



## St Patrick's Catholic Church

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### 1<sup>st</sup> August 2021 – 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>31<sup>st</sup> July</b>	5.00pm	Thomas Sugrue Jnr (R.I.P), Maureen Hayes (R.I.P)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Aug</b>	10.30am	O'Dwyer Family of Stourbridge
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Aug</b>	9.30am	Deceased Grady Family
		6.00pm – 7.00pm	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>	9.30am	Deceased Gorden Family
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>	9.30am	George Cooper (R.I.P)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>	9.30am	Mr & Mrs Connelly
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>	5.00pm	Terri Crowe (R.I.P)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Aug</b>	10.30am	John Quirke, Richard Ryan (R.I.P)
<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):</b> Saturday 4.00 – 4.30pm or by appointment			
<b>Devotional Candles:</b>			
<b>Sacred Heart:</b> Terry & Elena Reyes		<b>Our Lady:</b>	
<b>St Joseph:</b> Special Intention (BK)		<b>St Anthony:</b> Special Intention (MF), Steven Kingham	

#### THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Your prayers are asked for the sick and lonely of the parish, those in hospital and the housebound, especially:

**Rosemary Doherty Rita Keogh**  
**Annie Neville Degaud Sahoure Gui**  
**Veronica Griffin Maureen Noone**  
**Maureen Bird Theresa Smith**  
**Noreen Hegarty Aaron McCafferty**  
**Bridie Guilfoyle Hazel Hancock**

May God grant them healing, comfort and ease of pain. We pray for those suffering from COVID

#### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who have died recently, those who mourn for them and those whose anniversary occurs around this time. May they rest in peace.

**BAPTISM:** We welcome **Remi Leigh** into our parish family. Please say a prayer for her and her family.

#### CRITICAL RACE THEORY ZOOM SESSION

The CARJ (Catholic Association for Racial Justice) Urban Network will host a Zoom Session on Critical Race Theory (CRT) on **Tuesday 3rd August 2021, 11am -1pm**. The Session will include the historical background to the CRT movement, key figures in the movement and key ideas set in their historical context. There will be two main presentations, with ample time for questions and discussion. Please email [info@carj.org.uk](mailto:info@carj.org.uk) if you wish to register for the Session. All are welcome.

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

**Confirmation for next year's groups:**

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November

**First Holy Communions for children not in Catholic Schools**

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2021

## LIVE SIMPLY ACTIVITIES

As you arrive at mass on the weekends of August 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup>, members of the Live Simply Working Group will be conducting a brief survey to discover how parishioners have travelled to church. This data will be used to encourage parishioners to conserve energy where possible by walking (or cycling or car sharing) to church on the weekend of 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> September and to see how many 'car miles' we have saved by our joint efforts.

The climate relay organised by Young Christian Climate Network, which began at the G7 meeting in Cornwall in June and is making its way to Glasgow for the Climate Summit in November, arrives in Coventry on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> August. If you would like to take part in the walk from Leamington to Coventry on that day or the longer walk from Coventry to Solihull on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> August please contact Paschal at [pbp.somers24@outlook.com](mailto:pbp.somers24@outlook.com). There will be a welcome liturgy for the climate relay in the Cathedral ruins between 5.00pm and 5.30pm on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> August and everyone is welcome to take part.

## TOM'S HANDY TIPS

For our live simply program, we will be delivering weekly tips to help us in our efforts to live simply. These are called "Tom's Handy Tips" and here is our first one:

### **Text, Email or Scan to save on Paper.**

Following this tip, we have reduced the number of newsletters we print from 100 to 90. To help us save more trees, please sign up to receive your newsletter electronically if you possibly can.

## OUR JUBILEE YEAR



*+* **live simply**

### **Live Simply Prayer**

**Compassionate and loving God, you created the world for us all to share, a world of beauty and plenty.**

**Create in us a desire to live simply, so that our lives may reflect your generosity.**

**Creator God, you gave us responsibility for the earth, a world of riches and delight.**

**Create in us a desire to live sustainably, so that those who follow after us may enjoy the fruits of your creation.**

**God of peace and justice, you give us the capacity to change, to bring about a world that mirrors your wisdom.**

**Create in us a desire to act in solidarity, so that the pillars of injustice crumble and those now crushed are set free.**

**Amen.**

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