



# THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF OUR LORD & ALL SOULS



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SUNDAY 26 SEPTEMBER 2021

**26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### Collect of the Day

O God, who manifest your almighty power above all by pardoning and showing mercy, bestow, we pray, your grace abundantly upon us and make those hastening to attain your promises heirs to the treasures of heaven. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The wearing of face coverings in church is **STRONGLY RECOMMENDED** at this time. Thank you.  
Seating with more distancing is available in the two side blocks of pews (near the side chapels)

### WORSHIP THIS WEEK

Sunday cycle of readings: Year B; Weekday cycle of readings: Year I; Divine Office psalter week I

Sun 26 <sup>th</sup>	<b>26<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>9.30am FAMILY MASS</b> <b>11.15am SOLEMN MASS</b>  1pm Holy Baptism	Philip Walsh RIP For the People of the Parish Ints of Helen Brennan & Breda (Fr Tim) Willow Cowley
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St. Vincent de Paul, Priest</b>	9.00am Adoration 9.30am Mass	Toman family (thanksgiving)
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup>	Feria in Ordinary Time	9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass	Intentions of Freeman & Kirk families
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SS. MICHAEL, GABRIEL &amp; RAPHAEL, Archangels</b>	9.00am Adoration 9.30am MASS	Intentions of Fr. Michael & Carol Brandon
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>St. Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church</b>	9.00am Morning Prayer 7.00pm Adoration 7.30pm Mass	Margaret Burke RIP
Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	<b>St. Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church</b>	7.00am Adoration 7.30am Mass followed by Sacred Heart devotions	Intentions of Annie Greene
Sat 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>The Guardian Angels</b>	9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass 10-11am Confessions & Adoration	Eileen Waters RIP
Sun 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>27<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>	<b>9.30am FAMILY MASS</b> <b>11.15am SOLEMN MASS</b>  1pm Holy Baptism	James & Josephine Kelly RIP For the People of the Parish Intentions of Rene Gardner (Fr Tim) Peyton Isabella Dowling

**Vespers** Sunday: Led by Fr Paul on Zoom. An email invitation is sent to all parishioners on our emailing list

Monday – Saturday: Please contact Mark at Niziolomski-AllSouls@virginmedia.com for a daily text and Zoom link.

### THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: CELEBRATING, LIVING & SHARING GOD'S WORD

#### The Pastoral Letters: 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus

The Pastoral Letters are three letters written by the apostle Paul (or perhaps someone else writing on Paul's behalf). They are **1 Timothy**, **2 Timothy**, and **Titus**. All three are letters from an old man at the close of his ministry who is concerned for his successors in the apostolic ministry. As such, the letters concern the things that would be crucial for the young pastors to understand - church organisation and discipline, including such matters as the appointment of elders and deacons, the opposition of rebellious members or false teachers, and the maintenance of doctrinal purity.

**Sons in the faith** Because these letters are for specific individuals, they include more specific instructions than the other letters. Paul considers Timothy and Titus to be his sons in the faith (1 Timothy 1:2; Titus 1:4). He trusts them to manage their local churches well (1 Timothy 3:15; Titus 1:5) and maintain his sound teaching (1 Timothy 4:6; Titus 2:1). Here's a very brief idea of what each pastoral letter is about:

**1 Timothy.** This is Paul's guide to godliness and sound teaching for the young pastor Timothy at Ephesus.

**2 Timothy** Paul's death is drawing near, and he charges Timothy to carry on his gospel work.

**Titus** Paul had left Titus at Crete to establish order in the churches there. Now he writes Titus instructions for leading a very counter-cultural church.

More on each of the three Pastoral Letters to follow

## HYMNS AT 9.30am MASS

Entrance 762 Offertory 600 Communion 631 Recessional 849

**WELCOME TO ALL SOULS** If you are worshipping with us for the first time today, a very warm welcome. Please make yourself known to parishioners and to one of the clergy. If you are returning to Mass after a period of time away because of the pandemic, welcome back! It is lovely to see you again today.

**HOLY COMMUNION** In case you are unfamiliar with the current arrangements, please wait for a steward to direct you forward to receive Holy Communion.

**RECEPTION CLASS WELCOME MASS** We would love to see our school families at our Sunday Masses and play an active part in the life of our parish. The families of our **Reception class** are especially invited to next Sunday's Family Mass. We very much look forward to welcoming them and getting to know them better.

**STUDENTS** If you are a new student at Coventry or Warwick University, welcome to Coventry and to our parish. Welcome too to returning students whose digs this year are in our parish. We would love you to make your home with us during your time at university.

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR FATHER HUDSON'S SOCIETY** Please give as generously as you can to support the work of Father Hudson's Society, the Social Care Agency of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Gift Aid envelopes are available.

**CAFOD HARVEST FAST COLLECTION** next Sunday. Leaflets and envelopes are available in church today.

**REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS** You're invited to stay after Mass for refreshments in the parish room and to meet other parishioners.

