



OUR LADY & ST BENEDICT'S CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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23-24 November 2019

Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

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

Anniversaries coming up: Caroline O'Halloran, Margaret Ryder, Margaret Bebbington, Mary Rice, Patrick Wybrant, Dominic Alcock, Jim and Jessie Coleman

Confession – Saturday, 12 noon – 1 pm

Rosary – 9.45 am – before Sunday Mass

“Lord Remember me when you come into your kingdom”. Lk: 23

Collections 16th & 17th November 2019

First collection

Gift aid £202.00
Loose £110.39
Total £312.39

Second Collection for Catholic Youth Service this week

Lectionary Cycle: – Year C Christ The King Prayer of The Church – IV

Sat 23rd Nov	Mass: Feria Vigil for Sunday: Christ the King: Stephen Bullingham & Deceased members of Bullingham & James Families	9.15am 5.30pm	St. Benedict's St. Nicholas
Sun 24th Nov	Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe: Dominic Rogers (RIP)	10.00am	St. Benedict's
Mon 25th Nov	Mass: Feria: John Joe O'Malley (RIP)	9.00am	St Benedict's
Tue 26th Nov	NO MASS : Feria	No Mass	St Benedict's
Wed 27th Nov	MASS: Feria: Dominic Alcock (RIP)	9:15am	St Benedict's
Thur 28th Nov	Mass: Feria : Rogers Family (RIP)	9.15am	St Benedict's
Fri 29th Nov	Mass: Feria Micheal and Anne Kennedy (RIP)	9.15am	St Benedict's
Sat 30th Nov	Mass: Feast of St Andrew, Apostle: Tom Higgins (RIP) Vigil Mass : First Sunday in Advent; Lily Phillips (RIP)	9.15am 5.30pm	St. Benedict's St. Nicholas
Sun 1st Dec	Mass: First Sunday of Advent: All the Holy Souls	10.00am	St. Benedict's

The God Who Speaks

Archbishop Bernard will launch the Year of the Word – The God who Speaks at the 4.30pm Mass on Saturday 30 November – the Vigil of the 1st Sunday in Advent, at St Chad's Cathedral. Everyone is welcome.

The year 2020 has been earmarked as a focus on the Bible and 'The God Who Speaks'.

The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales is encouraging all to celebrate, live and share God's word with this exciting new Scripture initiative.

The Archdiocese of Birmingham is embracing this Scripture initiative to develop how we will celebrate, live and share God's word in 2020. We Will be launching this in our Parish Next Weekend. There is a special feature on The God Who Speaks in the Advent edition of *The Sower* magazine – please take a copy.



The Sower

The Diocesan Magazine is now available at the back of the Church and also online at <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/diocesan-magazine>. Please do get a copy.

Cancellation of Quiz Night

Unfortunately, due to lack of support, the quiz on 29 November has been cancelled. We hope to arrange another date next year.

Christmas Gifts

This year, the committee have decided it would be nice to support The Food Bank with gifts under the tree made up of seasonal delights, toiletries, pampering products and feminine hygiene items. Please make sure the items have a long shelf life especially if they are baked seasonal goods such as Christmas puddings as we cannot guarantee the date they will be served. Unopened items cannot be accepted.

St Peter's Ecumenical Christmas Service 15th December at 4pm, followed by refreshments.

Please join Father and some of our readers at this special service when we come together with other local churches to celebrate the season of good will! If you would like to read, then please let us know.

Bible Brunch

The Bible Brunch meets every fortnight on Thursday at 11:00 am. Please do come along and share in these reflections. They are looking at the life of St Paul, and the Epistle to the Galatians at the moment. The next meeting is Thursday 5th December. All welcome

Parish Co-ordinators					
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16-Nov	St Nicholas	Lynn Goodfellow, Collette Gay	Richard Page
17-Nov	Our Lady & St Benedict	Victoria Neville, Sue Harriman	Cath Middleton
23 rd Nov	St Nicholas	John Burke, Ann Platt	Mary Clarke
24th Nov	Our Lady & St Benedict	John Treacy, Adriano Fernandes	Jamie Messet

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