

## LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please keep all the sick and housebound in your prayers:



### RECENTLY DECEASED

Let us pray for all those who have died recently. We also pray for all those whose Anniversaries occur at this time.

**May they Rest in Peace. Please keep their families in your prayers.**  
**Every life is unique and special, especially at their passing. If you would like a 'paragraph eulogy' included in the bulletin, please contact Father Pat.**

### ROTAS FOR 18/19 October 2025: Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Yr. C

**Readers:** Sat 18 6.30pm Brian Viles  
Sun19 8.30am Demi Amusu  
Sun19 10.00am Maia Johnson, Carlton Rose

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Sat 18 6.30pm (C) Vincent Cugnet, Bernadette Collins, Carmen Bennett  
Sun19 8.30 am (C) Jacques Honore, Barbara Chodkiewicz, Paul Bennett  
Sun19 10.00am (C) Chris Banks, Maureen Banks, Janina Kalinowska

**Flowers:** Sat 18 Maureen Moran  
**Counters:** Sun 19 Louise Barr and Ellen O'Hare  
**Tea & Coffee:** Sun 19 Liz/Linda  
**Bulletin:** Fri 17 Ruth, Church Office

### DONA CARD READER

Remember to use our contactless card reader for all your donations. Donations can also be made by scanning the QR code so you could donate from home when you are having a cup of coffee or tea and reading through the bulletin! With grateful thanks.



### OUR BULLETIN DEADLINE – PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN EMAIL ADDRESS

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: [olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk) or given to Father Pat.

### SAFEGUARDING WEEKLY NOTICE

"The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. **Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Helen Holt-Davies.** She can be contacted at: [sg.olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns."

### PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME WITH YOU

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

**Entrance Antiphon** Ps 129:3-4  
If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,  
Lord, who could stand?  
But with you is found forgiveness,  
O God of Israel.

**First reading** 2 Kings 5:14-17

**Responsorial Psalm** Ps 98(97):1. 2-3b. 3c-4.  
(R):1a

(R) The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations

1. O sing a new song to the Lord,  
for he has worked wonders.  
His right hand and his holy arm  
have brought salvation (R)

2. The Lord has made known his salvation,  
has shown his deliverance to the nations.  
He has remembered his merciful love  
and his truth for the house of Israel. (R)

3. All the ends of the earth have seen  
the salvation of our God.  
Shout to the Lord, all the earth;  
break forth into joyous song,  
and sing out your praise. (R)

**Second reading** 2 Timothy 2:8-13

**Gospel Acclamation** 1 Thessalonians 5:18  
Alleluia, alleluia.  
In everything give thanks;  
for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.  
Alleluia.

**Gospel Reading** Luke 17:11-19

**Communion Antiphon** Cf. Ps 33:11  
The rich suffer want and go hungry;  
but those who seek the Lord lack no blessing.

**NO 2nd collection this weekend**

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**SUNDAY 12th-19th October 2025: Year C**  
**28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: YEAR C**  
**12th October: Prisoners Sunday**

Sat 11 **EXPOSITION from 10am-11.00am**  
**MASS 6.30pm** (Alan Gordon Beaton RIP)

Sun 12 **MASS 8.30am** (Margaret Bailey RIP)  
**MASS 10.00am** (People of the Parish)

Mon 13 **EUCCHARISTIC SERVICE 9.30am**  
**ROSARY PRAYER GROUP 10.00am**

Tue 14 **MASS 6.00pm** (Mary-Ann Marmont RIP)

Wed 15 Memorial of St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin,  
Doctor of the Church  
**MASS 9.30am** (People of the Parish)

Thu 16 **MASS 6.00PM** (Celebrant's Intention)  
**ROSARY PRAYER GROUP 6.30pm**

Fri 17 Memorial of St. Ignatius of Antioch,  
Bishop, Martyr  
**MASS 9.30am** (People of the Parish)

Sat 18 Feast of St. Luke, Evangelist  
**EXPOSITION from 10am-11.00am**  
**MASS 6.30pm** (People of the Parish)

Sun 19 Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
**MASS 8.30am** (Joan & Paul Fowler RIP)  
**MASS 10.00am** (Maggie Brown RIP)

### CONFESSIONS & APPOINTMENTS



Confessions are on **Saturdays**  
at 10.30am-11am & 5.30pm-6pm

If you would like to see Fr Pat for  
Confession or any other reason, please do  
not hesitate to make an appointment either by  
phone or e mail: [olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:olash.witney@rcaob.org.uk)

### ROSARY PRAYER GROUP



October is the month of the Holy Rosary and we will be praying the Rosary following 9.30am mass on **Monday morning** and following 6pm mass On **Thursday evening**. We will include prayers for the Pope's intentions, the parish, for our sick and recently deceased and for our own intentions.