**TOILETS & BABY CHANGE** Toilets are available in the entrance porch; disabled access toilets and baby change facilities are available at the back of church.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** Children's Liturgy at the Sunday 9.30am Family Mass begins in church. After the Collect (opening prayer) and just before the scripture readings and homily, Father Paul sends the children to celebrate their own Liturgy of the Word in the parish room. The children return to church at the offertory to celebrate the Eucharist with us.

**PRAY & PLAY AREA** We have a 'Pray & Play' area in church for **parents & toddlers/babies** to use during services if they wish. It is resourced with age-appropriate religious books and quiet toys and provides an area where our youngest parishioners and their parents we hope will feel comfortable. Older children are encouraged to participate in Children's Liturgy.

**BAPTISM TODAY** We pray today for **Willow Cowley** who will be baptised at 1pm. Also for her parents and godparents.

**HYMN BOOKS** Please leave your hymn book on the table in the exit porch as you leave the 9.30am Mass. Thank you.

**ELECTRONIC GIVING** Those who have recently returned to Mass may be unaware of the availability of the Digital Collection Plates at the back of church and near the exit, and of the Donate button on the parish website. Information on how to use them is available in the exit porch and on the parish website at <http://allsoulscoventry.org.uk/index.php/giving-at-all-souls-2/>

**PLAYGROUP** for parents and babies/toddlers takes place Mondays 10.00 - 11.30am. Recently parents and children have really appreciated coming together. We hope now to be able to integrate singing, stories and snacks as part of the sessions. Do join us!

**YEAR 6 SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION** On Thursday morning our Year 6 children will be coming to church for the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

**LEARNING ABOUT BAPTISM** Our Year 3 children will be coming into church on Monday after Mass to learn all about Baptism.

**THE FEAST OF ST. JOHN HENRY NEWMAN** This year is the first year since his canonisation in 2019 that we are properly able to celebrate the Feast of St. John Henry Newman with any gusto. Please try your very best to be present at a Sung Mass on **Saturday 9 October at 9.30am** to celebrate and honour England's newest saint, an inspirational figure for both Catholics and Anglicans alike.

**SATURDAY COFFEE & CHAT** is really take off now. Yesterday we had a lovely gathering, with drinks, cakes and bacon batches served 10-11.30am. Please drop in and bring others along with you, particularly anyone you know who would appreciate and benefit from some time in the company of others over a cuppa.



## THE ORDINARIATE OF OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM

Two years ago when I came to All Souls I came already with a congregation! The Coventry community of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham was invited to make its home at All Souls by Archbishop Bernard. The Ordinariate was established in 2011 by Pope Benedict XVI, and extended by Pope Francis in 2013, to allow Anglicans all over the world to enter into the full communion of the Catholic Church in such a way as "to maintain the liturgical, spiritual and pastoral traditions of the Anglican Communion within the Catholic Church, as a precious gift nourishing the faith of the members of the Ordinariate and as a treasure to be shared." Frustratingly, just months after our arrival our churches and much of parish life was closed down because of the pandemic. Monsignor Newton, the Ordinary of the ordinariate, was able to visit the parish just before lockdown to speak about the ordinariate and I'll be sharing more information about its particular mission on the newsheet and on the parish website in the coming weeks.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER PRAYER BREAKFAST** The next Prayer Breakfast for the local churches together is on **Saturday 3 October at 8am** at Hearsall Baptist church. A short service typical of the host church's form of worship is followed by a very enjoyable breakfast. All are very welcome and strongly encouraged to attend. There is information about Churches Together in Earlsdon and Chapelfields (CTEC) on our parish website.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS 2022** Children in year 3 of our school will make their First Holy Communion on **Sunday 19 June 2022**, the Solemnity of Corpus Christi. If your child would like to prepare for their First Holy Communion and is of year 3 age or older and does not attend All Souls' school, please contact Fr Paul.

**SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2022** Archbishop Longley will confirm year 6 children on **Sunday 12 June 2022**. Again, if your child would like to be confirmed and is year 6 age or older and not at All Souls' school, please contact Fr Paul.

**Please note these corrected dates. They were the wrong way around on last week's newsheet!**

### ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM Ethnic Chaplaincies, Eparchies and Missions ANNUAL INTERCULTURAL MASS

and Social Gathering  
**SATURDAY 16 OCTOBER 12.30pm**  
St Osburg's Church, Upper Hill Street  
Coventry CV1 4AQ

Celebrant: Bishop David Evans  
and Concelebrants

Marking **One World Week** and  
**World Mission Sunday**

All are Welcome

**Please bring food from your country of origin to share**

**BECOMING A CATHOLIC** If you are interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith, please have a word with Father Paul.

**STEWARDS' FISH & CHIP SUPPER** Stewards, as a way of thanking you for the amazing job you've done over the past year, we'd like to treat you to a Fish & Chip Supper in the parish room on Saturday 16 October at 7pm. Please let Celia know if you can attend.

