:00am	Martina Anderson, Get well

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour: Tuesday PM with Benediction. **Rosary** is recited daily after Morning Mass.
Eucharistic Adoration Mon, Sat from 8:30am Fri 6:00-6:55pm.
First Saturday Holy Hour: 4:00-5:00pm
Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon, 9:00am. Sat 8:45am
Sacrament of Reconciliation. First Friday, 6:20-6:50pm Sat 9:30-10:00am. 4:30- 5:00pm.
First Saturday Devotions After 9:00am Mass on Saturday

Mass with Anointing of the Sick: Saturday November 14th, 2015, 10:30 am. If anyone would like transport so that they can attend this Mass, please let Fr John know.

November: Month of the Holy Souls

Our remembrance box is now available. Please write out lists of deceased members of your families whom you would like to be prayed for. Please do not put money in this box.

Prayer Partners for 1st Holy Communion -

If you would like to sponsor though prayer a child who will be making his/her 1st Holy Communion next June in our parish, please add your name to the list in the porch

House Rosaries: If you would like to arrange for the Rosary to be prayed in your home, please contact Fr. John.

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Sat	5.30pm	Mary Gavigan, RIP Anniv.
Sun	8.30am	Alf Hanson, RIP
	10.30am	Maureen O'Mara, RIP Anniv.

Recently Deceased:
Eileen Moore (formerly of Whitecroft Road), Reception, Mon, 2nd Nov 6:30pm, Funeral Mass, Tues 3rd Nov 10:30am
Hannah Gorman (Horse Shoes Lane), Funeral Mass, Wed 4th Nov., 10:45am
 May they rest in peace

We Welcome into the family of our parish
Elliot Cockett
 who was baptised here last weekend.

40 Days for Life


A campaign of prayer is taking place outside the Marie Stopes Abortion clinic on Arthur Road, Edgbaston from 8am-8pm daily until November 1st. Please support in whatever way you can.

Annual Mass for the deceased clergy of the deanery,
 Tues 10th Nov, 12 noon, Sacred Heart and Holy Souls church, Warwick Road, Acocks Green

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS
25th October

Update of offertory collections will be in next weeks newsheet
This Weekend ~ Johnson Association
Next Weekend A retiring collection for the clergy training fund

St. Thomas More's Parish Tote
 The Jackpot this week is
£2,200



Result for 27/10/2015 8,4,22,11
Next draw, Tues 3rd Nov, 6:30pm

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

Friday 6th Nov:- Bazaar Planning Meeting
Saturday 21st Nov:- 10:30am. November Memorial Mass.
Saturday 21st Nov, BINGO: Eyes Down, 7pm
Saturday 5th Dec:- 11:00am-2:00pm. Parish Christmas Bazaar.
Sunday 13th Dec:- Over 60's Christmas Lunch – More details to follow.

Parish Christmas Bazaar
Saturday 5th December, 11am-2pm

We would very much appreciate Donations of bottles for the bottle tombola and also if you know of any Cuddly toys who are looking for a new home this Christmas, you know where to bring them!!

November Blessing of Graves, all at 2pm,
unless otherwise stated:

Sun 1st Nov: Brandwood End
 Sat 7th Nov: Oscott College, 3pm
 Sun 8th Nov: Robin Hood/Kings Norton/Quinton
 Sun 15th Nov: Lodge Hill, Handsworth (2:30pm)
 Sun 22nd Nov: Widney Manor
 Sun 29th Nov: Yardley

Caritas- Archdiocese of Birmingham

You are invited to an event which will be focussing on groups that are led by volunteers, serving those in great need, including the elderly, carers of those who have dementia, those who are bereaved, Life, those who are isolated (sometimes with mental health issues), and asylum seekers and refugees. There is a chance to know how these groups started and the challenges and joys of running them, by talking to and listening to the volunteers themselves, in an informal setting at Holy Cross Centre, Upper St John's Street, Lichfield, on **Saturday 14th November 2015, 10:00am-1:00pm. Please ring Bev Smith 01675 434005 or e-mail admin@caritas-aob.org.uk to book a place.** (Small donation).

Confirmation Class begins Sunday 8th
 November 9:30am in the upper room of the parish centre. For children in Year 6 or above in non-catholic schools and who haven't been confirmed yet.

Parish Societies:

SVP – Saturday, 9:45am
Legion of Mary Thursday 7:30pm.
Thursday Club Thurs 2-3:30pm
Youth Group – Resumes after half term
Choir Practice Mon Nov 2nd, 10am
Journey in Faith - Mondays **this week 7:30pm**

<p>Rotas for 8th Nov Readers: Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Cleaning: I.Buckley, S.Smith</p>	<p>5:30pm Team D 5:30pm Team B Brasses: S.Garner, H.Nolan</p>	<p>8:30am Team D 8:30am Team C Counters: F.Perkins, M.McGrory, T.McGrory</p>	<p>Refreshments after 10:30 Sunday Mass this week- PLEASE SUPPORT!</p>
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SICK: Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Cornelius McKay, Pam Firkins, Theresa O'Shea, Katie Hobday, Hannah Lynch, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Kathleen Fahy, Joseph Lockington, Sally Woodcock, Joan Morris, Charlie Fogarty, Montana Coughlan, Clara Bett, Barry Harte, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Camron Cuddihy, Vera King, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tideswell, Freya Williams, Ettie Devine, James Dalton, Paul Ryan, Margaret Simcox, Michael Ruane, Gary Hinks, 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 Plessler, Lynn, Jean Cole, Charlotte Moriarty, Bernie O'Gorman, Rita Deehan, Beryl McGrory, Nora Mills, Michael Ward, Mary Slattery, Frank Maguire, Ami Mucklow **ANNIVERSARIES:** Fr Taylor, Deacon Grosvenor, Bishop Barrett, Fr Moore, Canon Toplass, Archbishop Couve de Murville, Fr Curtin, Fr Broomfield, Canon Smith, Mgr Gould, Fr Brisland, Mgr O'Sullivan, Canon Redford, Mary Gavigan, Joan King, Margaret Quinn, Terence Tracey, Nicholas Sherwin, Dan Morris, Dennis Moran, Gerald Sharkey, Gertrude Prew, Margaret Daly, Desmond McHugh, Kelly Watt, Tony Curran, Mary Regan, Jean Ward, Baby Jobe McGrory.