

# *Blessed Robert Grissold Catholic Church, Balsall Common*

*In the Archdiocese of Birmingham Sunday Mass Time 9.30 am.*

## **16<sup>th</sup> June 2019 – Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity – Year C**

*“Everything the Father has is mine; all the Spirit tells you will be taken from what is mine ”*

**Pope’s Prayer Intention for June:** That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

**Father Frank:** We are not to approach God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God in three Persons as a mathematical puzzle or a philosophical problem but, rather, as the Divine community of love whom we are called to know and enjoy for ever, for the one God, who has revealed Himself as Trinity, has made us for himself - to know and enjoy him forever. That is why, in and through sacred mysteries which we celebrate in the Eucharist, he gathers us to himself so that, by grace, we might share in the life and love of the Most Holy Trinity for ever.

**June is the month of the Sacred Heart.** The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus falls on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June - which we will celebrate with a Mass at 10.00am. Great benefits are promised to those who practice this devotion. Also, during this month, we can seek to deepen our devotion to the love of God revealed in the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus - a devotion encouraged by St Margaret Mary, whose relic rests in our altar. We might even consider consecrating ourselves to the Sacred Heart of our Lord Jesus Christ. To this end I have printed, below, a Prayer of Consecration, written by St Margaret Mary, which we could pray during the month of June.

**Consecration to the Sacred Heart of our Lord Jesus Christ:** *I give and consecrate to the Heart of our Lord Jesus Christ, my whole life, all my actions, my trials, my sufferings, devoting every portion of my being to loving, honouring, and glorifying him, to working for his love alone, renouncing with all my heart whatever may be displeasing to him. I take you, then, O Sacred Heart, for the one object of my love, the protector of my life, the pledge of my salvation, the remedy of my inconstancy, the redeemer of all my faults, and my sure refuge in the hour of death. O Heart of all goodness, be my justification before God the Father, and shield me from the effects of his just anger. O Heart, overflowing with love, I place all my confidence in you, for I dread my own weakness, while I hope everything from your goodness. Destroy in me whatever displeases you or goes against your will. May pure love of you be so deeply imprinted in my heart that I may never forget you nor be separated from you. I implore you by all your love that my name be graven upon you. May it be my happiness to live and die as your slave. Through Christ our Lord. Amen*

**Saints and Feast Days this week:** Saint Aloysius Gonzaga (21<sup>st</sup>), Ss John Fisher and Thomas Moore (22<sup>nd</sup>).

**Collection 9<sup>th</sup> June:** Loose plate £96.50, Envelopes £89, standing orders £390, **Total £575.50.**

**The Catenians:** The 10.00am Mass this Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June is for the members and families of Solihull Circle of the Catenian Association. It will be followed by light refreshments. Parishioners are welcome to attend.

**Confirmation Candidates:** Next week our Confirmation candidates, Carys, Erin, Ethan, James and Cloe will make their commitment during the Mass. Please keep them, together with their families, sponsors and catechists in your prayers as they prepare for Confirmation on Sunday October 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Pancake Breakfast Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July:** After Mass on 7<sup>th</sup> July there will be a Pancake breakfast in aid of Parish Funds

### **Dates for your diary relating to the Silver Anniversary Year of Blessed Robert Grissold Church:**

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July: Patronal Feast of Blessed Robert Grissold

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August (pm): Pilgrimage to Gallows Hill (the place of Blessed Robert’s execution).

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October: Confirmation, together with the Blessing of our commemorative window by Bishop William.

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> December: Christmas Day - the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first Mass at Blessed Robert Grissold

We hope as many of you as possible will enjoy taking part in these events.

**Summer Concert:** Our Summer concert will take place on the evening of 29<sup>th</sup> June in the church. There will be a wide range of music including soloists, duets, a children’s band and two choirs! A bar (and cake sale!) will be available to enjoy in the interval. Tickets will go on sale soon for £10. Make a note in your diary!

**Parish Room:** MUST be booked with Louise Perry – Tel.: 01676 533357.

**Items for Weekly Bulletin:** Items for the bulletin should be sent to David Green. Please email items by **7.00 pm**

**Wednesday** at [david.monica@btopenworld.com](mailto:david.monica@btopenworld.com) or call on 01564 775155.

Your prayers are asked for those who are sick and their carers: Lily Mae Carr, Joseph Lockington, Katya O'Donnell, Consuelo Ramon, Anne Santos, Andrew Burton, Darragh Sheehan.

Anniversaries: Marie Hession and Enid Clifford.

### This Week's Liturgy and Rota Arrangements

<b>Date &amp; Time:</b>	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> June – 9.30 a.m.	Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June – 9.30 a.m.
<b>Day:</b>	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
<b>Celebrant:</b>	Father Frank	Father Frank
<b>Intention:</b>	Peter Paine (RIP)	Veronica Davies (RIP)
<b>Altar Servers:</b>	Jacob and Laura	Ethan and Joe
<b>Wardens:</b>	Joe Martin, Ann Ostler Chris Mitchell	John Perry, Maria Pulley Kathy Jones
<b>Readers:</b>	Dominic Green and Ciaran McSorley	Mike Fairbrother and Ian Clarke
<b>Eucharistic Ministers:</b>	Godfrey Chesshire, Monica Green and Teresa Green	Carol Beck, Stefan Hunka, Joe Martin
<b>Counting:</b>	Jones Family	Maureen Carroll, Bernard Hammond, Jean Henser
<b>Tea &amp; Coffee:</b>	Claire & Charles Keane	Chris Lynn & Mary Sharp
<b>Cleaning:</b>	BLITZ – Louise Perry Lead	Louise Perry and Monica Green
<b>Flowers:</b>	Christine Harris	Christine Harris
<b>Children's Liturgy:</b>	Jane Devoy and Monica Green	Claire Keane and Louise Perry
<b>Music:</b>	Linda Chesshire	Instrumental Group

### Mass Times this week

<b>Date:</b>	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Time:</b>	10.00 am Mass	10.00 am Mass	7pm Mass (St Alban)
<b>Intention:</b>	Solemnity of Dedication of the Cathedral	Solihull Catenians	followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament With meditations and silent prayer until Benediction at 8.00pm Confirmation Candidates

**Priest: Revd. Father Frank Smith. Tel: 07512 100908 Email: [parishpriest@brgparish.org.uk](mailto:parishpriest@brgparish.org.uk)**

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**Parish website: [www.brgparish.org.uk](http://www.brgparish.org.uk)**

**Warwick Catholic Deanery website: [www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk)**

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