**We will be meeting on the front benches in church.**

Everyone is very welcome, especially if praying the Rosary is a new experience for you. **We have a few rosaries for anyone who needs one.**

### POPE LEO'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

**October:** For collaboration between different religious traditions.

The link below is a short 2 minute video on the Pope's October prayer intention from The Vatican. <https://youtu.be/9JNhQzzisOQ?si=nZFRYpGjQMajWSay>

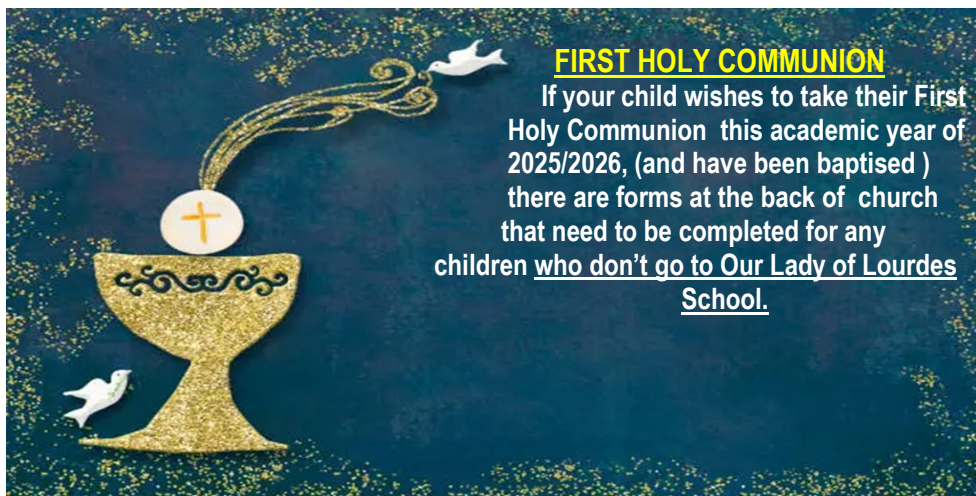


**IHI Prisoners'**  
Sunday  
12 October 2025

### PRISONERS SUNDAY 12TH OCTOBER

We will remember Pope Leo and his support of prisoners and their families at Mass this weekend. Prisons are in crisis, and life for prisoners and their families in our communities is challenging.

PACT, **(Prison Advice and Care Trust)** the national Catholic prison charity, supports prisoners, their families and their children, offering them hope and the chance to turn their lives around. You can read more about the work of PACT and can donate if you are able to on the web site [www.prisonadvice.org.uk/](http://www.prisonadvice.org.uk/)



### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

If your child wishes to take their First Holy Communion this academic year of 2025/2026, (and have been baptised) there are forms at the back of church that need to be completed for any children who don't go to Our Lady of Lourdes School.



### WORLD MISSION SUNDAY—19TH OCTOBER

#### WE ARE THE POPE'S CHARITY FOR WORLD MISSION

Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to support Missio – his charity for world



mission – through a special collection.

This day of prayer, solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the Good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, **use the Missio envelopes**, call **020 7821 9755 (office hours)** or visit [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk) to give a gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation if possible.

**ADDITIONAL APPEAL ON BEHALF OF MISSIO** *Do you have any unwanted items, (old gifts that you don't really want)* that could be sold on a **white elephant stall** to be held on the weekend of the 18th-19th Oct (for World Mission Sunday) at all three Masses. Any donations would be gratefully received and can be left in the porch

### YOUTH GROUP

Our next session will be on **Sunday, 12th October, 4:30–6:00pm**, and we'll continue meeting every second Sunday of the month. *Please continue to keep the Parish youth group in your prayers as we journey together in faith, fun, and fellowship.*



### THE 200 CLUB (Winners)



The winning numbers for the 200 Club were drawn at the end of 10am Mass on the last Sunday of the month. For just **£10 per month** your number will be entered into the draw, with the chance to win **£400 as 1st prize** or **£50 each for 2nd and 3rd places.** In addition you will be helping our church **The next draw will be held on Sunday 2nd November** after 10.00am Mass.

Definitely worth it; the odds are an immense improvement to the lottery or the many other lottery schemes.



### LUNCH CLUB IN NOVEMBER

Please join us for our next Lunch Club, to be held in the Parish Room **on Tuesday, 4th November from 12.30 to 2.00pm.** It's a great opportunity to chat with friends and make new ones over a two course meal, followed by tea or coffee, and all **still at a cost of only £5.**

**Everyone is very welcome!**