

SUNDAY BULLETIN

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 15 September 2019

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BUFFET FEVER FUNDRAISING MEAL 26 SEPTEMBER 6.00pm

Tickets on sale this weekend after Masses or email the Parish Office to order your tickets.

All you can eat buffet with wide range of oriental cuisine. Tickets are £15 for adults, children under 10 years £6, children under 3 years £4. Please buy your tickets as soon as possible so that we can inform the restaurant of numbers.

MASS TIMES	Sacred Heart	Saint Joseph's		Mass Intention
<i>Saturday for Sunday</i>	4.30pm 5.00pm		Confessions Vigil Mass	Pro Populo
TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME <i>Home Mission Sunday</i>	9.00am 9.30am	11.00am 11.30am	Confessions Solemn Mass Confessions Solemn Mass	Michael Roberts Pro Populo
Monday 16 St Cornelius, Pope, & St Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs	9.30am		Holy Mass	Caitlin O'Reilly
Tuesday 17 Feria	9.00am	10.00am	Holy Mass Funeral Service Caroline Sargeant	Caitlin O'Reilly
Wednesday 18 Feria	9.30am	6.00pm 7.00pm	Holy Mass Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Holy Mass	
Thursday 19 Feria	9.30am		Holy Mass with St Wilfrid's Academy	
Friday 20 St Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, Paul Chong Ha- sang, and Companions, Martyrs	9.30am 10.00am- 11.00am	2.00pm	Holy Mass Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament Wedding of Verity Barnes & Jake Swindells	
Saturday 21 St Matthew, Evangelist				
<i>Saturday for Sunday</i>	4.30pm 5.00pm		Confessions Vigil Mass	
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME <i>Day of Prayer for the Harvest</i>	9.00am 9.30am	11.00am 11.30am	Confessions Solemn Mass Confessions Family Mass with St Peter's School Holy Baptism of Carter Elijah David Smith	Andrew Lamb

Please note the earlier time of 9.00am for Mass at the Sacred Heart on Tuesday, owing to the funeral service at St Joseph's at 10.00am.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED Michael Roberts, Caroline Sargeant, Sylvia Heald. May they rest in peace.

FUNERALS

Funeral Service Caroline Sargeant
Tuesday 17 September 10.00am at St Joseph's
Requiem Mass Sylvia Heald 2.00pm at the Sacred Heart. There will be no morning Mass at the Sacred Heart on this day.

Confessions

Sacred Heart

Saturday 4.30pm-4.50pm
Sundays 9.00am – 9.20am

Saint Joseph's

Sundays 11.00am – 11.20am

BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE

The next preparation session for parents wishing to have their child baptized will be on Thursday 3 October 6.00pm in the Sacred Heart Crypt. Please contact the Parish Office or speak to the Administrator if you would like to attend. Parents are asked to bring the certificate of their own baptism to the preparation meeting if possible.

PARISH PRIEST 'DROP-IN' SESSIONS

If you need to speak with the parish priest you can come to the Sacred Heart presbytery on Monday evenings 6-7pm. No appointment needed.

PRAYER A DAY FOR VOCATIONS

The list for September is in the porch. Please sign the list to volunteer to pray for vocations on behalf of the parish on one day during the month.

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

OFFERTORY and FUNDRAISING The Sacred Heart

Gift Aid £168.50 non gift aid £278.08 total £446.58 Catholic Education £157.01 200 club winner no. 56

Second Collection this weekend for The Home Mission Office (Catholic Evangelisation)

Second Collection next weekend for **Fr Hudson's Society**, the principal social care agency of the Catholic Archdiocese of Birmingham, which provides a range of services for people who are disadvantaged, marginalised or experiencing need. Fr Hudson's works with people from all walks of life, offering friendship, care and support. Gift aid envelopes for the collection available in the porch.

PARISH DIARY 2019

SEPTEMBER

- September 16 Meeting for Sacred Heart Readers, Presbytery 7.00pm
September 20 Wedding of Jake Swindells & Verity Barnes 2pm St Joseph's
September 21 Day of Recollection on the Eucharist, St Wulstan's Wolstanton 10am-3pm led by Mgr Timothy Menezes
September 22 11.30am St Joseph's, Family Mass for start of academic year with St Peter's Academy
Baptism of Carter Smith 11.30am St Joseph's
September 25 Sacred Heart Crypt Community Open Day
September 26 6pm Buffet Fever Fundraising meal
September 27 North Staffs Deanery Station Mass Sacred Heart Silverdale 7pm
September 28 Youth Ministry Conference Alton Castle
September 29 Fundraising raffle at St Joseph's

OCTOBER

- October 3 Baptism Preparation meeting Sacred Heart Crypt 6.00pm
October 4 CAFOD Harvest Fast Day
October 13 Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman

HOME MISSION SUNDAY

This weekend we celebrate Home Mission Sunday. It is an opportunity to inspire us all to share the Good News we have received and to look closer to home as we grow Missionary Parishes and form Missionary Disciples. The Home Mission Office is a national organisation that helps the local Church engage in the vital mission of Evangelisation. This weekend, they ask for our prayers and our financial support through the second collection which will enable them to help the local Church share the joy of the Gospel throughout England and Wales.

MEETING FOR READERS AT SACRED HEART MASSES

Monday 16 September 7.00pm in the Presbytery. If you are currently on the Rota, are one of the new Readers invited by Fr Fabian or if you have not read before and would be interested in offering your services for this Ministry please come along to the meeting.

RIDE & STRIDE, HERITAGE OPEN DAY

Thank you to our riders and all who sponsored them. Please give in your sponsor money as soon as possible if you have not already done so. Thank you to all who helped to welcome our visitors on the open day.

SACRED HEART CONCERT

Thank you to Jacquie, Naomi and all the organisers, those who performed and served refreshments and to all who came to support the concert. It was a great success and a most enjoyable afternoon.

SACRED HEART CRYPT COMMUNITY OPEN DAY

We are holding an open day on Wednesday 25 September to which we are inviting our funders and members of community groups who have expressed interest in using the Crypt space. There will be three information sessions during the day:

Session One 10.00 am for 10.30 am start;

Session Two 2.00 pm for 2.30 pm start;

Session Three 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm start.

Volunteers to help with refreshments for these sessions would be much appreciated.

DAY OF RECOLLECTION ON THE EUCHARIST

Saturday 21 September at St Wulstan's, Wolstanton, beginning with Mass at 10am and finishing with Adoration 2.30-3.00pm. All welcome. Please bring a packed lunch, tea and coffee available. See poster for full programme.

DEANERY MASSES

Friday 27 September Station Mass at the Sacred Heart Silverdale 7pm, Feast of St Vincent de Paul, Principal Celebrant Fr Paul McNally.

Tuesday 22 October 7.00pm at Holy Trinity Newcastle to celebrate the Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman.