



# THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF OUR LORD & ALL SOULS

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SUNDAY 21 JUNE 2020

## ✠ 12<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME ✠

### Church reopen for individual prayer

It has been so uplifting to see people coming into church this past week to pray. It's an encouraging first step towards the celebration of public Masses. Church is currently open each day for a short period of time for people to come to pray *individually*. I would like to repeat my thanks on behalf of the parish to the group of parishioners who have made this possible by volunteering to steward and clean church to ensure that all visitors are kept safe. Quite literally, we couldn't do it without them.

#### Church opening times

**Sundays** 10.30am -12.30pm    **Mondays** 2 - 4pm    **Tuesdays** 6.30 - 7.30pm    **Wednesdays** 10.30am -12.30pm  
**Thursdays** 2 - 4pm    **Fridays** 6.30 - 7.30pm    **Saturdays** 10.30am -12.30pm

Please note: Church will be opened and closed promptly at the advertised times. Church has to be cleaned after each session

It is very important that while church is open certain **hygiene** and **social distancing** measures are observed. These are for everyone's safety, so please familiarise yourself with them. Thank you.

- The church is open for **individual prayer only**.
- The maximum number of people allowed in church to pray at any time is **14**.
- Please **DO NOT** come into church if you or someone in your household has a high temperature/a new and continuous cough/loss or change to sense of taste or smell.
- You are encouraged to wear a face covering whilst visiting the church. Please bring your own.
- Please **sanitise your hands** on entry and exit at the sanitising stations.
- Please follow the **stewards' instructions**.
- Please keep **2m** apart at all times.
- Please follow the **one-way system** through the church. The exit is by the Lady Chapel.
- Please sit only in the places indicated by a **green sticker** in the designated area for prayer.
- Please keep your **personal possessions to a minimum** and take away when leaving the church. Items left behind will be disposed of. You may wish to bring your own rosary/missal/prayer book. These will not be provided.
- **Toilets are not accessible** at this time.
- Please be considerate to others in the **length of time** you spend in church. Other people may be waiting to come in
- Parents and carers, **please supervise children** at all times.
- If you take a SINGLE-USE prayer leaflet or booklet available at the back of church, **please take it away with you**.

If you are unable to come to church, please be assured that you are in our prayers and are not forgotten. God bless, Father Paul.

### Celebrating, living and sharing God's word today

#### First reading

Jeremiah 20: 10-13

About 600 years before Christ, Jeremiah prophesied in Jerusalem. Political intrigue and religious laxity had corrupted the society. For speaking the truth about it, the prophet made enemies, and he speaks of them now.

#### Second reading

Romans 5: 12-15

Saint Paul speaks of the differences between Adam and the Risen Jesus. He applies these differences to life under the old Law of Moses and our new life in Christ.

#### Gospel

Matthew 10: 26-33

Concern for their honour made ancient Middle-Eastern people practice much secrecy and deception. Jesus predicts a new openness and requires truthfulness on the part of his disciples.



## ✠ WORSHIP THIS WEEK ✠

DURING THE CURRENT PANDEMIC MASSES ARE CELEBRATED WITHOUT A CONGREGATION AND LIVE-STREAMED

Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>12<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>9.30am MASS</b>	<i>People of the parish</i>
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>SS. JOHN FISHER, Bishop &amp; THOMAS MORE, Martyrs</b>	9.30am MASS	<i>Tom Healy &amp; Armand Meguer, RIP</i>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Feria in Ordinary Time	9.30am Mass	<i>Annie Turvey</i>
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST</b>	9.30am MASS	<i>Teresa Burke RIP</i>
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Feria in Ordinary Time	9.30am Mass	<i>Anne Sweeney RIP (funeral today)</i>
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Feria in Ordinary Time	9.30am Mass	<i>Larry &amp; Alice Corroon RIP</i>
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St. Cyril of Alexandria</b>	9.30am Mass	<i>Jim Lawton RIP</i>
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SOLEMNITY OF SS PETER &amp; PAUL, Apostles</b>	<b>9.30am MASS</b>	<i>People of the parish</i>

Daily Evening Prayer via Zoom at 6pm (email Fr Paul for log-in details)

**PASTORAL NETWORK** Thank you to all our volunteers who are phoning parishioners on a regular basis on behalf of the parish to make sure that they are well and safe, and also for a chat. Your efforts are being hugely appreciated by all.

