### Masses at St George & St Teresa

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### 23rd OCTOBER - THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

This weekend there will be a second collection for MISSIO.

- Saturday 5.30pm Dan Doyle RIP (B&P S)
- Sunday 8.45am Jim Ryan (J&A M)
  - 10.30am People of the Parish

## WEEKDAY SERVICES

24.10 Mon	11am	Funeral Henry Fenton
25.10 Tue	10am	Feria Rev John McEneaney Int (D&E B)
26.10 Wed	10am	Feria Prue Findlay RIP (MH)
27.10 Thu	10am	Feria Brendan Farrell (PM)
28.10 Fri	10am	Ss Simon & Jude Jim Ryan RIP (D&E B)
29.10 Sat	10am	Feria Michael Moorhouse RIP (B&PS)

### 30th OCTOBER – THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	5.30pm	Edward Curley RIP (B&P S)
Sunday	8.45am	People of the Parish
-	10.30am	Jim Ryan RIP (PM)

Confession – Saturday 9.15am – 9.45am Adoration – Wednesday 9am – 9.50am
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### CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING This week Next week	A Robinson B Byrne	M Fitzpatrick	R Slater
READERS	<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	<b>10.30am</b>
This week	J Musgrave	J Smith	C Loughran
Next week	M OʻDwyer	G Seymour	J McDonald

## EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS and COUNTERS

Not required

Parish Priest: Fr John Cross Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum The Presbytery, 337 Station Rd, Dorridge, Solihull, B93 8EZ. Tel: 01564 772098 email: <u>stgeorge-stteresa.dorridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> safeguarding email: <u>sg.stgeorge-stteresa.dorridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> Registered as a Charity No. 234216 This church live streams Mass and other events St. George & St. Teresa Catholic Church Dorridge THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 23rd October 2022



## **Dear Parishioners**

Next week is half term for the schools so we can look forward to a week of quiet roads around the school run. As the days of October draw to a close I am conscious it is time to distribute the November Envelopes. I always read the names to help me to think about those who we offer our Masses for. During November you will see "Holy Souls" as an intention for a Mass. Post your envelope in the Sunday collection bags, the sacristy or the presbytery letter box.

On Sunday at 3.30pm there will be a talk given by Oksana's husband Nick following his recent visit to the Ukraine. There will be a film/slides of the visit which will I am sure be of interest to all of us to see and hear first hand about the work being done to support those caught up in this terrible conflagration.

A date for your diary is ALL SAINTS DAY – a Holy Day of Obligation. We have Mass at 10am in the morning. The 7.30pm evening Mass will also be combined with a Mass of Thanksgiving for Fr Rob Taylerson. A presentation will be made to him at this Mass and there will be a buffet afterwards in the Parish Centre. All parishioners are welcome to attend the event.

Did I mention the return of the bag collection on Sundays and the offertory procession too? This is an integral part of the liturgy of the Mass where we offer our gifts to the Lord. We bring these gifts to the Lord for His Blessing. It is a wonderful exchange of gifts. We give to the Lord and he gives himself to us in the form of his Body and Blood sacrificed for us on the cross. What we receive is far greater than we give.

THIS SUNDAY IS MISSION SUNDAY: It is truly said ... "that we can't take it with us when we pass over into the next life, but the consolation is that we can <u>send it on</u> <u>ahead of us</u> ....by donating it for God's work whilst we are still here on earth." So given this encouraging news let us support the missions as generously as we can both financially and prayerfully. A collection will be taken up for this purpose this weekend and donation envelopes are available in the Narthex. Thank you in anticipation of your generous support for mission. Leo (Local secretary for Missio) BLESSING OF GRAVES 2022 5<sup>th</sup> Nov Oscott Cemetery 3pm 6<sup>th</sup> Nov Brandwood End Cemetery 2pm 6<sup>th</sup> Nov The Abbey Cemetery 1pm 6<sup>th</sup> Nov New Hall Cemetery 2.30pm 13<sup>th</sup> Nov Robin Hood Cemetery 2pm 20<sup>th</sup> Nov Widney Manor Cemetery 2pm 20<sup>th</sup> Nov Widney Manor Cemetery 2pm 20<sup>th</sup> Nov Rectory Road Cemetery 2pm 27<sup>th</sup> Nov Woodlands Cemetery 2pm 27<sup>th</sup> Nov Witton Cemetery 2pm 27<sup>th</sup> Nov Witton Cemetery 2pm 27<sup>th</sup> Nov Yardley Cemetery 2pm

