

ST MARY IMMACULATE, WARWICK
ST CHARLES BORROMEO, HAMPTON ON THE HILL

**Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time
4 November 2018**



Dorit Judaica: Wall hanging of the abbreviated Hebrew text of the Shema Yisrael

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MASS TIMES



		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 4	Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary Time	6pm (Sat) <i>Private int.</i> followed by Adoration in Martyrs' Room 11am <i>Con Deasy</i>	9am <i>Pro Populo</i>
Mon 5	feria	9.30am <i>Mr Len Briggs RIP</i>	9.30am <i>PMF Ints.</i>
Tues 6	feria	6.30pm <i>Oliver Shaughnessy</i> Followed by Compline & Benediction	10am <i>PMF Ints.</i>
Wed 7	feria		12pm <i>PMF Ints.</i>
Thur 8	Blessed George Napier	12pm <i>PMF Ints.</i>	
Fri 9	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	9am <i>Holy Souls</i> at Trinity School	10am <i>PMF Ints.</i>
Sat 10	St Leo the Great	6pm <i>Private int.</i>	10am <i>PMF Ints.</i>
Sun 11	Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	11am <i>Christopher Edwards RIP</i>	9am <i>Pro Populo</i>
	Confessions	5pm (Sat)	10.30am (Sat)

Mass: Sunday 31B, Sunday Preface, Eucharistic Prayer 3, Mem. Acc.1 Psalter Week 3

THE WORD THIS WEEK

All of us can sometimes find ourselves in the position of someone asking 'This religion of yours, what's it all about, really, when you come down to it? What's the bottom line?' Our temptation might be to start going on at length, which is when we should remember this Gospel. Jesus, asked a very similar question, pins our faith down to two very simple things; love of God and love of neighbour, which together make up the foundation for everything else in our religion. The very simplicity of these two commandments is a gift, so that we can try to live them out each day of our lives. The first commandment, which is also that given by Moses in the first reading, is actually a prayer that our Jewish brothers and sisters still recite every single day. Jesus, our perfect High Priest, gives us these two commandments to be written in our heads and our hearts, to remember each day, so that we may conduct ourselves in the paths of the Kingdom of God.



Live simply tip - November: Take your own shopping bags when you go to the supermarket

GENERAL NOTICES

Second Collections This weekend 4 Nov Johnson Assoc. 18 Nov Friends of the Holy Land. 25 Nov Catholic Youth Service.

November Dead Lists Please place the names of anyone you would like Mass saying for in the envelopes at the front of church, Mass will be celebrated for them during the month of November.

Craft Session following on from a very successful first meeting, where a demonstration and talk was given by our art teacher and an impressive display of work from the parishes. There are lots of ideas for things to do, and everyone is welcome to bring their work and ideas to the next meeting which has a Christmas theme.

Thurs 8 Nov 2.00 pm at St Charles parish hall.

Global Healing how our faith helps us to care for our common home A new film produced by CaFE (Catholic faith exploration film company). On **Fri 9 Nov** at 7pm in St Mary Immaculate parish hall for a free and inspiring evening of film, food & friendship responding together to Pope Francis' call to care for creation and to pass on a healthy planet to our children's children. Contact Liz Moreton-Smith 0776 122 3502. Collect your free ticket after Mass.

1st Holy Communion Preparation the enrolment meeting for all candidates and parents is on **Mon 12 Nov** at 6.30pm in the Martyr's Room.

Evangelisation Team next meeting **Mon 12 Nov** 7.30pm in the upper Davenport Room, St Peter's Parish Centre.

Young Adults (18-30s) There's a curry night being organised by Fr Andrew Franklin & Fr Patrick on **Fri 16 Nov** at 7pm at St Joseph's, Whitnash. We can talk about forming a group & what activities we can do, I'd like a 'Catholic culture club' or something to cater for this age group. Please see the poster and add your name to the form at the back of church.

Warwick District Faiths Forum an event "Faith and Sustainability-taking responsibility for our planet" on **Sat 17 Nov** 9:30-1pm (followed by

lunch) at St Peter's Leamington. Contact Liz Moreton-Smith for more details 0776 122 3502

Operation Christmas Child leaflets and shoe boxes are available at the back of the church. The filled boxes need to be returned to church no later than **Sun 18 Nov**.

Altar Servers' Trip Postponed! I'm not now free on 24 Nov so will have to push the trip back to Jan. There are enough funds available to pay for the servers' lunch & ice skating

Calling all Girls 5-10 yrs do you like cooking, craft, games and fun? We have Rainbows 5-7yrs Tues 5.30-6.45pm and Brownies 7-10yrs Mon 5.30-7pm in our parish hall. You will be most welcome, call Maria 495735 or just turn up.

