



Mark 3:20-35

“Anyone who does the will of God,  
that person is my brother and  
sister and mother.”

# OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT RC CHURCH

## NEWSLETTER

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9th / 10th June 2018

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

### **Anniversaries this week**

*Sharon Fowler-McAvoy,  
Anna Maria Elizabeth Moulder, Helen Johnson,  
Joseph Murray, Jean Mackel,  
Margaret Bartholomew, Cecil Frederick Dyer,  
Christopher Thomas  
May they rest in peace*

**Confession** – Saturday, 12 noon – 1 pm

**Rosary** – 9.45 am – before Sunday Mass

**Children's Liturgy** – 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the  
month

**Prayer Group** – Tuesday evening after Mass

Collections for weekend of 2nd / 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2018  
Loose: £77.40 Envelopes: £216.00  
**Total: £293.40**

**Maintenance collection: £367.25**

**Thank you for your generosity**

**Second collection next weekend is for  
Day for Life**

**Prayer for Priests as directed by the Archbishop  
begins this Sunday, please pick your copy at the  
back of the church. We shall say this prayer  
after Holy communion every Sunday.**

<b>Lectionary Cycle: 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – Year B</b>			
<b>Prayer of The Church – Week II</b>			
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b> Immaculate Heart of Mary <b>Vigil Mass for Sunday</b> <b>Charles William and Dorothy Katherine Bartholomew (RIP) Margaret Bartholomew (Peggy) 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass</b>	9.15 am  5.30 pm	St Benedict's  St Nicholas'
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b> <b>Christening after morning Mass</b>	10.00 am	St Benedict's
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b> St Barnabas, Apostle	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b>	6.30 pm	St Benedict's
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>No Mass</b> St Anthony of Padua, Priest, Doctor of the Church		
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b>	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b>	9.15 am	St Benedict's
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Mass</b> St Richard of Chichester, Bishop <b>Vigil Mass for Sunday</b>	9.15 am  5.30 pm	St Benedict's  St Nicholas'

**APPEAL** – It is with regret that I have to inform you that Christine Moulder is stepping down from her role as **Finance Officer**. She has carried out this role, very effectively, for the past 19 years which is in itself a great feat and she will be deeply missed!! We are therefore looking for someone to take her place and if you feel you can help please contact Christine or Father Damian who will be able to give you further details.

Our next **Maintenance Fund** collection will be, as usual, the first Sunday of the month, 1<sup>st</sup> July. A very generous parishioner (who wishes to remain anonymous) has promised to match, pound for pound, whatever is collected on that day. So please bear this in mind when making your donation, the proceeds should go quite some way towards paying for the remedial work that was needed to bring the organ back up to its wonderful new sound.

It is **Father Damian's** intention to begin holding Masses aimed at the 'older' parishioners of our Church. Please look out for dates in the newsletter where these Masses will be announced.

**Dates for your diary:**

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June – Father's Day**

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> June – Confirmation rehearsal @ 4.30 pm**

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Confirmation**

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> June – One-day Conference: *England and Rome: Anglo-papal relations c1350 to 1870*** at Cathedral House, Birmingham, 10.45 am – 4.00 pm. For further details, please email: [jj\\_s\\_lspa@btinternet.com](mailto:jj_s_lspa@btinternet.com) or call: 01926 428255.

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June & Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July – Catholic Charismatic Family Weekend, St Mary's Oscott.** For further details, please email: [birmingham@celebrateconference.org](mailto:birmingham@celebrateconference.org) or call Lisa: 01564 772238

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

**Adoremus National Eucharistic Conference: 7-9 September 2018 Liverpool.** For more details, please visit the diocesan website [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk). for the full programme for this Conference and a booking form for the Saturday.

Parish Co-ordinators					
Parish Chair Children's Liturgy	Rebecca Mander	01564 793774	Eucharistic Ministers (JB - MC/Servers)	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	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	Vacant	01564 898453
Church Flowers Wedding & Funeral Co-ordinator Prayer Group	Sally Whitehead	01564 792887	Church Warden	Catherin Dooling	01789 204487
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**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 to Chris Killourhey:

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**Warwick Deanery Website:** this can be found at: [www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk)

I know God will not give me anything I can't handle. I just wish He didn't trust me so much.

Mother Teresa

*Do you have any 'words of wisdom' that you would like to share with your fellow parishioners? If so, let one of the Committee know and we will be happy to print in the newsletter.*