



ROTAS FOR 27 & 28 OCTOBER 2018

READERS	Sat Oct 27	6.30pm Mass	Duncan Clark
	Sun Oct 28	8.30am Mass	Sue Strode
		10.00am Mass	Allison Warren, David Norris

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION:

Sat Oct 27	6.30pm Mass	c. Colin Murphy, Louise Barr, Sue Collins
Sun Oct 28	8.30am Mass	c. Linda Purple, Margaret Pimm, Liz Faulks
	10.00am Mass	c. Hazel Kenny, Jason Sikorski, Helen Holt-Davies, Chris Banks, Anthony Brown

WELCOMERS	Sat Oct 27	6.30pm Mass	Teresa & Bill Judd
	Sun Oct 28	8.30am Mass	David Bolley
		10.00am Mass	Andy Pledge

LITURGY ROTA	Sun Oct 28	Seeds of the Earth	Kevin
		Living Water	Janina

MUSIC:	Sun Oct 28	10.00am Mass	Music Group
FLOWERS:	.....		Denise Clent
LINEN ROTA:	.....		Margaret
COUNTING:	Sun Oct 28	.....	Vanessa Wilkins
TEA/COFFEE:	Sun Oct 28	.....	Liz/Linda
BULLETIN:	.....		Mary Barton
PHOTOCOPYING:	.....		Catherine Buxton



ALL WELCOME
Tea and coffee
is served
after 10am Mass



NOTICES FOR THE BULLETIN

The deadline for notices to be included in the weekly bulletin is **Tuesday evening at the latest**. All notices should be sent by email to: ourladysthugh@sky.com or given to Father Pat. Thank you.

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, Reg. Charity No: 234216

Entrance Antiphon Cf. Ps 16:6,8
To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God;
turn your ear to me; hear my words.
Guard me as the apple of your eye;
in the shadow of your wings protect me.

First Reading 53:10-11
A reading from the prophet Isaiah

Responsorial Psalm
Ps 32:4-5.18-20.22.R.v.22

**R. May your love be upon us, O Lord,
as we place all our hope in you.**

- The word of the Lord is faithful and all his works to be trusted. The Lord loves justice and right and fills the earth with his love. (R)
- The Lord looks on those who revere him, on those who hope in his love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine. (R)
- Our soul is waiting for the Lord. The Lord is our help and our shield. May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you. (R)

Second Reading 4:14-16
A reading from the letter of Hebrews

Gospel Acclamation Jn 14:6
Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord;
no one can come to the Father except through me.
Alleluia!

Gospel 10:35-45
A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

Communion Antiphon Cf. Ps 32:18-19
Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

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SUNDAY 21ST – SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER 2018
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B
WORLD MISSION DAY

Sat 20 Mass 10.00 am (Followed by Exposition)
Celebrant's Intention
Mass 6.30 pm (For Sunday)
People of the Parish

Sun 21 Mass 8.30 am Anne Ormonde RIP
Mass 10.00 am Marzena RIP

Mon 22 Requiem Mass 10.30 am for Karin Schwarz RIP

Tues 23 Mass 7.00pm (Followed by The Rosary)
Holy Souls

Wed 24 Eucharistic Service 9.00 am

Thurs 25 Mass 6.00 pm Karin Schwarz RIP

Fri 26 Mass 9.00 am (Followed by Exposition)

Sat 27 Mass 10.00am (Followed by Exposition)
Celebrant's Intention

Mass 6.30 pm (For Sunday)
People of the Parish

Sun 28 Mass 8.30 am Celebrant's Intention
Mass 10.00 am Celebrant's Intention

Confessions
Saturday: 10.30am-11.00am
Evening Confessions 5.30 pm - 6.00 pm

Today there is a Second Collection for World Mission Sunday

OCTOBER THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

October is traditionally the month of the Rosary in the Catholic Church. Here in our parish a group has been reciting the rosary every Tuesday for the past 25 years. Prayers are offered up for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life; for peace and justice throughout the world and for the sick especially those in our own parish. It would be great if more parishioners could join the group to say the rosary after the 7pm Mass on a Tuesday evening or say a decade with your family at home.

