

RIP: Please pray for those who have died recently especially Jane Hull, Rita McCormack, Etna Byrne, victims of the Grenfell Tower fire, the victims of the London and Manchester terror attacks, Charlie, Bradley, Henryka Hirons, Pat Cahill, and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

**Let us pray for pray for our sick priests, parishioners, family and friends:** Mary Lynch, Peggy Wilson, Ann Evans, Tina Mulligan, Mrs Staunton, Maura Stone, John Knight, Kevin McNamara, Eugene Gallagher, Brian McGonnigle, Abraham Doherty, Bob Jones, Myles Hastings, Laurence Sullivan, Ann Lennie, Ryan Green, Anne O'Sullivan, Mary Sullivan, Kelsie-Sky Cutting, Sheila Cutting, Shirley Woolston, Harrison O'Leary, George Lawlor, Alan Barry, Cathy Wanczycki, Nora Heavey, Marion Morris, Ann Bullock, Mary Graham, Jenny Forbes Smith, Eileen Jackson, Mary Maloney, Sylvia Barrow, Philomena Alonge, David Nesbitt, Tony Carey, Paul Evans, Diane McGee, Paul DaPonte, Catherine & John Shorney, Cynthia Goddard, Paul Wooding, Brian Hassett, Sheila Williamson, Sheila Lewis, Rebecca Power, Archie & Sean Kelly, Ruth Chandler, Eva Barratt, Grace Harrison, Mary Harty, Sharon Coleman, Kath O'Sullivan, Jane O'Connell, Mary Morris, Joanne McKinnon, Honora Walsh, Sue Kenney, Valarie Craig, Diane Taylor, Gerard Lawless, Michelle Stokes, Frances Ford, Fr. Petroc Howell, Kay Holland, Brian Chandler and Sheila Brown, Suzanne Martin, Caroline Fitzpatrick, Roy Haslam, Cathy Cox, Josephine Cottrell, Margaret Goodall, Margaret Ames, Caroline Slater and Marguerite Lech.

**WEEKLY DIARY**

**SUNDAY:** Tea and Coffee after 10.30 Mass come and meet fellow parishioners

**SUNDAY:** Evening Prayer and Benediction 6pm (**First Sunday of the month**)

**MONDAY:** Parish Youth Group 6.30pm - 8.30pm

**TUESDAY:** Craft & Chat 1.30pm - 3.30pm (**First Tuesday of the month**)

**TUESDAY:** Come and See Meeting – 7.45pm – **No meeting this week.**

**WEDNESDAY:** Extend exercise group at 9.30am

**WEDNESDAY:** SJV Tots 1.00pm - 3.00pm

**THURSDAY:** Choir Rehearsal 7.00pm - 8.15pm Contact: [gillcostello4@gmail.com](mailto:gillcostello4@gmail.com)

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**

16<sup>th</sup> July Mass of Thanksgiving for those receiving Sacraments this year followed by parish picnic, 30<sup>th</sup> September Parish Barn Dance

**PARISH FINANCE**

**COLLECTIONS:** Thank you for your offerings for 9<sup>th</sup> July 2017

Loose Plate: £247.53

Gift Aid: £230.10

**TOTAL: £477.63**

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<b>FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)</b>			
<b>SUNDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017</b>			
<b>Liturgy this Week</b>			
<b>Saturday 15th</b>	<b>Vigil Mass: 6.00pm</b>		Fr Liam O'Connor
	<b>Confessions: 7.00pm</b>		
<b>Sunday 16th</b>	<b>Mass 10.30am</b>	<b>Thanksgiving Mass– First Holy Communion, Confirmation and Ordination</b>	Nora O'Keeffe
<b><u>Mass This Weekend</u></b>			
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<b>Monday 17th</b>	<b>FERIA</b>		Thomas Monaghan (Eileen)
	<b>Mass 8.00am</b>		
<b>Tuesday 18th</b>	<b>FERIA</b>		Frank Neville (Griffin)
	<b>Mass 8.00am</b>		
<b>Wednesday 19th</b>	<b>FERIA</b>		
	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Liturgy of the Word &amp; Eucharist</b>	
<b>Thursday 20th</b>	<b>FERIA</b>		Rita McCormack (Months Mind)
	<b>Mass 7.00pm</b>		
<b>Friday 21st</b>	<b>FERIA</b>		Intentions of staff and pupils SJV School
	<b>Mass 9.00am</b>	<b>Year 6 Leavers Mass</b>	
<b>Saturday 22nd</b>	<b>FEAST OF ST MARY MAGDALENE</b>		Sarah Fitzpatrick (McAree)
	<b>Mass 10.00am</b>		
<b>FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>			
<b>Saturday 22nd</b>	<b>Vigil Mass: 6.00pm</b>		Paddy & Rose Connell (Watson-Kenny)
	<b>Confessions: 7.00pm</b>		
<b>Sunday 23rd</b>	<b>Mass 10.30am</b>		People of the Parish

**Dear Parishioners of St. John Vianney,**

I write these words early on Saturday morning following the parish celebration for my silver jubilee. I want to thank you all for making this such a happy and memorable occasion. It has been so good to have been able to share this with you.

