



Matthew 18: 15-20

“Whatsoever you shall bind upon earth, shall be bound also in heaven

OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT RC CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

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9th / 10th September 2017

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A

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 and also for those who care for them.

Anniversaries this week

Tom Phillips

And all those who died in the Twin Towers in New York, 2001 – and all those affected by it

May they rest in peace

Be thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never, ever have enough.

Confession – Saturday – 12 noon – 1 pm

Rosary – 9.45 am – before Sunday Mass

Children's Liturgy - First and third Sunday of the month

Prayer Group

Please note, commencing next week, Prayer Group will be held on Tuesday evenings after 6.30 pm Mass

Collections for weekend of 2nd / 3rd September:

Loose: £128.63 Envelopes: £199.10

Total: £327.73

**Next weekend's collection is for:
 Catholic Evangelisation**

Advance Notice: Parish Maintenance Fund Collection 30th September / 1st October. Gift Aid Envelopes at rear of Church.

Lectionary Cycle: 23 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year A Prayer of The Church – Week III			
Sat 9 th September	Mass	9.15 am	St Benedict's
	Vigil Mass for Sunday	5.30 pm	St Nicholas'
Sun 10 th September	Mass Ordination Anniversary Fr Tom and Fr John	10.00 am	St Benedict's
Mon 11 th September		No Mass	St Benedict's
Tues 12 th September	Mass Most Holy Name of Mary St Ailbe (Ireland)	6.30 pm	St Benedict's
Wed 13 th September	Mass St John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor of the Church	6.30 pm	St Benedict's
Thurs 14 th September	Mass The Exaltation of the Holy Cross	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Fri 15 th September	Mass Our Lady of Sorrows	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Sat 16 th September	Mass S Cornelius, Pope, and St Cyprian, Bishop, Martyr	9.15 am	St Benedict's
	Vigil Mass for Sunday	5.30 pm	St Nicholas'

APPEAL – We are urgently in need of volunteers to be part of a group to act as **Church Wardens**. This is not a very time consuming role and would be so beneficial to our Church. To find out more please contact Rebecca Mander on 01564 793774.

QUIZ NIGHT - Quiz Night and Fish & Chip Supper, Friday 6th October will be held in the Conservatory. Tickets £10 each, will be on sale from next Sunday. These can be purchased at the Piety Stall or from Sally Whitehead or Christine Moulder after Mass.

Parish Co-ordinators

Pastoral Team	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774
Finance and Gift Aid	Christine Moulder	01789 262269
Liturgy and Music	Barbara Alcock	01564 793826
Readers	John Alcock	01564 793826
Parish Catechist	Vacant	
Eucharistic Ministers	John Treacy (St.Benedict)	01564 792242
Eucharistic Ministers	John Burke (St.Nicholas)	01564 793692
Safeguarding Officer	Collette Gay	01564 795314
APF	Pat Fyfe	01564 795949
Church Flowers	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887
CAFOD	Andrew Meigh	01564 637432
MC/Servers	John Burke	01564 793692
Children's Liturgy	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774
St Mary's School	Rachel Saltmarsh	01564 794470
Rosary	Cath Middleton	01527 435041
Prayer Group	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887
Ecumenical Contacts	Jan Wright	01564 793528
Women's World Day	Barbara Alcock	01564 793826
Piety Stall	Sue Kimberley	01564 898453
Administration	Chris Killourhey	01564 637478

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham

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If you have an item for the Newsletter please email Chris Killourhey: chris39@hotmail.co.uk or telephone 01564 637478 (or any of the Parish Co-ordinators)

Diaries for 2018 are now on sale at the Piety Stall – all proceeds going to the Maintenance Fund.

CONFIRMATION - We are now in the process of starting preparations for Confirmation, Bishop William Kenny has kindly agreed to celebrate this with the Parish on 24th June 2018. Please contact Rachel Saltmarsh (Tel: 01564 794470) if you wish your child to be Confirmed and they do not attend St Mary's School.

Wedding/Funeral Co-ordinator –Thanks to Sally Whitehead who will be helping Fr Damian and Collette Gay to co- ordinate the preparation of the Church for Weddings and Funerals

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

Parish Maintenance Fund.

Following a recent statutory survey, a lot of work has been identified as needed to be done to Our Lady and St Benedict's Church in the near future. The total estimate is over £30,000, We are looking through this list to see what is essential and urgent and what can be safely put off. The Maintenance fund is going to be very important going forward to fund this work. Please do contribute to the collection. There are Gift aid envelopes available in Church for this collection to help us get the tax back on your contribution. Our collection for the rest of the year will be on Weekend 1st October, Weekend 12th November and weekend 3rd December. If you wish to make a standing order please contact Christine Moulder.