HOLY HOUR

The next Holy Hour will be on **Sunday October 28th from 4 - 5pm**. The intention is to pray for Vocations to the priesthood and for consecrated Life. It would be great to see as many parishioners as possible there, even if you can only spend ten minutes or so that would be great. Thank you to those who attended the last Holy Hour. *Fr Pat*

BAPTISM PREPARATION

Parents wishing to have a child Baptised are required to attend a course of preparation. A two-session course is run in the Parish. Parents are welcome to attend before the birth of their child. The dates for 2019 are: **8 and 15 January, 2 and 9 April, 2 and 9 July, 1 and 8 October**. Sessions start at **8 pm**.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION FOR RECONCILIATION AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The next Holy Communion lesson will take place on **Monday, 29 October** in the Parish Hall at **3.30pm – 4.30pm**. **(No lesson 22nd October - HALF TERM)**. *Fr Pat and the First Holy Communion team*

CONFIRMATION 2019

Young people in Year 6 and above (either attending Our Lady of Lourdes School or non-Catholic schools) who would like to join the Confirmation programme for **2019** are invited to write to Fr Pat asking to be part of the programme of preparation.

Thursday, 1st November 7.45pm 2018 Information evening for candidates and parents in the parish hall.

(If possible please let Fr Pat have your letter before this meeting. Many thanks.)

Sunday, 25th November Enrolment Mass – 10am – please bring Baptism candle.

RCIA (GROWING IN FAITH)

If you are a non-Catholic and would be interested in getting to know about the Catholic Faith or if you are already a Catholic but would like to know more about the Faith – this may be for you!

Those who have attended the talks previously have enjoyed them, also there is no presumption on anybody becoming a Catholic by attending the course. Please let Fr Pat know if you are interested!

THE GIFT - A LIFE IN THE SPIRIT COURSE

An inspiring and practical series aimed at people of all ages, to help them encounter the Holy Spirit and empower them to share their faith. Fellowship, video sessions, group discussions and more...

Starting **Thursday 1st November, 2018 from 8:00pm to 9:30pm** and thereafter **every Thursday from 7:30 to 9:00 pm** until 13th December 2018. There will be a pre-meeting for those wishing to attend the course on **Friday 26th October**, from 7:30pm to 8:30pm. An invitation to everyone - come, participate and be blessed!

DATA PROTECTION REGARDING THE SICK LIST

If your name or the name of a friend or relative of yours is on the parish list of prayers for those who are sick, and you would like that name to remain on the list, would you please contact Fr Pat or the office.

We need to make sure that you or your friend or family member has consented to their name being on that list. This is because the list can be seen by a lot of people, as it is put up on the notice board outside the church and is available for anyone to pick up in church. It is NOT published on the Internet through the parish website.

Please note the sick list on the back page this week has been updated to include only those who have provided the permission slips. *Many thanks. Fr Pat*

THIS SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

This Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for Missio, his official charity for overseas mission. Your support on World Mission Sunday will help brave missionaries in building a future of hope both in Ethiopia and around the world. Please join in this special day that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer, celebration and care for our mission of the Church. You will be able to Gift Aid all donations by using envelopes provided by Missio. Thank you.

YOUTH GROUP

Young people in Year 6 and above are welcome to come along and join in the fun.

We meet from **6pm to 7.30pm** in the Parish hall.

The dates of youth group this term are **11th November and 16th December**.

CAFOD

A volunteer is needed to take on the role of parish rep for CAFOD as the present rep is stepping down. The role involves receiving and passing on news from the regional office and on any projects or fundraising that the parish may want to be involved with such as the present Connect 2:El Salvador.

Cake stall this weekend. Support our parish project in El Salvador by making or buying cakes.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Here in our Parish we have an active SVP group, but we would welcome new members to join the Society and help to support people in a variety of situations and contexts, some of which are familiar and others may be less well known. On display in the Church entrance over the next month will be a series of posters providing some information on what we do to go "beyond the boundaries" which is our theme this year.

What does the Witney SVP do? How can I get involved? Who would I visit? How often would I need to do something? How can I support it? All relevant questions you will ask yourself. If you are interested in finding out more please ask Fr. Pat.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

New rotas have now been emailed to everyone, along with some important notes.

There is also a list up in the Narthex. Many thanks

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN WITNEY

United Service on **Sunday 28th October 6pm** at High St Methodist. All are welcome.

OUR LADY & ST HUGH FAMILY CLUB

Church Playgroup is held in the Parish Room every **Wednesday** during term time from 10am-noon for parents and carers of pre-school aged children. A suggested donation of £1 per child/carers covers our running costs and we rely on a small group of volunteers and would love to have more Parish members involved. We need help with refreshments, craft activities, singing and engaging with carers and children. If you are interested in volunteering please let Catherine in the office know, or pop along to the group on a Wednesday for a cuppa and a chat. Many thanks.

GENTLE REMINDER

Please could I ask parishioners not to park in front of the church in the area designated for ambulance access. There have been occasions when this has been required. If it is raining and wish to drop a person especially if they are disabled in any way, please do so, but then park in a designated parking space.

Thank you for your patience in this matter. *Fr Pat*