

<p><b>St. Thomas More Primary Sch.</b> Horse Shoes Lane, B26 3HU Tel: 0121 743 3289. Exec. Principal: Mrs Rebecca Nash</p>	<p><b>THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> <b>– 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018 - Year B</b></p>	<p><b>St. Andrew's Primary &amp; Nursery Sch.</b> Windrush Close, B92 8QL Tel: 0121 743 5675. Head Teacher: Mr Kevin Kelly</p>
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<p><b>Masses</b></p> <p><b>Sat</b> 5:30pm Noel Whittall, RIP</p> <p><b>Sun</b> 8:30am Martin O'Meara, RIP Anniv 10:30am Toolan Family, RIP Anniv.</p> <p><b>Mon</b> 9:00am Dave Dabney, RIP</p> <p><b>Tue</b> 9:00am Isabel Holland, RIP</p> <p><b>Wed</b> 9:00am Geoffrey Burke, RIP</p> <p><b>Thurs</b> 9:00am Denis Keating, RIP Anniv. 12noon People of the Parish 7:00pm Mary Gavigan, RIP Anniv.</p> <p><b>Fri</b> 9:00am Holy Souls 12noon Ann Maloney, Ints. 7:00pm Margaret Daly, RIP Anniv.</p> <p><b>Sat</b> 10:30am Deceased of Parish</p>	<p><b>NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL SUCCOUR</b> – Tuesday during 9:00am Mass. <b>Rosary</b> is recited daily after Morning Mass. <b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> Thurs All Saints 10:00am-12noon. Fri 6:30-7:00pm. 1st Saturday Holy Hour 9:30am-10:30am. Sat 4:25-5:05pm. <b>Morning Prayer of the Church:</b> Mon-Fri 8:45am. <b>Sacrament of Confession:</b> 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 6:30-7:00pm. Saturday 10:00am-10:25am &amp; 4:30pm-5:00pm.</p>
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<p><b>Mass Intentions for Next Weekend</b></p> <p><b>Sat</b> 5:30pm Breda Clyne</p> <p><b>Sun</b> 8:30am John Elliot, RIP 10:30am Deceased of Nerney &amp; Killeen Families</p>	<p><b>Legion of Mary –Meeting Times</b> <b>Adult Group</b> – Thurs Eves 7:45pm <b>Junior Group</b> – Friday Eves 5:45pm Both meet in the Parish Centre. <b>Junior School Groups</b> St Thomas More's, Tues 3:30pm St Andrew's, Thurs 3:45pm</p> <p><b>Mass with Anointing of the Sick</b>, Sat 17<sup>th</sup> November, 10:30am, Let Fr John know if you would like transport. Devotions in honour of St. Peregrine, patron saint of cancer sufferers, from 10:15 am.</p>
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<p><b>Recently Deceased:</b> <b>Charlie O'Donnell</b> Reception 4<sup>th</sup> Nov at 5pm, Funeral Mass 5<sup>th</sup> Nov at 10am to take place at Sacred Heart &amp; Holy Souls, Acocks Green.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>May he rest in peace</b></p>	<p><b>HCPT Group 148</b> would like to offer a place for a child in our Parish to travel to Lourdes in April 2019, ideally a child that has not travelled to Lourdes before. If you know of a child/ family that would benefit from 24 hours support for all their health needs that would be able to travel by air please speak to Fr John or Sue Nightingale.</p> <p><b>Mass for the deceased clergy of the deanery</b>, Tuesday Nov 13<sup>th</sup>, 12 noon at Sacred Heart and Holy Souls, Acocks Green.</p> <p><b>Church Cleaning</b>, Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October after morning Mass. Volunteers welcome.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dates for your diary –</b></p> <p><b>Planning Meeting re St Thomas More's Youth Group</b>, Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Nov., 7:45pm <b>Skittles Evening</b>- Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Dec., 7pm <b>Parish Christmas Lunch</b> – Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Dec, 1pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Urgent appeal for Prayers for the Church</b></p> <p>Pope Francis has asked us to commit ourselves to praying the Rosary every day this October. He has also asked us to pray the prayer in honour of St Michael the Archangel and add the following prayer "We fly to thy protection, O Holy Mother of God, despise not our prayers in our necessities but ever deliver us from all dangers, O glorious and blessed Virgin."</p>	<p><b>A Plenary indulgence</b> can be gained for the Holy Souls by visiting a church and praying one Our Father, one Hail Mary and one Creed on All Souls Day, 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov.,</p> <p><b>Parish Day of Prayer for vocations</b>, Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Nov, Eucharistic Adoration from 9:00am to 6:25pm</p> <p><b>Thursday November 1<sup>st</sup> – All Saints Day</b>, a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses at 9am, 12noon and 7pm</p>
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<p>This year we are holding a <b>Grand Christmas Prize Draw</b> instead of the parish bazaar, so are looking for donations of raffle prizes. Donations and new ideas welcome!</p>	<p><b>40 days for Life</b> There will be a prayer campaign outside the Marie Stopes abortion centre, 4 Arthur Road, Edgbaston, B15 2UL from 8am-8pm daily until Nov 4<sup>th</sup>. More info Isabel 07773 501721.</p> <p><b>Blessing of Graves Ceremonies</b> (all 2pm) 4 November Brandwood End/Woodlands 11 November Widney Manor/Kings Norton/Quinton 18 November Lodge Hill/Yardley 25 November Robin Hood/Wythall/ St Nicholas</p>
