



THE PARISH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

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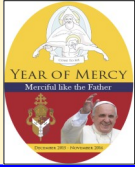


JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

BREVIARY: WEEK 1 OF PSALTER (YEAR C)

Sunday 26th June to Saturday 2nd July 2016



Masses & Events During This Week

<u>Times</u>	<u>Intentions</u>	<u>Feasts</u>
Saturday 25th June		<i>Feria</i>
5.15 pm	Rosary, Litany and Angelus	
6.00 pm	People of the Parish & Garrison	
Sunday 26th June		<i>Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary time</i>
9.00 am	Virgilia Tacoloy (RIP) - <i>Children's Liturgy</i>	
11.00 am	Fiona Beasley (RIP) followed by Baptism	
5.00 pm	Vespers & Benediction	
Monday 27th June		<i>Feria</i>
7.15pm	Youth Group meeting—JPPII Centre	
Tuesday 28th June		<i>Memorial of St Irenaeus, BM</i>
12 Noon	Monthly Lunch	
2.00 pm	Divine Mercy Chaplet	
7.00pm	Emma Aba (RIP)	
Wednesday 29th June		<i>Solemnity of SS Peter & Paul, Apostles</i>
9.30 am	Josephine Atherton (RIP)	
Thursday 30th June		<i>Feria</i>
7.00pm	James Flynn (RIP)	
Friday 1st July		<i>Feria</i>
12 noon	Fiona Beasley (RIP)	
7pm - 8pm	Holy Hour—1st Friday Devotions	
Saturday 2nd July		<i>Feria</i>
No Confession in the morning		
8.30 am (BP)	Welfare of the Prisoners families	
10.15 am	Service of The Word with Communion	
5.00– 5.30pm	Confession	
5.15 pm	Rosary, Litany and Angelus	
6.00 pm	People of the Parish & Garrison	
Sunday 3rd July		<i>Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary time</i>
9.00 am	Mike McCarthy (RIP) School Mass - <i>Children's Liturgy</i>	
11.00 am	Sam Rowley (RIP) followed by Family Festival	
No Vespers & Benediction		

Coffee & Tea after 9.00 am & 11.00 am Masses in JPPII Centre.

IMPORTANT: Please note that the Causeway will be closed on 3rd July from 10.30am -1pm for the Civic Parade - Due to heightened security status restricted parking will also be implemented along Church St/Lane and Market Square. Alternative parking available at Pingle Field Pavilion from Saturday 7pm-Sunday 2pm.

MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

POPE JOHN PAUL II CENTRE LTD

Last weekend, Peter O'Meara, Chair of the Parish Finance Committee, spoke at all three Masses with regard to the present situation and the future of Pope John Paul II Centre Ltd.

My sincere thanks to all our volunteers and Frankie who is still employed by the Pope John Paul II Centre Ltd. Without their generosity we would not have achieved what we have achieved.

May God bless them.

Now I would like to officially start advertising for the post of Coordinator for the Pope John II Centre Ltd. Persons interested, please visit the Centre or Parish websites:

<http://www.immaculate-conception.org.uk/> or

<http://www.johnpaulcentre.co.uk/>

for **JOB SPECIFICATION AND DESCRIPTION.**

The last date for job application submissions is Friday 15th July 2016 by 4.15 pm.

Interviews on Monday 18th July 2016.

God bless you all.

Fr. John Y Batthula

Parish Priest

PRIESTLY SILVER JUBILEE OF FR JOHN ON FRIDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2016.

The Parish will be celebrating the Priestly Silver Jubilee celebration for Fr John. There will be a Mass held in the evening with reception in the John Paul II afterwards. Please pop the date in your diaries. Formal invitation is on the notice board and more information will follow.

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Parish Web Site: <http://www.immaculate-conception.org.uk>

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

Your prayers are requested for our sick parishioners and friends, especially those whose names appear below:

SICK OR HOUSEBOUND: Janet Ray, I Cook, M Smith, D Dee'le, M Wallace, M Smyth, C Whitehead, B Hunt, B Shepard, Sr Alma, P Harris, F J Smith, G Newton, P C Busby, E Browne, E Cotter, J Hurst, L Lambert, F Ostrowski, S Clarke, J Fowler, J James, P Mears, B & D Weaver, S Stidston, P Dean, N Southey, E Stonell, A McCambridge, J Calver, J James, J O'Rourke, M Lewandowski, M May, A Davies, N Cahill, Mrs Curzon, M Kilby, J Calnan, A Kustra, C Brown, E Hawkins, M Starrett, E Batchelor, K Cashman, R Adams, Sr: Mary Humbert, C B Corpus, M Delos Santos, A Blakeley, W Babington, J Wickens, Avielia Doniselli Morgan, William Stonell.

PIETY SHOP: Open around weekend Masses. Rosaries, Mass intention cards, gifts & missals. Second hand religious books. Large selection of CTS books on various topics inc. Sacred Heart of Jesus.

MONTHLY LUNCH The next lunch will be held on Tuesday at 12 noon. Why don't you come and support as well as have a delicious lunch. All welcome.

NEW READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:

If you are interested, please get in touch with me. Alternatively if you would like to become a reader add your name to the list at the back of church. A couple of evening sessions will be arranged to explain the importance and practicalities. It's a very important ministry and please feel to volunteer. For more information contact the parish office. CTS booklets for Readers and Extraordinary Ministers are on sale in the piety shop.

