

PARISH OF ST THOMAS MORE

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

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Year A - 18TH October 2020

Saturday 17 TH	5:30pm	Padraig Mannion, RIP.
Sunday 18 TH	8:30am	Eileen Conlon, RIP Anniv.
	10:30am	Alf Hanson, RIP.
Monday 19 TH	9:30am	People of the Parish.
Tuesday 20 TH	9:30am	Novena Mass
	7:00pm	Confirmation Mass
Wednesday 21 ST	9:30am	NO MASS
	7:00pm	Confirmation Mass
Thursday 22 ND	5.:00pm	NO ADORATION
	7:00pm	Confirmation Mass
Friday 23 RD	9:30am	Irene Scott, RIP.

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.

Year of the Word -The God Who Speaks. Twenty-Ninth Sunday, Ordinary Time (www.twoinoneflesh.org.uk) Reflection for Married Couples

We all need each other.

The Pharisees tried to trap Jesus: He told them to give to Caesar what belongs to him, "and to God what belongs to God". The world tells us to look after ourselves and not to need others. As married couples, we know that we are made by God for one another, not needy but needing to give of ourselves entirely.

Mass Intentions for Next Weekend

Saturday 24 TH	10-11am	Confessions
	5:30pm	Martin O'Meara, RIP Anniv.
Sunday 25 TH	8:30am	Mary & Jimmy Early, RIP.
	10:30am	Maureen Gaffney, RIP Anniv.

This Weekend there will be a Second Collection as you leave church for Fr. Hudson's Care. Gift Aid Envelopes available.

Next Weekend there will be a Second Collection for World Mission Sunday

Recently Deceased

Patricia Healy, Reception 4:30pm, Monday 26th October. Requiem Mass 10:30am, Tuesday 27th October.

Doris Smith. Paidraig Mannion May they rest in peace Family members only to attend funeral Masses, Max 30 People.



October - Month of the Holy Rosary

During October the Rosary will be prayed in the half hour before all Masses. This is a wonderful way to grow closer to Jesus as we meditate upon the Mysteries of His life.



Sunday is also the Feast of Saint Luke. In honour of his Feast Day maybe try to pray and read some of his Gospel. Saint Luke Pray for us.

Eucharistic Adoration Thursdays at 5:00pm Before Holy Mass

We are a Covid Secure environment therefore Public Services will continue to be celebrated in Church.

Those attending Mass will be required to wear face coverings- masks or homemade face coverings. The obligation to attend Sunday Mass is still suspended

Financial Support of the Parish Thank you for your generosity and continued support of the work of the Gospel. Bless you all.

Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage Sunday 1st November, Live streamed at 12

noon from St Chad's Cathedral. More details on the poster in the porch.

First Holy Communion and Confirmation Cards and Gifts, rosary beads and Mass cards are available from the PIETY STALL at the weekend or the presbytery Monday-Wednesday.

Please remember in your prayers all the sick of our parish and all who's anniversaries occur at this time. Owing to New GDPR regulations we are unable to publish names publicly.

Finance - It is appreciated that it might be very difficult for parishioners to continue to make donations to the parish in these uncertain economic times. For those who are still able to donate, standing order & Gift Aid forms are available from the parish office or vou can donate via our website www.stthomasmorercchurch.com For any further information and support regarding Parish procedures, please contact the Presbytery on 0121743 2367

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: 01217435675. Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly

Office Hours:

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