**JUSTICE & PEACE ONLINE ASSEMBLY 2021** The Archdiocese of Birmingham Justice & Peace assembly takes place on Zoom over 4 days: Session 1, Mon 27 Sept; Session 2, Wed 29 Sept; Session 3, Fri 1 Oct; Session 4, Sun 3 Oct. All sessions begin at 7.30pm. The Assembly is entitled *Let us Dream: "The Path to a Better Future"*. Book online at <https://bit.ly/jandP2021>

### THE SACRED HEART CHAPEL LAMP

burns this week for

**Our school community**

**THE LADY CHAPEL LAMP**

burns this week for

**Colin Latimer RIP (9<sup>th</sup> anniversary)**

To request a lamp please fill out a white envelope at the back of church AND enter your request on the list in church.

# Newman Association



## Coventry Circle

Programme September 2021 to May 2022

*Theme: Abrahamic Religions and their Sacred Texts*

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28 Sept	Rev. Professor Joseph O'Hanlon	Introduction and Overview
26 Oct	Student Rabbi Gabriel Kanter-Webber	A Jewish Perspective on Scripture
23 Nov	Dr Jessie Rogers	The Christian Reception of the Book of Job
22 Feb	Fr Damian Howard, SJ	Islam and its Sacred Texts
22 March	Fr Pat Kilgarriff	Five Sonnets of Gerard Manley Hopkins
26 April	Fr Nicholas King, SJ	Biblical Translation from a Catholic Perspective
24 May	Janet Wiltshire	The Psalms

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All lectures are delivered on zoom at 7.30pm. For more information contact Colin Roberts, Coventry Circle Secretary:

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# CATHOLIC BISHOPS' CONFERENCE OF ENGLAND AND WALES

## Statement from the Catholic Bishops of England

### *Sunday – it is our Day<sup>1</sup>*

On 19 July, the current legislative powers which assist the mitigations against the Covid-19 virus transmission will be rescinded by HM Government. Nevertheless, there will be an encouragement to personal and corporate responsibility in this area; as the Prime Minister said in his most recent statement “The pandemic is not over.” Even without this legislation in place, the Church in England and Wales will be adopting a cautious approach to capacity and activity within our buildings, especially at corporate acts of worship.

#### **Sunday Obligation**

We are mindful of the certain fact that the Covid-19 virus is still circulating in society. Vaccines provide genuine protection against the worst effects of the virus, yet we recognise the legitimate fear on the part of some who otherwise desire to gather for Holy Mass. It is our continuing judgement, therefore, that it is not possible at the present time for all of the faithful to attend Mass on a Sunday thus fulfilling their duty to God. It is hoped that it will be possible for all Catholics in England and Wales to fulfil this most important Church precept, that of the Sunday Obligation, by the First Sunday in Advent 2021. In the meantime, all Catholics are asked to do their best to participate in the celebration of the weekly Sunday Mass and to reflect deeply on the centrality of Sunday worship in the life of the Church.

In April, following our Plenary Assembly, we offered a reflection on the experience of the extraordinary long months of the pandemic. It was titled *The Day of the Lord*. We also began to look at the way forward. We spoke about the important invitation to restore the Sunday Mass to its rightful centrality in our lives. We asked for a rekindling in our hearts of a yearning for the Real Presence of the Lord in the Eucharist, as our response to the total, sacrificial love that Jesus has for us. We said: “The Eucharist should be the cause of our deepest joy, our highest manner of offering thanks to God and for seeking his mercy and love. We need to make it the foundation stone of our lives.” May this continue to be our striving during these coming months as we journey back to the full celebration of our Sunday Mass and our renewed observance of *The Day of the Lord*.



## Prayers for Spiritual Communion



### Prayer for Spiritual Communion

My Jesus,  
I believe that You  
are present in the  
Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive  
You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this  
moment receive You  
sacramentally, come at least  
spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were  
already there and unite  
myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be  
separated from You.

Amen.

### Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me  
Body of Christ, save me  
Blood of Christ, inebriate me  
Water from the side of Christ, wash me  
Passion of Christ, strengthen me  
O good Jesus, hear me  
Within thy wounds hide me  
Permit me not to be separated from thee  
From the wicked foe defend me  
At the hour of my death call me  
And bid me come to thee  
That with thy saints I may praise thee  
For ever and ever. Amen.

Lord Jesus Christ, you said to your disciples, 'I am with you always'. Be with me today as I offer myself to you. Hear my prayers for others and for myself, and keep us all in your care. Amen.

O God, help me to trust you, help me to know that you are with me, help me to believe that nothing can separate me from your love revealed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### Prayer of General Thanksgiving

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we your unworthy servants give you most humble and hearty thanks for all your goodness and loving kindness. We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And give us, we pray, such a sense of all your mercies that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we show forth your praise, not only with our lips but in our lives, by giving up ourselves to your service, and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honour and glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

### Conclude with the following:

The Lord bless us, and preserve us from all evil, and keep us in eternal life. Amen.