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Today We Celebrate the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cycle C: 908 or 971 (new), 794(old)

Responsorial Psalm: Proclaim the wonders of the Lord
among all the peoples.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia!
Your words are spirit, Lord,
and they are life:
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia!

The celebrations of Mass and Mass intentions for the coming week:

Sat 19 th Jan	6.30 pm	Ints of Margaret Anderson: Joan Skidmore: Rose Kelly
Sun 20 th Jan	9.30 am	Matthew Wakefield: Bill O'Donnell: Dec'd Turner family & Marie Wale: Betty Nordone
	11.30 am	Ints of Janet: Ints of Curristan family: Patrick Swift: Josie & Michael Gardiner: Seamus O'Malley
Mon 21 st Jan		Memorial of St Agnes, Martyr
	9.00 am	Spec Int (Get Well – Fr George): Mary Birrone
Tues 22 nd Jan	9.00 am	Spec Int (Agnes McLeod): Eva Innes
Wed 23 rd Jan	9.00 am	Frank McIntyre: Jim & Margaret Dawson
Thurs 24 th Jan		Memorial of St Francis de Sales, Bishop
	9.00 am	Tom McGovern: Dec'd Parishioners of SJF
Fri 25 th Jan		Feast of the Conversion of St Paul
	9.00 am	Katie O'Connor: Spec Int (Pat & Bernard)
Sat 26 th Jan		Memorial of Ss Timothy and Titus, Bishops
	10.00 am	May O'Dermott: John Bradley
	6.30 pm	Brendan Dowling: 14 th Anniv of James Murray: Anne Brookes: Dec'd Anderson family
Sun 27 th Jan		Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
	9.30 am	Frank Murray: Ints of Moore family: Spec Int (Sheila Trenchard)
	11.30 am	Stephen Edmonds: James & Gladys Edmonds: Paddy O'Neill: Elizabeth (Netty) & Maurice Joyce: Bridie * Dennis Robinson

Second Collection this week For Pax Christi

Date	Time	Reader	Eucharistic Minister
19 th Jan	6.30 pm	Daniel Horsley, Brendan Fawcett	Chris Grimes, Maureen Steedman, Rose Trill
20 th Jan	9.30am 11.30am	Luise Ivens, Ngozi Okafor Bernadette Norman, Joseph Reynolds	Carmel Murray, Adrienne Philbin, Mary Malone Mary Ogilvie, Bernadette Norman, Lorraine Selby
26 th Jan	6.30 pm	John Wells, Peter Carroll	Katie Pethullis, Victoria Alfonso, Dennis Cremins
27 th Jan	9.30am 11.30am	Bernadette Billane, Denise Casey Gemma Shearer, Sarah Shearer	Tony Wilson, Brid Conmy, Luise Ivens Halina Greener, Marion Tuson, Alan Drakeford

Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament Tuesday: 8.30am – 10am Sacrament of Reconciliation Sat: 9.30-9.50am

Prayers have been requested for the sick of our parish community:

Anne Gillies; Walter Kamnisk; Hugh McAteer; Margaret Buckley; Sheila Sedgley; Cath O'Toole, Tom McGrath, Patrick Maughan, John Maughan, Anthony McDonagh, Rose Maughan, Nicola Coyle, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Iain Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Stefan Szwarnowski, Eileen Barnes, Michael Kelly, Liam Connolly Caolan, Mary Logie, Thomas Hewitt, Mindi Devi, Peter Charman, Avis Ostick

Last Week's Collection: £1143.25 Thank you very much

Lamp Lit at Sacred Heart Shrine:

This week: Ints of Joanne
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Lamp lit at Our Lady's Shrine:

This Week: Ints of Anne & Larry
Next week: Ints of Mary & Jim

Lamp Lit at St Joseph's Shrine

This week: Mary Sheridan
Next Week: Francis Malone

Lamp Lit at St Anthony's Shrine

This week: Ints of Mary
Next Week: Ints of Cathy

<p><u>Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently</u></p> <p>and for the consolation of their families. We pray especially for:</p> <p>Tom McGovern: Reception & Mass Wed 30th Jan @ 6 pm. Requiem Thurs 31st Jan @ 11 am</p> <p><i>May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen</i></p>
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<p><i>Candles Lit at Shrines available in February Candles cost £3.50</i></p>