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<p>We welcome into the family of our Parish <b>Lily-Rose Purcell-Ray, Edward Tilt, Alfie-James Wheeler and Charlie-Jon Harrison</b> baptised here last weekend.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Afternoon Tea Party</b> organised by the Like Minded Ladies – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2:00pm-4:00pm. Tickets £6</p>	<p><b>WOMEN, FAITH &amp; DIALOGUE</b> – from 10:00am on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November at Christ Church in Sparkbrook B11 1LS. The event is free to attend and concludes with lunch at 1pm. More details on the poster in the porch</p> <p><b>A message from His Grace, Archbishop Bernard</b> As many of you will already be aware, the Archdiocese of Birmingham will be participating in the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse (IICSA) at a hearing next month (Nov) in London. IICSA was set up some years ago by the government following a number of high profile and serious cases of historic child abuse. Through its investigations, IICSA is seeking to understand "what went wrong, and why." The Archdiocese has been asked to participate in IICSA's investigations along with other organisations within the Catholic Church. A pastoral letter will be read out in all churches next weekend (3/4 November) on this matter. If you would like to speak to someone about safeguarding and the Church's work, please call <b>0121 230 6240</b> or emergency out-of-hours on <b>07976 516629</b>. Please pray with us for all victims of abuse, and for all those involved in this important inquiry.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS – 21<sup>st</sup> Oct</b> Gift Aid £165.00 ~ Non-Gift Aid £635.44 World Mission - £438.54</p> <p><b>This Weekend</b> – Retiring collection for Clergy Training Fund <b>Next Weekend</b> – Johnson Association</p>	<p><b>Journey in Faith on Mondays at 7:00pm</b> in the parish centre. (Next session, Mon Nov 5<sup>th</sup>.) Are you an adult who has not been baptised? Do you know someone interested in baptism? Are you interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith? Maybe you simply wish to deepen your own faith? All are welcome. For those who would find it difficult to attend a meeting in the evening, we are starting an <b>additional Journey in Faith</b> group, meeting in <b>St Andrew's school after the Monday morning Mass- starting on Monday Nov 5<sup>th</sup>.</b></p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>St. Thomas More's Parish Tote JACKPOT NOW £950</b></p> <p>Result for 23/10/18</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>03-08-23-24</b></p> <p>Next draw will take place On Tue 30<sup>th</sup> October after morning Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Parish Societies:</b> <b>SVP</b> – Second Saturdays, 9:45am <b>Legion of Mary</b> Thursday 7:45pm <b>Choir Practice:</b> None this week <b>Thursday Club</b> Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>. Nov. 1:00pm. <b>Journey in Faith</b>, Mon Nov 5<sup>th</sup>, 7pm</p>
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<p><b>SICK:</b> Hugh Murphy, Chris O'Shea, Mary Marie, Magda Skrybant, Pam Firkins, Cornelius McKay, Rosie Smith, Joachim Blaney, Peter Fahy, Joseph Fahy, Joan Morris, Sully Woodcock, Joseph Lockington, Montana Coughlan, Stephanie Allsop, Maria Walton, Cameron Cuddihy, Ann Taylor, Richard Coe, Etti Devine, Nora Mills, Daniel Meadows, Darlene Tideswell, Freya Williams, James Dalton, Paul Ryan, Mary Griffiths, John O'Sullivan, Elaine Collins, Lilian Collins, Gillian Cox, Josephine Conboy, Rita Duffy, Margaret Kelly, Joanna Jones, Michael Wallis, Val Plessner, Jean Cole, Anne O'Meara, Charlotte Moriarty, Ami Mucklow, Danny Moore, Jeanette Kilmartin, Demie &amp; Danielle Pinches, Jack Baker, Peter Bradford, Santhamma Abraham, Mary Cusack, Kathleen Widdop, Kathleen Biddles, baby Jacob, Anne O'Donnell, Justin Bull, Annie Mortimer, Pdraig Mannion, Hugh Hanratty, David Comerford, Margaret Bond, Ann Heath.</p>	<p><b>Bingo!</b> <b>Sat Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>, Eyes Down 7pm</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Rotas for 4<sup>th</sup> November 2018</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <tr> <td></td> <td>5:30pm</td> <td>8:30am</td> <td>10:30am</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Readers:</b></td> <td>A</td> <td>D</td> <td>G</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b></td> <td>D</td> <td>C</td> <td>A</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Cleaning:</b></td> <td colspan="3">S.Garner, A.Cassidy</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Counting:</b></td> <td colspan="3">F.Perkins, M.McGrory, T.McGrory</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Brasses:</b></td> <td colspan="3">S.Hall, C.McGrory</td> </tr> </table>		5:30pm	8:30am	10:30am	<b>Readers:</b>	A	D	G	<b>Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:</b>	D	C	A	<b>Cleaning:</b>	S.Garner, A.Cassidy			<b>Counting:</b>	F.Perkins, M.McGrory, T.McGrory			<b>Brasses:</b>	S.Hall, C.McGrory		
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<p><b>ANNIVERSARIES:</b> Fr Kelly, Fr O'Dwyer, Fr Faulconer-Morgan, Fr Taylor, Deacon Grosvenor, Bishop Barrett, Fr Moore, Canon Toplass, Archbishop Couve de Murville, Mary O'Brien, James McMullen, William Stone, Alice Barrett, William Moten, Daniel Buckley, Geraldine Shally, Michael Such, Karoly Futo, Anne Colgan, Thomas Quirke, Mary Gavigan, Joan King, Margaret Quinn, Terence Tracey, Nicholas Sherwin, Dan Morris.</p>	<p><b>Parish Societies:</b> <b>SVP</b> – Second Saturdays, 9:45am <b>Legion of Mary</b> Thursday 7:45pm <b>Choir Practice:</b> None this week <b>Thursday Club</b> Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>. Nov. 1:00pm. <b>Journey in Faith</b>, Mon Nov 5<sup>th</sup>, 7pm</p>
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