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ST. THOMAS MORE, SHELDON

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<p>St. Thomas More Primary School Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Head teacher Sr. Susan Collins.</p>	<p>THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 23rd October 2016 – Year C Jubilee Year of Mercy: December 8th 2015- November 20th. 2016</p>	<p>St. Andrew's Primary School & Nursery, Windrush Close, Solihull B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head teacher Mr. David Naughton</p>
<p>Masses: Sat 5:30pm Edel McLaughlin, Ints Sun 8:30am Mary & Jimmy Early, RIP 10:30am Mary & Edward Gillespie, RIP Anniv. Mon 9:00am Deceased of Hartle & Reid Families Tues 9:00am Josie Kennedy & Rose Diver Ints. Wed 1:00pm Funeral Mass, Mary Moran Thur 9:00am Winnie McHugh, Sick Fri 9:00am Jeanne Tipping, RIP 7:00pm Vic & Carol Hancox, RIP Sat 9:00am Sean Henry, RIP</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Feasts of Ss Simon and Jude</i></p>	<p>Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour: Tues 7pm with Benediction. Rosary is recited daily after Morning Mass. Eucharistic Adoration. Thurs 9:30am-12noon. Sat 4:25-5:05pm. Morning Prayer of the Church: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri, Sat 8:45am. Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions) Sat 9:30-10:00am. 4:30-5:00pm.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">We welcome into the family of our parish Conor Teall and Jonah Banford who were baptised here last week.</p>
<p>Mass Intentions for Next Weekend Sat 5:30pm Noel Whittall, RIP Anniv. Sun 8:30am Sarah White, RIP Anniv. 10:30am Alf Hanson, RIP</p>	<p>Confirmation Preparation Group – for children in Year 6 or above at non-Catholic schools will begin on Sunday, 6th Nov 2016 in the upper room. It will meet fortnightly up to and including 17th Dec. After Christmas it will meet weekly. The children will be confirmed with the St. Andrew's school children on Sat. 18th March, 2017 at 5:30pm Mass.</p>	<p>November Memoriam Mass, Sat, 5th November, 10:30am. This Mass will be offered for all the deceased of our parish, especially those who have died this year. If you would like the name(s) of deceased loved ones to be read out during this Mass, please submit the names to the presbytery by Saturday 29th October.</p>
<p>Recently Deceased: May they rest in peace. Mary Moran (Garretts Green Lane), Reception, Tues 25th Oct. 6:00pm. Funeral Mass, Wed 26th Oct. 1:00pm Viola Crumish, Monica Lavery</p>	<p>Donations of socks, scarves and gloves are needed by the SVP for their work amongst the homeless. Please leave these items in the porch.</p>	<p>Vacancy at Archbishop Ilesley's school for a catering assistant. 6.25 hours per week term time only, £8:25 an hour. For more details, see info. in porch.</p>
<p>PERSONAL HELPER required for a Female Parishioner who needs help getting washed and dressed in the morning. If interested, please call 0121-649-4403</p>	<p>CEILI NIGHT - FRIDAY 4TH NOVEMBER, 7PM TILL LATE FEATURING THE AMAZING 'LAMP' YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS TICKETS NOW ON SALE AFTER ALL MASSES ADULTS - £7.00 ~ UNDER 18'S £3.00</p>	
<p> October Devotions Friday, 6:30pm.</p> <p>If you would like the Rosary to be prayed in your home, please see Fr John or Fr David</p>	<p>A Big Thankyou to the Like Minded Ladies, for a very enjoyable Afternoon Tea Party. Much hard work on the part of many went into this celebration. Thank you! Thanks also to those who generously supported it £1,530 was raised!! Dates have already been fixed for next year's tea parties 14th May & 15th Oct 2017. Please note these dates in your diaries!</p>	<p>New Pastoral Courses for Parishioners at Maryvale Institute. More details on poster in porch or contact through the website Maryvale.ac.uk</p>
<p>Parish Dance @ The Irish Centre, High Street, Digbeth: Friday Nov. 18th, 8 till late Music by Tom and Irene Tickets: £10, to include a light supper, on sale now. All proceeds to church restoration fund.</p>	<p>Deanery Jubilee Pilgrimage through the Holy Door at St Augustine's, Solihull, Sunday 30th October, 3pm. Extraordinary Ministers of The Eucharist & Readers: The Meeting will now take place on Fri Nov 11th 7:45pm, November Remembrance Mass: Sat Nov 5th 10:30am Parish Bazaar: Sat 3rd December 2016</p>	<p>Knights of St. Columba Skittles Evening on behalf of Mary's Meals and local charities Saturday 29th Oct 2016 7:30pm till late at Sheldon Heath Social Club. £5 to include a light buffet.</p>
<p>Journey in Faith - Will <u>not</u> meet over the half-term holiday but will resume on Monday, Oct. 31st at 7:00pm in the upper room. Still time to join!</p>	<p>Parish Bazaar Saturday 3rd December. Please can raid your drinks cabinets for any unwanted bottles and your children/grandchildren's bedrooms for any unloved teddies</p>	<p>Mass for deceased clergy of the deanery, Tues 8 Nov., 12 noon, Sacred Heart and Holy Souls, Acocks Green.</p>
<p>OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS 16th October Gift Aid £213.55 ~ Non-Gift Aid £477.47 This Weekend ~ APF World Mission</p>	<p>November Blessing of Graves, all at 2pm unless otherwise stated Sat 5th Nov: Oscott College, 3pm Sun 6th Nov: Brandwood End, Woodlands, Sun 13th Nov: Robin Hood, Lodge Hill Sun 20th Nov: Widney Manor Sun 27th Nov: Yardley, Witton, 3pm.</p>	<p>Fatima 2017 Centenary pilgrimage, 10th -17th. July £725 per person in shared room (half board). Please see poster and Fr John</p>
<p>St. Thomas More's Parish Tote This week's Jackpot £1,400 Result for 18/10/2016 01-14-16-18 Next draw, Tues 25th October 6:30pm in the presbytery</p> 	<p>Parish Societies: SVP – First Saturdays, 9:45am Legion of Mary Thurs 7:00pm Thursday Club 2-3:30pm- parish centre Youth Group – Resumes Fri Nov 11th. Choir Practice Tues 9:30am Journey in Faith – Monday Oct 31st. 7pm</p>	<p>Parish Societies: SVP – First Saturdays, 9:45am Legion of Mary Thurs 7:00pm Thursday Club 2-3:30pm- parish centre Youth Group – Resumes Fri Nov 11th. Choir Practice Tues 9:30am Journey in Faith – Monday Oct 31st. 7pm</p>
<p>Rotas for 30th October: Readers: 5:30pm Team A 8:30am Team C 10:30 am Team G Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: 5:30pm Team C 8:30am Team B 10:30 am Team A Cleaning: S.Garner, A.Cassidy Counting: G. Cassidy, L.Dean, M.Hayes</p>	<p>We need volunteers, please, to prepare refreshments after Sun 10:30 Mass</p>	