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NOTICES AND DATES FOR OUR DIARY

DATES FOR 2019

Wed 6 th Mar		Ash Wednesday
Sun 14 th Apr		Palm Sunday
Fri 19 th Apr		Good Friday
Sun 21 st April		Easter Sunday
Sat 18th May	10.30 am	SJF First Holy Communion
Sun 19th May	11.30 am	St Gregory's Holy Communion
Sat 8th Jun	10.30 am	SJF First Holy Communion

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS & READERS

New rotas are available in the Sacristy.

ST BERNADETTE'S TRUST PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Sorry - No more places are available –it is wonderful to have so many people interested.

ST GREGORY'S NURSERY :

A few places are still available and bookings are being taken for September. Tel 02476 445900 and speak to Mrs Biddlecombe.

Romero Catholic Academy

Are you looking to live out your faith and serve your local community?

There are vacancies for Foundation Local Academy Committee Representatives at Corpus Christi, Good Shepherd, SS Peter & Paul, St John Fisher, St Patrick's and Sacred Heart.

<https://www.bdes.org.uk/academies1.html>

USED STAMPS FOR MYTON HOSPICE and ITEMS for COVENTRY FOODBANK :

Any donations gratefully received. Please give stamps to Fr Bob and leave items for the Foodbank in the porch.

FR HUDSON'S CARE

St Joseph's Home, Coleshill, offers residential care to older people and those with dementia in a Catholic setting. Respite bedrooms are available for short stays. If anyone you know might benefit, call 01675 434500 for an informal chat or visit.

LEADERSHIP VACANCIES

- **St Thomas More School, Coventry:**
Head Teacher - www.stmcov.org for details
- **St Peter's Secondary School, Solihull:**
Deputy Headteacher - www.st-peters.solihull.sch.uk

ANNUAL BIRMINGHAM HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL EVENT

Free event on Sunday 27th January at the Birmingham Council House Banqueting Suite from 2 – 4 pm. Doors open at 1 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

BIRMINGHAM PASSION PLAY 2019

The Birmingham Passion Play 2019 takes place on 16th, 17th and 18th April 2019 in Birmingham city centre.

The leading actors/actresses will be supplied by the Saltmine Trust, a Christian company who are keen to recruit volunteers for the community cast, choir, musicians and stewards etc.

There will be a meeting for all who are interested at One Colmore Row, Floor 8, from 2.30 – 5 pm on Sunday 3rd Feb (note they have changed date)

The Archbishop asks the Catholic community to support / participate in this even and all are welcome.

VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR YOUNG WOMEN

Theme: Follow your Heart – Discernment and Vocation

Dates: 15 – 17 Feb 2019

Location: Liverpool

The weekend is organised by the sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ).

For more information contact Sr Lynne at lynnefcj@hotmail.com or visit www.fcjsisters.org

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – 1ST MARCH 2019

Come – Everything is Ready!

A service for everyone at Warwick Rd United Reform Church @ 11 am

SICK LIST

Please contact Fr Bob if you would like a name on the Sick List or if you would like a visit to your home.

LIGHT RELECTION:

This week, we celebrated the funeral of Fr Eugene Nee Lt Colonel USAF + Canon. An inspirational man, he wrote the following:

L= Listen, **O=** Open, **V=** Value self and others, **E=** express love daily

Bitterness imprisons life: **LOVE** releases it
Bitterness paralyses life: **LOVE** EMPOWERS IT
Bitterness sours life: **LOVE** sweetens it
Bitterness sickens life: **LOVE** heals it
Bitterness blinds life: **LOVE** anoints its eyes
The greatest force in the world is **LOVE**, so let it flow.

God bless you all!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION FOR CHILDREN IN NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

First Holy Communion will take place on Sunday 19th May.

Classes for pupils in non-Catholic schools wishing to receive Communion will take place on Saturday mornings 6th April and 4th and 11th May, from 9 – 9.45 am

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REPLY SLIP ENROLMENT FOR PREPARATION CLASSES FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

CHILD'S NAME Tel No: Day

ADDRESS Tel No: Evening

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