

St Joseph's Church Burntwood

Parish News

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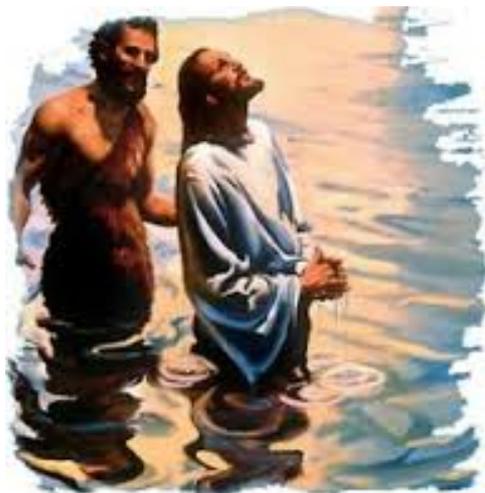
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Week beginning Sunday 12th January 2014 Feast of the Baptism of the Lord

(Psalter Week 1, Ordinary Time Sunday readings Year A, Weekdays year II)



Saturday (For Sunday)

1700 (Saturday Eve for Sunday) People of the Parish

Sunday

1000 Iris Hession

Monday Feria in Ordinary Time

0915 Georgia Farquhar

1845 Evening prayer

1900 John Tulley followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time

0915 Dorothy Hurley (in school)

Wednesday Feria in Ordinary Time

0915 Natalie Phelan

Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time

No Mass

Friday Memorial of St Antony, abbot

0915 Bill Bishop

Saturday Feria in Ordinary Time

1600 - 1645 Confessions

(Also available by appointment, please see Fr Paul)

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1700 (Saturday Eve for Sunday) Thomas Jones

1000 Sunday Victor & Jennifer D'Costa

Rosary Group: Meets Monday 13th January 4 Moss Bank Ave, Burntwood at 8.00 pm.

Parish Details: Office: Julie Train & Cath Nugent, open Wednesday 1000 until 1500. Gift aid Organiser: Angela Thompson. Child Protection: Breda Helm. Parish Magazine: Nichola Hurley & June McDermid. For Baptisms and Weddings: contact Fr Paul in the first instance. Marriage Preparation: Richard & Dee McCormick. Baptism Preparation: Jacqueline Perry.

Parish Groups: Rosary: Monday Evenings as announced. CAFOD: group meets monthly - see Mary Kane. Guild of St Stephen (altar servers): meet first Saturday of the month at 0900. Toddlers Group: Wednesday 1300 - 1500 contact Liz Wootton on 897413. Nursery: contact Ann King on 671356. Diner's Club: meets monthly see Douglas Thompson. Men's Breakfast: 1st Saturday of the month 0830. Hall Management including Bookings: Peter Van-Hagen: Telephone 01543 673634.

Offerings: Last weekend: Gift Aid: £153.70 Loose: £238.41 Thank you so much for your continued

generosity.

Next Sunday there is a voluntary second collection for Pax Christi (The British branch of an international peace movement. Peace education, wars and issues).

Our most Recently Deceased: Jean Griffiths, Keith Pooley, Oliver George Black, Anne Corfield, Josie Kimberly, Anne Mary Northcott, Mary O'Donnell, Kathleen Phillips, Brian Carter, Winifred Phillips, Sandra Victoria Parry, Maureen Parker, Margaret Smith, Michael Stanley, Janet Bate, George Sniezko-Blocki, John Joseph Brown, Dorothy Irene Hurley, Julian Wotton, Joshua Harley, Julian Lee Cotton and Mary Emma Horton.

Those whose Anniversary falls within the week: Charles Braudrick Cosgrove, Dorothy 'Mahoney, Bernadine Camelia Tibbenham, Aleen Farley, Bedelia Westwood, Mary Anne Griffiths, Elsie Louise Tams, Winifred Maud Phillips.

A Separate list for our Sick and Housebound Parishioners can be found alongside the Newsletters each week for you to take home and by the Statue of the Sacred Heart for prayer there.



Prayer Requests for each month: You will see by the Sacred Heart statue that there is a clipboard upon which is a paper for you to write the names of those who you would like prayer during the forthcoming month. Please write your intended names and then spare a moment to cast your eyes upon the list and ask for the Lord's compassion. For example:-



O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for 153,703 sins I offer you this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, **Good** Jesus that I may live in you and for you. Protect me in the midst of danger. Comfort me in my afflictions. Give me health of body, assistance in my temporal needs, your **blessing** on all that I do, and the **grace** of a holy death. Amen. Listen to our prayers for (these servants or name the people individually) whom we place in your care and call upon your compassion. Amen

Prayer Group: Come and join us here at St Joseph's for an informal evening of prayer, praise and worship every 2nd Friday of the month in church. This is an ecumenical event so please spread the word to the other churches. Next meeting is Friday 14th February 1930 - 2100.

Mass of Anointing: Our next Mass of Anointing takes place here next Saturday 15th February at 11am. All welcome.



WE NEED YOU

Volunteers are appealed for to help with church cleaning: Help would be very much appreciated and all it requires is a couple of your hours and your skills once a month. Please give your details to Julie Train or Fr Paul. Many thanks.

Diners Club: Tuesday 28th January 2014 at the Malt Shovel, Chorley at 7pm. Please take a pre-order menu from the back of church to be returned no later than Wednesday 22nd January

Head Teacher Opportunity at St Peter's Catholic School Solihull. Closing date is Monday 20th January. See notice board for full details.

CAFOD "Have you made a New Year's Resolution to get more active this year? Is 2014 the year to tackle a half marathon? Help some of world's poorest people whilst reaching your goals by joining CAFOD's team of runners in the Great Birmingham Run on 19 October 2014. Please call 01992 722944 or email birmingham@cafod.org.uk if you might be interested. Thank you."

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