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BREVIARY: WEEK 2 OF PSALTER (YEAR C) SATURDAY 26TH OCTOBER TO SUNDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2019

Sunday Masses can be viewed live on **YouTube**, click on the link on our website.

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216

OCTOBER	TIME	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION	TIME	HOLY TRINITY	INFORMATION
SATURDAY 26TH	6.00 PM	Bill Hornby (RIP)			
SUNDAY 27TH	<u>9.30 AM</u>	People of the Parish	<u>8.00 AM</u>	People of the Parish	30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	11.00 AM	Beloved Son Andrew & Grandson Byron followed by Baptisms			
	5.00 PM	HOLY HOUR			Exposition, Vespers and Benediction
MONDAY 28TH	9.30 AM	William Swanson (RIP)	9.30AM		Feast of Ss Simon & Jude, A
TUESDAY 29TH	9.30 AM	Mary-Anne Last (RIP) followed by interment of ashes		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary Time Foynes Memorial Garden
	12 NOON	Monthly Lunch			St John Paul II Centre
	2.00 PM	Divine Mercy Chaplet			Church
WEDNESDAY 30TH	9.30 AM (Chu)	Ints of Kings Family		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary Time
THURSDAY 31ST	9.30 AM	Kathleen Day (RIP)		NO MASS	Feria in Ordinary Time
FRIDAY 1ST	9.30 AM	Holy Souls	9.30 AM	Holy Souls	Solemnity of All Saints
NOVEMBER	12 NOON	Holy Souls			Holy Day of Obligation
	7.30 PM	Private Intention - JS			
SATURDAY 2ND	9.30 AM (BP)	Prisoners and their families		NO MASS	All Souls' Day
	10.15 AM	For Deceased Spouses			
	5.15 PM	ROSARY			
	6.00 PM	People of the Parish			
SUNDAY 3RD	<u>9.30 AM</u>	Holy Souls	<u>8.00 AM</u>	People of the Parish followed by Blessing of Graves	31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
	11.00 AM	Jesse Smith (RIP) followed by Blessing of Graves in Foynes Memorial Garden			
	5.00 PM	HOLY HOUR			Exposition, Vespers and Benediction



Holy Trinity Hethe

This Weekend's Liturgy of the Word

At the start of the Mass we confess in no uncertain terms that we are sinners. We admit that we offend in our thoughts and in our words, in what we do and in what we fail to do.

Furthermore, we make no excuses.

First Reading (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19). God shows no partiality for the rich and the powerful, but listens to the humble prayer of the just and the lowly.

Second Reading (2 Tim 4:6-8, 16-18). St Paul, a prisoner in Rome, feels that his death is drawing near. But his confidence is unshaken and his hope of the 'crown of glory' is bright.

Gospel (Luke 18:9-14). This contains the great parable of Christ about the Pharisee and the tax collector. The Pharisee in Christ's story boasted that he was not like the rest of men. By this he meant that he was not a sinner.

Canon John Y Batthula - Parish Priest & Dean

CONFESSIONS

Saturday
10.45 am - 11.30am
5pm - 5.30pm

ROSARY

After weekday
Masses

Divine Mercy

Tuesday 2.00pm

HOLY HOUR

Sunday 5pm

Youth Group

(Term Time)

Monday 7.15 pm

COFFEE & TEA

IC Sunday's

After 9.30am and

11am Masses

HT after 8 am Mass

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

CATENIANS: Contact Peter Sims 01869 249638.
TRADECRAFT: Open 3rd weekend of month
100 CLUB DRAW: Last Sunday of the month
MEN'S NIGHT: currently none
RCIA Tuesdays, in the St John Paul II from 8pm-9pm from Nov-April.
CAMEO LADIES GROUP: Meet at Kings Arms, last Saturday of the month at 10.30am for coffee, cake & chat. Do join us!
COFFEE MORNINGS: Fridays 10am-11.45am: Nov 8th, Dec 6th.
LUNCHESES: Tuesdays 12 noon. **Oct 29th.**
The Scripture/Prayer Group 1st and 3rd Thursday in the month. Janet Marshall on 07434930992.

LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

K Cashman, Tim Charles, Joyce Thornley, Mary Ashley.



SACRAMENTS

WELCOMING & OFFERTORY: First Holy Communion and Confirmation families; please add your names to the list which is available at the back of church. Please do so asap as names will be assigned otherwise.

CONFIRMATION—PARENT'S SESSIONS

Held on Saturdays: 16th Nov, 7th Dec, 18th Jan from 9am-10am in the St JP II Centre. An opportunity for parents to learn more about the sacrament.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ENROLMENT Sunday 24th November at 9.30am.

APF/MISSIO Red box holders please bring in your donations by the end of



November so that they can be banked before the end of the financial year (December). Deliver to Parish Office, piety shop or sacristy. Thank you.

SYMPATHY Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mary-Anne Last. Mary-Anne's ashes will be interred into the Foynes Memorial Garden on Tuesday, 29th October after 9.30am Mass. *May she rest in peace. Pray for all those who have died and for all who mourn.*

FILIPINO DAY OF PRAYER Saturday, 23rd November from 4-6pm in church Rosary, Medjugorie adoration, Mass at 6pm. Refreshments in the St JP II afterwards. All Welcome!

ANOTHER ZZAP! DAY SATURDAY, 16th November 2019 at the JP II CENTRE.

Tickets £5 per person, on sale soon.

CATHOLIC SINGLES is an organisation which helps single Catholics of all ages (over 18 years) meet other single Catholics, either one to one or through social events. For further information call tel. 0161 941 3498 or visit

www.catholicingles.org.uk

ST MARY'S SCHOOL - OPEN MORNING St Mary's School will be holding their Open Morning for prospective EYFS parents and pupils on Wednesday, 13th November from 10.00 – 11.30am. If your child was born on or between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016, you need to apply for a primary school place after 1st November. Deadline for applications is 15th January 2020. You can apply online www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/admissions

CHRISTMAS FAYRE: Saturday, 30th November in the St JP II Centre.

Cake, bottle, chocolate & raffle donations gratefully received.

Please deliver to the piety shop or JP II Centre.

HOLY TRINITY - HETHE

Deceased parishioners: Let us pray for our deceased parishioners especially Elsie Fathers, Emma Lawson, Henry Waring and Alan Palmer whose anniversaries occur about now.

Monday Films continue after Mass on Monday 28th October after the 9.30am Mass with the second part of Bishop Robert Barron's *The Mystery of God*.

The Rosary will be prayed after the 9.30 am Mass on Fridays for those of our families who have lapsed from the practice of the faith.

November is traditionally the month particularly set aside for prayers for the Holy Souls in Purgatory, especially for the deceased members of our families and for those who are without family to pray for them. Please take an envelope from the bench beside the font, write the name(s) of those for whom you wish Mass to be offered, place an offering in the envelope and hand it to one of our priests.

Attendance: 35. Cash collection £37.31. 2nd collection £44.00

Hethe	27/10	3/11	10/11	17/11	24/11	1/12
Lector	K D'Silva	P Lee	R Deane	D Mathews	D McDermott	V Barnes
Counters						



NOVEMBER—MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Friday 1st November-All Saints

Hethe 9.30am

Bicester 9.30am, 12 noon & 7.30pm

Saturday 2nd November-All Souls

Bicester 10.15am & 6.00pm

Blessing of Graves

Sunday 3rd Nov - Hethe after 8am Mass.

Sunday 3rd Nov - Foynes Memorial Garden after 11am Mass.

Sunday 17th Nov - Vespers at 3pm followed by Blessing of

Graves at Bicester Cemetery.

Sunday 24th Nov - Blessing of Graves in Ambrosden at 3.30pm.

Please add names to the list of the back of church for deceased to be remembered in Ambrosden.

Correction: Remembrance Sunday Service at St Edburg's -

Proceed after 9.30am Mass and not the 11am Mass as stated on Month of Holy Souls leaflet.

HOLY SOULS ENVELOPES Please place names of deceased in the envelopes for Masses to be offered for Holy Souls in the month of November. The casket for envelopes to be posted will be placed in Our Lady's Chapel from 1st November. Envelopes are available at the back of church. Please see leaflet for other Masses during the month.

COME ALONG FOR A WARM AUTUMN LUNCH WHICH WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 29th OCTOBER AT 12 NOON. ONLY £5 PP. ALL WELCOME!

Teams for Sunday the:	27/10	3/11	10/11	17/11	24/11	1/12
Counting (7)	5	6	7	1	2	3
Cleaning (7) no 5	3	4	6	7	1	2
Children lit. (5)	2	3	4	5	1	2
Coffee 9am (14)	12	13	14	1	2	3
Coffee 11am (7)	3	4	5	6	7	1
Flowers	Sally	Sally	volunteer	volunteer	Magda	Magda
Tradecraft				Open		

SECOND COLLECTIONS

OCTOBER

27th Parish Maintenance

NOVEMBER

3rd Johnson Association

10th Parish Maintenance

17th Parish Maintenance

24th Catholic Youth Service



PARISH OFFERINGS

1st GA: £79.50 Loose:£376.28
 Total: £455.78+ Standing Orders

APF MISSION 2nd GA: £40.58 Loose:£274.47
 With thanks for all your generosity to the Parish and to charity.

This weekend: 27/10	Extrao. Min	Extrao. Min	Extrao. Min	Extrao. Min	Lector	Lector	Welcomer	Welcomer	Offertory	Attendance last week
Saturday 6pm	Sr Sherly	Sr Rose	S Jacob	M Thompson	B Kirwan	A Hall	Thompson	Family	Haley Family	97
Sunday 9.30am	C Hartley	A Brown	M Brown	Clergy	L Taylor	S Taylor	M & A Brown		Volunteers	206
Sunday 11am	F Thornely	H King	Clergy	Clergy	T O'Callaghan	J Hurst	Pacholec Family		Franta/ Halija	185
Next weekend: 3/11										488
Saturday 6pm	B Thompson	M Kelly	I Foley	M John	K Kallay	P Kallay	M Marrs/T Behan	G Murphy	N Prestana	
Sunday 9.30am	K Riley	S Doherty	M Doherty	Clergy	M Daniel	L Cleeve	Moore family		A Rektor	
Sunday 11am	M Lynch	J Hanna	Clergy	Clergy	I Ziegart	I Cook	M Lynch		Volunteers	