



OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT RC CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

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5th / 6th May 2018

John 15: 9-17

"This is my commandment, that you love one another, as I have loved you."

Please pray for the sick of our Parish and also for those who care for them.

Anniversaries this week

John Kelleher, Johnnie Reilly, Liliane Amelia Keyte, Elizabeth 'Josy' Roche, Helen O'Malley, Alistair Murray, Betty Cromie, James Hallahan

May they rest in peace

Confession – Saturday, 12 noon – 1 pm

Rosary – 9.45 am – before Sunday Mass

Children's Liturgy – 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month

Prayer Group – Tuesday evening after Mass

Collections for weekend of 28th /29th April 2018
Loose: £251.55 Envelopes: £87.15
Total: £338.70

Thank you for your generosity

Second collection this weekend is for the Maintenance Fund

Lectionary Cycle: 6th Sunday of Easter – Year B			
Prayer of The Church – Week II			
Sat 5 th May	Mass St Asaph, Bishop Vigil Mass	9.15 am 5.30 pm	St Benedict's St Nicholas'
Sun 6 th May	Mass	10.00 am	St Benedict's
Mon 7 th May	Mass	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Tues 8 th May	Mass		St Benedict's
Wed 9 th May	No Mass		
Thurs 10 th May	Mass The Ascension of the Lord	10.45 am	St Mary's School
Fri 11 th May	Mass	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Sat 12 th May	Mass Ss Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs Vigil Mass for Sunday	9.15 am 5.30 pm	St Benedict's St Nicholas'

Mass of Thanksgiving

A Mass of Thanksgiving for the life of **Denis Keyte**, for his devoted service and generous legacy to our parish, will be celebrated on **Sunday May 27** at 10.00 am at St Benedict's. This will be followed by the blessing of his grave, with its new headstone, in our Catholic Cemetery.

Please note Thursday 10th May, **The Ascension of the Lord**, Mass will be held at St Mary's School @ 10.45 am. Everyone welcome.

Thank you to all those who attended the **Safeguarding Awareness Raising Session** last Monday, and especially to Collette Gay for organising it. A very informative and interesting evening.

Dates for your diary:

Tuesday 8th May – Deanery lunch

Sunday 13th May – First Holy Communion

Saturday 26th May – Birmingham Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2018

Sunday 24th June – Confirmation (Confirmation rehearsal on 18th June @ 4.30 pm)

Friday 20th – Sunday 22nd July - National Justice & Peace Network, 40th Annual Conference “In the Shelter of Each Other the People Live.” Being held at The Hayes Conference Centre, Swanwick, Derbyshire.

St Joseph’s Care Home, Coleshill

St Joseph’s Home, Coleshill, offers residential care to older people and those living with dementia in a Catholic setting. Respite bedrooms are also available for short stays. To find out more or arrange a visit, please call Father Hudson’s Care on 01675 434500 for an informal chat or to arrange a visit.

With Communions and Confirmations coming up, please take time to look at the lovely cards and gifts that are available from the **Piety Stall**. The sale of these items provide much needed funds for our Church.

Parish Co-ordinators					
Parish Chair Children’s Liturgy	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774	Eucharistic Ministers	John Treacy (St Benedict’s) John Burke (St Nicholas’)	01564 792242 01564 793692
Finance & Gift Aid	Christine Moulder	01789 262269	CAFOD APF	Andrew Meigh	01564 637432
Liturgy & Music Women’s World Day	Barbara Alcock	01564 793826	St Mary’s School	Rachel Saltmarsh	01564 794470
Readers MC/Servers	John Alcock	01564 793826	Rosary	Cath Middleton	01527 435041
Parish Catechist	Mary Cooke	01564 794333	Ecumenical Contacts	Jan Wright	01564 793528
Safeguarding Representative	Collette Gay	01564 795314	Piety Stall	Sue Kimberley	01564 898453
Church Flowers Wedding & Funeral Co-ordinator Prayer Group	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887	Church Warden	Catherin Dooling	01789 204487
Administration	Chris Killourhey	01564 637478			

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.

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

If you have an item for the Newsletter please email: Chris Killourhey:

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

“There is a crack in everything, that’s how the light gets in”

Leonard Cohen (1934 – 2016)