SICK: Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Cornelius McKay, Pam Firkins, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Kathleen Fahy, Joseph Lockington, Sally Woodcock, Joan Morris, Charlie Fogarty, Montana Coughlan, Clara Bett, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Camron Cuddihy, Vera King, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tideswell, Freya Williams, Ettie Devine, James Dalton, Paul Ryan, Fred Whitehouse, Mary Griffiths, John O'Sullivan, Anne Cleary, Elaine Collins, Lilian Collins, John Bond, Gillian Cox, Josephine Conboy, Mary Morris, Rita Duffy, Margaret Kelly, Joanna Jones, Michael Wallis, Val Plesser, Jean Cole, Charlotte Moriarty, Bernie O'Gorman, Rita Deehan, Nora Mills, Michael Ward, Ami Mucklow, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie & Danielle Pinches, Margaret Casey, Jack Baker, Anne O'Meara, Danny Moore, Peter Bradford, Santhamma Abraham, Pamela Smith, Mary Cusack, Catherine Byrne, Martha Burton, Mary Hill, Kathleen Widdop, Patricia Doran.

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr Galcius, Fr Burbage, Fr Moore, Fr McGovern, Fr Kelly, Mary O'Brien, Catherine Hodgetts, Phoebe Rooney, John Rooney, Pam Vennard, Robert Jones, Noel Burke, Kathleen Harris, Margaret Ireland, Dean Ravenhill, Margaret Young, Sarah White, John Henry, Alice Casey, Jim Lacey, Mary Valentine, Annie O'Brien, Noel Whittall, Martin O'Meara, May O'Brien, James McMullen, William Stone, Alice Barrett, William Moten.