



# PARISH OF ST. JOSEPH, BURNTWOOD

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## Seventeenth Sunday (Year C)

### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July (Vigil for Sunday)

4.00pm Confession

5.00pm Patrick & Mary O'Donnell RIP

### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.00am People of the Parish

*Tea/Coffee in the Hall after Mass*

### Monday 29<sup>th</sup> July – Memorial of St. Martha

9.30am Intentions on July Prayer sheet

*followed by Rosary*

### Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> July – Feria

9.30am Service of the Word with Holy Communion

*followed by Devotion to St. Joseph*

### Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July – Memorial of St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

**7.00pm** Service of the Word with Holy Communion

### Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August – Memorial of St. Alphonsus Mary de 'Liguori, Bishop, Doctor of the Church

9.30am Service of the Word with Holy Communion

**7.00pm** **HOLY HOUR**

### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August – Feria

9.30am Service of the Word with Holy Communion

*followed by Divine Mercy*

### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August – Feria

10.00am Service of the Word with Holy Communion

4.00pm Confession

5.00pm Mrs Claudina Fernandes RIP

### Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August – Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10.00am People of the Parish

### Floral Tribute

If you would like to donate for the flowers in memory of loved ones or on special occasions, please contact the Parish Office for details.

## DEVOTIONS

### **Exposition**

Thursdays 7.00pm

### **Divine Mercy**

Fridays - after Mass

### **Rosary**

Mondays - after Mass

### **Saint Joseph**

Tuesdays - after Mass

**SYMPATHY:** Please pray for the repose of the soul of Pauline Geraghty who died on Thursday. Details of her funeral will come soon. We extend our deepest sympathy to Michael (her husband) and to all the family. May she rest in Peace.

**ANNIVERSARIES WITHIN THE WEEK:** Jerzy Sniezko-Blocki, Emma Bickley, John Larner, Vincent Cooke, Violet Wright, Paul Young, Patricia Hever, Dorothy Carter, Margaret Thomas, Ann Northcott, Joan Cage, Leonard Phillips & Maura Connolly. May they rest in Peace.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** The sick and housebound of the parish. We include all those we know in hospitals, nursing homes and their own homes. May the Lord grant them healing, strength and peace! If you have relative(s) who are housebound and would like to have a regular visit by the clergy or a minister, please let us know.

**PARISH DRAW:** Only £5/month to win £200 every month. The only way to win the prize is to be in the draw. Thank you.

**CHURCH FLOWERS:** If you'd like to donate for the flowers in memory of your loved ones or on special occasions, please contact the parish office for details. **We desperately need more volunteers to arrange flowers for weekends.** If you can, please let us know.

**TEA/COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS:** We would like to invite you to give it a try. Get to know more of your fellow parishioners and build the community of St. Joseph's. There is no charge for a drink and biscuits, but we do invite small donations. **We are in need of a few more volunteers to serve in the kitchen.** Why not enlist the help of a friend. We publish a rota which can be changed. Please contact **Tom Bentham 01543 506698 or 078088 49085** or send him an email [tombentham@yahoo.com](mailto:tombentham@yahoo.com)

**PARISH UPCOMING SOCIAL/CHARITY EVENT:** On Saturday **28th September**, the CAFOD group are putting on an Irish Night in the Parish Hall. 'GAN TEDEAL', Burntwood's home grown band, has been booked for a night of songs, jigs and reels. Tickets on sale soon! Watch this space!

**MONTHLY LUNCH:** **all are welcome (parishioners or not).** Please bring a friend to this wonderful social event. Thank you to the team for another success last Tuesday. Next on Tuesday **20<sup>th</sup> August.** Please contact [Sue Barnes 01543 671701](tel:01543671701) to book/cancel in advance. Donations for Raffle Prizes are always needed. Thank you for your support.

**MEN'S BREAKFAST:** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month at 8.30am, next is **3<sup>rd</sup> August.** **All men (parishioners or not) are welcome.** Please contact Tom Bentham in advance. Email preferred [tombentham@yahoo.com](mailto:tombentham@yahoo.com) or leave a message on 01543 506698 or text 0780 884 9085.

### **Mass attendance**

Sat 75, Sun.96 Total: 171

### **Offertory Collection**

**Gift Aid:** £112.61

**Loose:** £175.19

**Total:** £287.80 +SO

**2<sup>nd</sup> Col.** £166.35

2nd col. today & next week is for  
**Parish Maintenance**

**Thank you for your generosity  
and support.**

**Confession:**  
Saturday 4.00pm  
or speak to Fr. Linh

**Baptism/Wedding:**  
Contact Fr. Linh  
or the parish office

**NEW GIFT AID ENVELOPES & STANDING ORDERS:** We would like to ask current, and any potential new gift aiders, if they would kindly consider setting up a standing order for their contributions instead of using envelopes. The Archdiocese is gradually trying to cut down on the use of envelopes as the standing order system is a more effective system and cuts down on a huge amount of work. We would be grateful therefore if you could make this change. Please contact the parish office if you need any assistance with this. Thank you for your support.

**WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN UNION (WCU):** 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month from 10.00am – 12.00 noon in the Parish Hall. Our aim is to support one another through faith and friendship. All Christian women are welcome. Next meeting **1<sup>st</sup> August**

**REMEMBERING LOVED ONES IN OUR CHURCH:** to have a memorial plaque with the name(s) of our loved one(s) bonded to the interior church wall, please contact Dave King 07831 858443 or email [glynn.king1@ntlworld.com](mailto:glynn.king1@ntlworld.com). Forms are also at the back of the church

**BLESSED JOHN HENRY NEWMAN TO BE CANONISED:** Pope Francis announces that Blessed John Henry Newman will be canonised **in Rome on Sunday 13 October 2019**. This will make Cardinal Newman the first English person who has lived since the 17th century officially recognised as a saint by the Roman Catholic Church. John Henry Newman (1801-1890) was ordained as a Church of England priest and soon became the leader of the Oxford Movement but converted to Catholicism in 1845. He founded the Oratory in England and was later made a cardinal. When he died at the age of 89, more than 15,000 people lined the streets of Birmingham for his funeral. Cardinal Newman is widely considered to be one of the most significant figures of the 19th century. Information about Cardinal Newman including details of his life, of the miracle and the process of canonisation, links to his writings as well as photos and videos available to media, can be found at [www.newmancanonisation.com](http://www.newmancanonisation.com)

**JACQUELINE'S JAUNTS:** Trip to Aberystwyth on **Saturday 31 August**, cost is £19.00. Please contact Jackie for details of the trip and payment, if interested. Thank you.

**FOODBANK:** Thank you for your generosity. As the summer break is coming, more stocks are needed. If you can, please help. Thank you.

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty,  
my memory, my understanding, my whole will,  
all I have, and all I possess.

You gave it all to me;  
to you, Lord, I return it all.

It is all yours: Do with me entirely as you will.

Give me your love and your grace: This is enough for me.

PRAYER  
AFTER HOLY  
COMMUNION

(St. Ignatius of Loyola)

**ST JOSEPH'S HOME, COLESHILL:** run by Father Hudson's Care, recognised as a good care home by the Care Quality Commission offers **residential care to older people and those living with dementia in a Catholic setting, with Mass said daily by resident priests.** Respite bedrooms are also available for those who could benefit from a short stay. If you or someone you know might benefit from the care offered at St Joseph's, please call Father Hudson's Care on 01675 434500 for an informal chat or to arrange a visit.

**HARVINGTON HALL PILGRIMAGE:** **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September,** the Archdiocese of Birmingham's Annual Pilgrimage & 3pm Mass for the English Martyrs, in the garden. Confessions from 1.45 pm – 2.30 pm. Tours for groups (maximum 20) will take place at the following times – 12.30 pm 1.00 pm, 1.30 pm, 4.15 pm and 4.30 pm. The event is organised by St. Mary's Parish. Please contact the Parish directly on 01562 777319 for details.

**BAPTISED AND SENT: OUR CALL TO BE MISSIONARY DISCIPLES:** **Sat. 12<sup>th</sup> October, 10am to 5pm, at St. Peter's RC School, Solihull.** Join Archbishop Bernard Longley, the Columban Missionaries and people from across the diocese to explore our call to be missionary disciples. Register on-line at [http://bit.ly/JandP\\_Assembly2019](http://bit.ly/JandP_Assembly2019) or email: [events@columbans.co.uk](mailto:events@columbans.co.uk)

**SUPPORT FOR MARRIAGES FACING DIFFICULTY:** Retrouvaille UK ([www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)) For details, please contact Clive & Kathy Jones 07887 296983 / 07973 380443 [info@retrouvaille.org.uk](mailto:info@retrouvaille.org.uk)

**FOR MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT:** Marriage Encounter Weekend- **22nd-24th November.** Ibis Hotel, Rugby. <https://wwme.org.uk/weekends/residential-marriage-encounter-weekend-rugby-3/> For more information about Marriage Encounter visit their website <https://wwme.org.uk/> or email [bookings@wwme.org.uk](mailto:bookings@wwme.org.uk)

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### **PRAYER FOR PRIESTS**

O Jesus, I pray for your faithful and fervent priests; for your unfaithful and tepid priests; for your priests labouring at home or abroad in distant mission fields; for your tempted priests; for your lonely and desolate priests; for your young priests; for your dying priests; for the souls of your priests in Purgatory.

But above all, I recommend to you the priests dearest to me: the priest who baptised me; the priests who absolved me from my sins; the priests at whose Masses I assisted and who gave me Your Body and Blood in Holy Communion; the priests who taught and instructed me; all the priests to whom I am indebted in any other way.

O Jesus, keep them all close to your heart, and bless them abundantly in time and in eternity. Amen.

*(St. Therese of the Child Jesus)*

**GOD BLESS YOU**