The church was beautifully adorned for the occasion with the magnificent flowers and displays. The liturgy so beautifully prepared and celebrated with the great help of our choir, wonderful children and the expertise of our MC and altar serving team. Thank you to our team of church cleaners who helped prepare the church and all those who welcomed people to church and to the school and those who assisted with parking on the evening. I thank Jon and Mofid for all the additional time they put into preparing the church grounds.

Thanks must go to St. John Vianney School for the preparations they made and for the use of the school.. I thank the children for their song! They were so good at keeping it a big secret and I will never forget it!

I want to thank the great team of volunteers who just prepared everything for the reception. So much thought and preparation went into making it so special. I have never seen such a highly organised sandwich making team. I think we could run our own SJV sandwich store and put some leading stores out of business! Thank you to all those who brought delicious food and baked amazing cakes and scones and so many other things!

Thank you for the presentation gift and for the many cards and other gifts I have received. I thank God for the opportunity he gives to me of serving as your parish priest.

May God bless you all and your families.

Fr. Jonathan

**END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR:** As the school year finally comes to a close this coming Friday I want to express my thanks to all those who work so hard for our parish schools of Bishop Ullathorne, St. John Vianney and SJV Pre-School. This summer we bid farewell to a number of staff at SJV School all of whom have made a special and unique contribution to the school and have contributed to the life of our parish community. I thank them most sincerely for all they have done. We keep them in our prayers and ask for God's peace and blessing upon them and their families in the future.

**SUNDAY PARISH PICNIC:** Our thanksgiving celebrations continue this Sunday morning with the Mass of Thanksgiving for those who have received the Sacrament of the Blessed Eucharist for the first time this year and those who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Sunday morning we will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving

for all those who have received the Sacraments this year and for the gift of the Sacraments in our lives. **After Mass It is hoped we could have a picnic brunch or lunch in the grounds of the school. Please bring a picnic along and there should be some entertainment provided.** It has been suggested that we have a parish rounders match – though participation is not compulsory... It could be great fun!!

**SPONSORSHIP 10K RUN:** Sponsorship money can be handed in at the table in the narthex. Thanks for your support.

**COLLECTION FOR BRAZIL:** To support the Mission to Brazil Debroah Bell asks for our help with the following: **FIRST AID KITS** plus plasters/bandages all sizes/gloves/antiseptic wipes. **BABY/SMALL CHILDREN** clothes and accessories (Wipes, bibs, powder, nappies, nappy cream/bags, socks, shoes, coats, bottles new, hair clips) **BED SETS** adult blankets, baby muslin sheets, fleece blankets, towels. Please mark items "BRAZIL."

**REBOOT AND THE MERCY TOUR - 17<sup>th</sup> July 18.30 – 21.00** Chris Stefanick a Catholic Evangelist coming from the USA will be at St Catherine of Siena Church Birmingham. Chris was an MC for WYD in Poland, one of the writers of the Chosen Confirmation program and also is a regular on EWTN. The Mercy Tour from Youth 2000 will be joining us from the Shrine of Walsingham. Archbishop Bernard will be attending too. It is an event from age 11 years upwards. It will be a transforming evening for all those who attend. Please use link to book online: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/reboot-live-uk-tour-birmingham-tickets-34361477103> Tickets are limited Adult £11.21, OAP/ Student £5.90 Here are a couple of clips from YouTube of Chris: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1fvX\\_LTK7Bk](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1fvX_LTK7Bk) and <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lildQ-m8Qtw>

**NATIONAL PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** I will be visiting St Chad's Cathedral on 29th / 30th July 2017. This is the Centenary Year of the Apparitions. Archbishop Bernard will welcome the statue at the 4.30pm Mass on 29th, at which Our Lady will be crowned and enthroned. After the Mass there will be an opportunity to venerate relics of the recently canonised 'Little Shepherds of Fatima', Saints Francisco and Jacinta. Please see the poster in the narthex for more details.

**MEGA YOUTH POLL:** Pope Francis is organising a Synod on "Young People and the Church" and wants to gather views from around the world. You can take part in this survey, especially if you are a young person by using the following links: [www.catholicnews.org.uk](http://www.catholicnews.org.uk) (search for 'Youth Poll'), or via <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/parish-youth-poll>

**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:** Princethorpe College are recruiting a Full-Time Administrator / Receptionist for details on how to apply and closing dates please see visit the college website [www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities](http://www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities)

**SJV PRE-SCHOOL:** There are still a few places available for September 2017 in the mornings for our Parish pre-School Tuesday - Thursday. If you have a child or relative who would benefit from joining the Pre-School please contact Laura on 02476 695329