Churches Together

Tues 6 Nov Packing Christmas Child boxes at St Paul's 7.30pm to 9pm.

Sat 3 & 17 Nov HOTS (Healing on the Streets) in the Market Square 10am-12pm

Sun 18 Nov 'Operation Christmas Child' Celebration Service at St Paul's 3pm

IICSA Inquiry

As many of you will already be aware, the Archdiocese of Birmingham will be participating in the Independent Inquiry into Child Sexual Abuse (IICSA) at a hearing next month (Nov) in London. IICSA was set up some years ago by the government following a number of high profile and serious cases of historic child abuse. Through its investigations, IICSA is seeking to understand "what went wrong, and why".

The Archdiocese has been asked to participate in IICSA's investigations along with other organisations within the Catholic Church.

A Pastoral Letter will be read out in all churches this weekend (3/4 November) on this matter.

If you would like to speak to someone about safeguarding and the Church's work, please call **0121 230 6240** or emergency out-of-hours on **07976 516629**.

Please pray with us for all victims of abuse, and for all those involved in the work of this important inquiry.

NOTICES – ST MARY IMMACULATE
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Readers 3/4 Nov Elizabeth Anderson & John Bell. Robert Gargan & Jude Raper. 10/11 Nov Andy Staley & Darren Yam. Rachel Walton and Jude Raper.

Counters 4 Nov group 4. 11 Nov group 5.

Offertory £545.97 of which £234.50 was gift aid. World Mission £401.13

Recently Dead Please pray for the repose of the souls of Len Briggs and Margaret Murphy

Rosary several people have asked for a Rosary group; we've started praying the Rosary before Mass on the 1st Friday of the month, would people be prepared to host it in their homes on other Friday evenings? Please let Fr Patrick know.

Sick and Housebound Your prayers are asked for all the sick in the Parish at home or in the hospitals/hospice and especially for Steve and June Amos, Philip Batt, Theresa Mary Bicknell, Bridie Davies, Elizabeth Coleman, Anne Downes, Wendy and John Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Annie Gleason, Graham Hardwick, Barbara Ivings, Catherine McCarthy, Kathleen O'Connor, Bernadette Narain, Agnes Pauling, Dorothy Richardson, Betty Walters, Win Wigner.

Sanctuary and Chapel Candles can be burned for any intention (£10). This week the Sanctuary lamp burns in Thanksgiving.

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Counters 4 Nov Teresa Unitt & Mary McGrath. 11 Nov Angela Everitt & Claire King.

Readers 4 Nov Jayne Neale and Family. 11 Nov Christina McClean & Suzie Vogiaridis.

Offertory £196.57 of which £124 was gift aid. Standing Orders £361.31.

Sick and Housebound Your prayers are asked for all the sick in the Parish at home or in the hospitals/hospice and especially for Aidan Harris, Christina McClean, Gordon McClean, Catherine Parker, Christine Underhill.

Bible Study Mondays at 7.15 looking at the Parables of Jesus.

Missio Red Boxes If you have a red box from St Charles, please return it for emptying as soon as possible.

Maintenance Works these have now started with repairs to the church and hall roofs. The light shining on the bell tower has also been repaired. Also, a number of specialist contractors have been invited to tender for the church internal decoration, which should commence in the new year.

St Mary Christmas Lunch in the parish hall Tue 18 Dec. Please add your name to the sheet at the back of the church. Also, we are looking for help set-up and serve etc. If you can help please contact Loraine 07838 961 266 or email lolhughes@hotmail.com.

Running the Traidcraft Stall if you think you might be interested in taking over the running of the stall from January please have a word with Julia Lane (at the stall) to find out what is entailed.

Next Traidcraft stall 17/18 November - with Christmas Cards.

St Charles Christmas Lunch at Warwick Arms Hotel on **Wed 12 Dec** at 12.30, £19.95 incl. 2 courses, wine, tea/coffee and mince pie. All welcome sign-up forms in both churches. Closing date 2 Dec.

Live Simply Allotment Work has started on the first beds but we need further help so please add your name to the sheet. Also, we are looking for planks and screws to make the raised beds. Please talk to Clare Mayer or Angela Everitt or contact the Parish Office.

St Charles Tote a monthly draw with cash prizes. Subscription is £2 per month. To join please see Nina Woods.

Recently Dead Please pray for the repose of the soul of John Brown