NEW WELCOMERS: We need more volunteers, especially at the 11am Mass, if you or your family would like to volunteer, there is list on the notice board, please put your name.

FAMILY FESTIVAL SUNDAY 3 RD July after 11am Mass. A fun day for all the family. Food, stalls and certificate giving. All Welcome to come along. If you can help on the day, please add your name to the list. Thank you!

Sacramental Photos—will be available on Family Festival Day—please bring a memory stick.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE to St Aloysius and Littlemore, September 4th 2016 after 11am Mass returning approx. 5-6pm. For now please add name/s if you would be interested in coming along, we need sufficient numbers for the trip to go ahead – The day will consist of a visit to Littlemore Convent, with time for a bring your own picnic and wander around the grounds then onto St Aloysius Oratory Church, Oxford for Benediction.

KENELM YOUTH TRUST- ALTON CASTLE

Summer Camp Jimmy Mitchell is back! For 11-17 year olds the Castle is home again for our extreme summer camp. Catholic, Challenging Adventure in the Peak District. Ropes, Water and Night time activities. See the crazy fun and games with youthful prayer and celebrations of the sacraments. www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk or Beccy to book 07725554946.

Teams For Sunday the:	26/6	3/7	10/7	17/7	24/7
Counting (7) No team 4	3	6	7	1	2
Cleaning (7)	6	7	1	2	3
Children lit. (5)	4	5	1	2	3
Coffee 9am (14)	7	8	9	10	11
Coffee 11am (7/8)	7	1	2	3	4
Flowers	Kathryn	Lucia	Lucia	Sandy	Sandy
Tradecraft				open	

DIARY DATES

Cake and Produce Sale - First Sunday of the month.
TRADECRAFT Stall open every 3rd weekend of the month.
YOUTH GROUP -2nd,3rd,4th, Mondays in month. 7.15 pm–8.30 pm Term time only.
BABY AND TODDLER Term time Thursday 9.15-10.45am at Presentation Convent.
CHILDREN'S LITURGY- Sunday at 9.00 am Mass.
PRESENTATION ASSOC. Monthly meetings first Wednesday of month.
100 CLUB DRAW After 9.00am Mass last Sunday of the month.
28th June: Monthly Lunch at 12 noon.
3rd July: Family Day after 11am Mass - all welcome
8th July - Coffee Morning 10am
23rd September: Father John's Silver Jubilee celebrations
3rd December: Christmas Fayre
4th March 2017 - Confirmations

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS: From 7.00 pm to 8.00pm we will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, during this time, we will have vespers and an opportunity to go to Confession, followed by Benediction. Our Lord will wait for you, so why don't you come along with your family?

Prayer for the Year of Mercy

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us to be merciful like the heavenly Father, and have told us that whoever sees you sees Him. Show us your face and we will be saved. Your loving gaze freed Zacchaeus and Matthew from being enslaved by money; the adulteress and Magdalene from seeking happiness only in created things; made Peter weep after his betrayal, and assured Paradise to the repentant thief. Let us hear, as if addressed to each one of us, the words that you spoke to the Samaritan woman: "If you knew the gift of God!"

You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifests his power above all by forgiveness and mercy: let the Church be your visible face in the world, its Lord risen and glorified. You willed that your ministers would also be clothed in weakness in order that they may feel compassion for those in ignorance and error: let everyone who approaches them feel sought after, loved, and forgiven by God. Send your Spirit and consecrate every one of us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, and your Church, with renewed enthusiasm, may bring good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to captives and the oppressed, and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy, you who live and reign with the Father & the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen.

Blessed John Henry Newman - Pray for us
Blessed Dominic Barberi - Pray for us

Bullington Prison Chaplaincy Duty-

Every Thursday 8.30 am - 5.30 pm. Every Friday 8.30 am - 11.30 am.
 Every Saturday 8.30 am - 3.00 pm.

Collections

The 2nd collection next week is for Peter's Pence

The 2nd collection this week is for Parish Maintenance.

PARISH OFFERINGS

	GA	£ 368.92
	Loose	£ 342.36
		£711.28
	Day For Life	
	2 nd GA	£ 165.90
	2 nd Loose	£ 163.11
		£ 329.01

26th June	Extr. Minister	Extr. Minister	Extr. Minister	Extr. Minister	Reader	Reader	Welcomer	Welcomer
Saturday 6pm	M Edgar	S Haydon	S Jacob	S Wilde	C Hall	A Hall	Lazarus family	
Sunday 9am	K Coffey	B Crook	K Riley	F Ostrowski	P Cousins	L Green	K Riley	Crook Family
Sunday 11am	F Thornley	A Dunkley	E King*	J Hanna	H King*	M Lawrence	M Lynch	
3rd July								
Saturday 6pm	B Thompson	D Zanre	M Thompson	I Foley	S Haydon	B Kirwan	Janet	L Hook
Sunday 9am	N Conway	E Conway	S Doherty	M Doherty	K Gore	R Weaver	Cousins	Family
Sunday 11am	F Ostrowski	J Hanna	S Lawrence	P Pickering	St Mary's Children	St Mary's Children	St Mary's	Children

MASS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEKEND: Saturday 6.00 pm: 123 Sunday 9.00 am: 134 11.00 am: 180 Total: 437