



John 20: 19-23

“As the Father sent me, so am I sending you:
to receive the Holy Spirit”

OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT RC CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

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3rd June / 4th June 2017

As you know, I am going on holiday (Monday) and I would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to all Parishioners who have made me so welcome at Our Lady & St Benedict's. Your warmth and kindness have helped to make me feel 'at home.' A very big thank you also to those whose 'practical' help has made this time of settling in easier, your support and generosity have been overwhelming. I know that in the next few weeks you will also give Father Martin a warm welcome.

Please note: the following will be sung in place of
“Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts” at all future Masses:


*“Holy, holy, holy is the Lord,
Holy is the Lord God almighty! (2)
Who was, and is, and is to come;
Holy, holy, holy is the Lord.”*

Father Damian

Please pray for the sick of our Parish, especially
Peggy Bartholomew who is in Warwick Hospital

The funeral will take place of Denis Keyte on
Tuesday 13th June, 2017, followed by burial @
1.30 pm. RIP

Confession – Saturday – 12 noon
Children's Liturgy – First and third Sunday of the month
Prayer Group – Wednesday evening after Mass

Collections for weekend of 27th /28th May:

First Collection : £266.70

Second Collection: £104.10

Total **£370.80**

Second collection this weekend:
The Maintenance Fund

Anniversaries this week
Rev. Thomas Paul McCabe, Maura Mulrennar,
Stuart Oscar Brooke, Alexander Saunders,
Laurence Heddermann, Bob Sandford
May they rest in peace

Lectionary Cycle – Sunday Year A: Prayer of The Church – Week I			
Sat 3 rd June	Mass Ss Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs	9.15 am 5.30 pm	St Benedict's St Nicholas'
Sun 4 th June	Mass Pentecost Sunday	10.00 am	St Benedict's
Mon 5 th June	Mass St Boniface, Bishop, Martyr	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Tues 6 th June	Mass St Norbert, Bishop	6.30 pm	St Benedict's
Wed 7 th June	Mass Visitation of Our Lady	6.30 pm	St Benedict's
Thurs 8 th June	Mass	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Fri 9 th June	Mass St Ephrem, Deacon, Doctor of the Church St Columba, Abbot	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Sat 10 th June	Mass	9.15 am 5.30 pm	St Benedict's St Nicholas'



Congratulations Father Damian on passing your driving test

Father Damian has passed his driving test and I wish to thank you all for your support in taking Father to Henley in Arden each week.

The whole process went along so smoothly and everyone was so reliable.

My thanks to you all.

Margaret Dufty

Parish Census

You will find a new Census Form with your newsletter this week. We are still in the process of completing the Parish Census as required by the Birmingham Diocesan Office. If you have not already done so, will you please complete and return without delay. Your help is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

Notes for your diary

Saturday 11th – Sunday 18th June – Summer Festival and Icon Exhibition, St Laurence Church, Rowington, CV35 7AB – leaflet in porch

Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd July 2017 – “Celebrate Birmingham” at St Mary’s College, Oscott, Birmingham – a weekend charismatic family conference. The theme for the conference is “Seek First His Kingdom” (Mat 6:33). Contact details: Angela Vince, 07958 726783

Sunday 9th July 2017 – First Holy Communion (please note change of date)

The Social Committee are in the process of organising the following events at Our Lady & St Benedict’s, please keep the dates free.

Sunday 16th July – Strawberry Tea

Friday 6th October – Quiz Night

Parish Co-ordinators

Pastoral Team	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774
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If you have an item for the Newsletter please email Chris Killourhey: chrisk39@hotmail.co.uk or telephone 01564 637478

Warwick Deanery Website: this can now be found at: www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk

Legacies: the Diocese has made a new leaflet available in all 227 parishes to assist people who may want to consider leaving a legacy to the Church. At the back of the Church you will find copies of this new leaflet. Please do consider whether you, or someone you know, may wish to support the Church in this way. Thank you.