**DAY FOR LIFE** is the day in the Church's year dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Church teaches that life is to be nurtured from conception to natural death. 'Moses' invitation rings out loud and clear: "See, I have set before you this day life and good, death and evil. ... I have set before you life and death, blessing and curse; therefore choose life, that you and your descendants may live" (Dt 30:15, 19). *Evangelium Vitae*, 28 The theme for Day for Life 2020 is **Choose Life**, with a particular focus on protecting mothers and unborn children, and bringing hope and healing after abortion. For information and resources and to support Day for Life please visit [www.dayforlife.org](http://www.dayforlife.org).

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** During church opening hours the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration. For the benefit of those unable to come into church, Eucharistic Adoration will also normally take place on **Mondays and Thursdays** 12noon-1pm, and will be livestreamed (note, this is outside of church opening times). This week, however, it will take place only on Monday, as Fr Paul will be taking a funeral at Canley crematorium on Thursday at 12.15pm.

**CONFESSION** If it is needed, Fr Paul is available to hear confessions – outside and socially-distanced. Please phone 02476674161 or email [allsoulscov@gmail.com](mailto:allsoulscov@gmail.com) to arrange by appointment.

**UNIVERSALIS** Many people are familiar with Universalis, a digital way of accessing and praying the daily prayers of the Church. Especially at the moment it's a real blessing, and now it's even *more* accessible. Even if you don't have the Universalis App on your phone, you can scan Universalis's **QR codes** (like this one) with your phone and be taken to the prayers and readings of the day, in seconds. Couldn't be easier. The one here is for the daily Mass readings. On the noticeboard outside church, inside church on one of the back pillars, and on the website, there is a series of QR codes. Choose whichever one you want to access, (the day's Mass readings, Morning Prayer, Midday Prayer, Vespers and so on), point your phone camera at it, and away you go....praying!

**PEACE GARDEN** The Peace Garden is accessible for individual prayer at any time, provided that social distancing is observed. There is some covering, but you are advised to bring an umbrella!

**FUNERALS THIS WEEK** Thursday 25 June: **Anne Josephine Sweeney**. Service at Canley Charter chapel followed by burial in Canley Garden Cemetery. We pray for Anne and for her family.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Kathleen and Patrick Healy who celebrated their 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary on 17 June. They were married here at All Souls.

**TRUST SECRETARY** The Archdiocese is seeking a voluntary part time Trust Secretary to assist the Trustees in good "corporate practices". Details can be found on [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jobs](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jobs) and on the parish website.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER MORNING PRAYER** Saturday 4 July at 8am via Zoom. It is the turn of All Souls to host the July Churches Together 'Prayer Breakfast' (currently minus the breakfast!). If you would like to take part, please email Fr Paul for log-in details in the week before.

**WEEKLY GIVING TO THE PARISH** To the extent that your current circumstances allow, please consider how you will maintain your giving to the parish during the current pandemic.

+ If you don't already give monthly by standing order, please consider that option. Email [allsoulscov@gmail.com](mailto:allsoulscov@gmail.com) for the parish bank details.

+ It is also possible to set up a regular or a single donation to the parish via the diocesan website. Visit [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk), click on **Donate** (top right) and follow the instructions. When asked which church you're donating to, please select 'Coventry: Earlsdon'.

+ If you give by weekly envelope or cash, perhaps you might put your offering aside at home each week as part of your Sunday worship, and then when we are able to gather for Mass again, place it in the offertory during Mass or bring it to the presbytery. It is also possible to leave offerings in any of the money slots in church during opening times or to post it through the presbytery letter box (the dog won't eat it!)

### WHAT DOES ALL SOULS MEAN TO YOU?

Tell us in 100 words or fewer, by email ([allsoulscov@gmail.com](mailto:allsoulscov@gmail.com)) or post (the Presbytery). As we approach the celebration of the Solemnity of (part of) the Title of our church, **The Precious Blood of Our Lord**, we'd like to compile parishioners' responses on our website. As well as being a bit of a substitute for the parish BBQ or garden party that we can't have(!), it might also be a helpful exercise for us all in these difficult times of separation and deprivation to reflect: **What does my church and parish mean to me? How do I relate to it? How does it relate to me?** If you'd like to send a photo of yourself to include with your response on the website, even better. The Feast of the Precious Blood is on Wednesday 1 July, but the month of July is traditionally dedicated to the Precious Blood of Our Lord.