**SACRED HEART MESSENGER:** The November edition of the Messenger is in the Narthex for those who order it.

**FR ROB THANKSGIVING MASS Tuesday 1st November 7.30pm** - in order to help with planning of refreshments, there is a sign up sheet in the narthex. If you are able to join us for the celebrations in the Parish Centre after the Mass, please add your name and the number of people attending.

**RECYCLE YOUR USED INK CARTRIDGES**...... and raise money for charity Used inkjet (not laser) printer cartridges can be recycled by placing them in the Recyle4Charity green box in the narthex. This is environmentally friendly, as it keeps cartridges out landfill, and money raised from those donated by the parish will go to RESTORE, the Birmingham Churches Together Refugee charity. The money raised so far from recycling cartridges is £105.45 and this represents a potential 4.35kg kept from landfill. Thank you to all those who are supporting this scheme.

**VACANCY** Secretary/PA to the Vicar General. The appointee will support the operations of the Birmingham Diocesan Trust (The Archdiocese of Birmingham) by acting as the Secretary/PA to the Vicar General. You will need excellent communications skills, the ability to work on your own initiative, experience of working with senior post-holders/officers and be proficient with Microsoft Office. For an informal discussion about this role and further information, please call the Human Resources Officer on 0121 230 6224. Further information will also be on the Diocesan website.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER:** We are looking for a volunteer to represent St George and St Teresa on our local churches together group. If you can help, please speak to Deacon Stephen.

**ST GEORGE & ST TERESA SCHOOL Open Morning:** St George and St Teresa Catholic Primary School welcome prospective parents who have children due to start Nursery or Reception Class in Sept 2023. Friday 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 2022: 9.30am - 11.30am.

**BAPTISMS**: Parents seeking Baptism for children are welcome to collect an application form after any of the weekend Masses.

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS				
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	Central England Pilates	Hall	9.30 - 11.00	
	NHS Pulmonary Rehab	Hall	13.00 – 16.30	
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 20.00	
Tue 25 <sup>th</sup>	Rock Choir	Hall	9.30 - 12.30	
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.30 – 15.00	
	HeadStart Tuition	Conf Room	15.30 – 18.30	
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	Rhythm Time	Hall	9.00 - 12.00	
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 - 16.00	
	SVP	Hall	14.00 – 15.00	
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 19.00	
	Shirley Brass Band	Hall	19.30 – 21.30	
Thurs 27 <sup>th</sup>	Language Classes	Conf Room	13.30 – 15.00	
	Scanlan Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00	
	Central England Pilates	Hall	18.30 - 19.30	
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 - 17.00	
	AA	Hall	19.30 - 22.00	
Sun 30 <sup>th</sup>	Foodbank & Children's Liturgy	Hall	8.45 - 12.30	
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It is important that users of the Parish Centre arrange bookings (and payments for non-Parish Events) through Oksana Zurak 07967-846 963 or <u>oksanazurak@gmail.com</u>

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# Your Prayers are asked

**For those who are Sick**: Dorothy Perkins, Michael Grosvenor, Tony Burdett, Jill Baynham, Des Bentley, Rita Salloway, Leo Hughes, Bob Service and Jaxon Rochford, Anise O'Donovan. *Let us also remember those who care for them.* 

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years: Geoff Crow, Paul Byrne, Jack Clyde, Marielyn Smythe.

## **Recently Deceased:**

Henry Fenton. His funeral will take place on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October at 11am. Bernard Spillane. His reception will take place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 6pm and funeral on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> at 11am.