



PARISH OF ST THOMAS MORE

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

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - Year B - 29th November 2020

Masses marked in *Italics* will be behind closed doors

Saturday 28th	10:00am	Patty Rooney, RIP.
Sunday 29 th First Sunday of Advent	10:30am	Mary & Jimmy Early, RIP.
Monday 30 th St Andrew	10:00am	Kitty Ready, 100 th Birthday.
Tuesday 1 st December St Edmund Campion	10:00am 10:30am	Peggy O'Connor, Ints. Rosary & Novena
Wednesday 2 nd	10:00am	Eileen Kirk, Ints.
Thursday 3 rd St Francis Xavier	5:00-6:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration
	6:00pm	Maureen Smith, RIP.
Friday 4 th	9:30am	Christy McGowan, RIP.
	10:00-11:00am	First Friday Holy Hour

Church Opening Times w/c 29.11.2020

Sunday; 9:00 - 10:00am
Monday; 9:00 - 10:00am
Tuesday; 5:00 - 6:00pm
Wednesday; 9:00 - 10:00am
Thursday; 5:00pm - 6:30pm
Friday; 9:30 - 11:00am
Saturday; 10:00 - 11:00am

A Spiritual Holy Communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You
are present in the Most
Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all
things,
and I desire to receive
You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this
moment receive You
sacramentally, come at
least spiritually into my
heart.
I embrace You as if You
were already there and
unite myself wholly to
You. Never permit me
to be separated from
You. Amen.

ADVENT 2020



Walk With Me

Books are now available
in the porch, free of charge.

The Sower

Copies of the Advent edition
of our diocesan magazine are
available in the porch, free of
charge.

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Saturday 5 th St Birinus	10:00am	Mary McGoldrick
	10:30-11:00am	Confessions
	5:30pm	Julie Batchelor, RIP.
Sunday 6 th	8:30am	Ray Hughes RIP Anniv & Brian Gisborne RIP. Anniv.
	10:30am	John Noone, RIP Anniv.

Please remember in your
prayers all the sick of our
parish and all who's
anniversaries occur at
this time.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2020

In order for as many people as possible to attend our
Christmas Services, we will be having 5 Masses;

Christmas Eve;

12:30pm - Vigil Mass.

5:30pm - Vigil Mass.

9:00pm - Mass of Christmas Night.

Christmas Day

8:30am - Mass of the Dawn.

10:30am - Mass of the Day.

(No Midnight Mass for Covid safety reasons)

Owing to regulations and safety, entrance will be by
Ticket only and on a first come first served basis.
Sign-up sheets will be in the porch from next
weekend. Please write your name, phone number and
quantity required clearly on the sheet.
Alternatively, you can leave the same information as a
message on the parish answerphone 0121 743 2367.
Tickets will be ready for collection week commencing
19th December from the Sacristy or Presbytery.

Holy Mass will resume on Thursday evening.
Please come and be with the Lord.

Recently Deceased -

Kathleen Hull, Requiem Mass
11:00am, Tuesday 22nd December.

Mary Connelly
Mary Fogarty
Terence O'Keefe

May they rest in peace

*Family members only to attend funeral
Masses, Max 30 People.*

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday at 5:00pm - 6:00pm
Frist Friday after Mass finishing with
Benediction at 10:50am



December - Month of the Immaculate Conception

During the holy
season of Advent as
we once again prepare
for Christmas, we ask
Our Lady's prayers.
Pray the Rosary Daily.

Office Hours; The Parish Office is
open between 10:30am and 2:30pm
Mon, Tue & Wed. Any requests
for Baptism Appointments,
certificates, parish centre enquiries
etc; should be made during these
times. Tel. 0121 743 2367 or Email:
stthomasmore.bham@rcaob.org.uk

**The Piety Stall is
Now Closed**
If you require
Mass Cards Please
phone the Parish
Office

Finance - If you would like to donate
regularly to the parish, standing order & Gift
Aid forms are available from the office.
For more information please call the
Presbytery on 0121 743 2367 or you can
donate via the button on our website
www.stthomasmorerccchurch.com

PARISH SCHOOLS

St. Thomas More Primary School.
Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU
Tel: 0121 743 3289.
Principal: Mrs Kate Madia

St. Andrew's Primary & Nursery.
Windrush Close, B92 8QL
Tel: 0121 743 5675.
Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly