



THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF OUR LORD & ALL SOULS



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✠ THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME ✠

Sunday 10th November 2024

Remembrance Sunday

Sunday cycle of readings: Year B

Weekday cycle of readings: II

Divine Office psalter week IV

For daily link for vespers on Zoom contact mark-niziolomski@virginmedia.com For Evening Prayer in church www.singtheoffice.org

Sun 10 th	32nd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (24 th Sunday after Trinity) Remembrance Sunday	9.30am MASS with Children's Liturgy & Liturgy of Commitment for First Holy Communion 11.15am SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS 5.30pm Evening Prayer	The People of the Parish Those killed in war
Mon 11 th	St. Martin of Tours, Bishop	9.00am Adoration 9.30am Mass 5.30pm Evening Prayer 7.30pm Parish Memorial Service	Sarah Ann & Joseph Morris RIP
Tues 12 th	Feria	9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass (with school Years 1&5) 5.30pm Evening Prayer	Sue and Pat
Wed 13 th	Feria	9.00am Adoration 9.30am Mass	Anne Felix RIP
Thurs 14 th	Feria	5.30pm Evening Prayer 6.30pm Adoration & Confessions 7.30pm Mass (Divine Worship)	Barbara Redpath RIP
Fri 15 th	Feria	7.00am Adoration 7.30am Mass	Fr Gerard Mary Toman
Sat 16 th	Feria	9.00am Morning Prayer 9.30am Mass 10.00-11.00am Adoration & Confessions	Richard Donnelly RIP
Sun 17 th	33rd SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME (25 th Sunday after Trinity)	9.30am MASS with Children's Liturgy 11.15am SOLEMN MASS with Holy Baptism (Divine Worship) 5.30pm Evening Prayer	Members of Baker & Deneny families RIP The People of the Parish

THE WORD OF THE LORD

The theme of today's readings: Self-giving

First reading *1Kings 17:10-16* The first reading and the Gospel address the subject of giving. The focus of both teachings is that it is not what you give but *why* you give. All giving should be motivated from the heart in genuine self-giving without any concern for a reward. In both readings, a poor Gentile widow and a poor Jewish widow made offerings worth very little materially. However, these women were precious to God because they offered gifts from their meagre resources that represented a generous heart.

Psalms 146 We hear the contrast between the fate of the righteous and the wicked. This psalm echoes Jesus's Sermon on the Plain when he blessed the poor and promised judgment against the rich when they failed to use their blessings of material wealth to help the poor, and instead ignored the plight of the humble and dispossessed (Luke 6:20-26). It also remind us of Jesus's vivid description of the Last Judgment in Matthew 25:31-46. Those who purposely choose throughout their lives to ignore the command to be self-giving to those in need will face God's divine judgment and find themselves deprived of entrance into the Promised Land of Heaven.

Second reading *Hebrews 9:24-28* At the Temple in Jerusalem the Jewish high priest accepted the people's sacrificial gifts and continually offered the blood of sacrificial victims to atone for their sins and to provide for the people's sanctification to restore their relationship with the Lord. The writer compares this to Jesus's service as the anointed Son of God. The Jewish high priests served in the earthly Temple, but Jesus serves as the New Covenant High Priest, presiding in the heavenly Temple. As the eternal High Priest, Jesus prays continually for the faithful in every generation and presents the ongoing single sacrifice of himself that he gave for the expiation of sins for all humanity on the altar of the Cross.

Gospel *Mark 12:38-44* As Christians we must offer acts of charity in genuine self-giving, like the widows in the first reading and Gospel. From our resources, no matter how meagre, we give to the poor, and we continue Jesus's earthly ministry by supporting the Church. We also make every Eucharist an act of self-giving through the offering of ourselves united to the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. The sacred meal of the Eucharist is God's gift to us that he promises, like the widow's jar of flour and jug of oil in the first reading, will never "run out" until the Lord Jesus returns. And in our self-giving, we should joyfully sing with our mouths and our hearts the words from today's psalm: "My soul, give praise to the Lord!"

SAFEGUARDING

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is John Corroon. He can be contacted at sg.allsouls.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 and safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Please take this sheet away with you for Mass times this week, upcoming events and general information.

A WARM WELCOME to Mass today, especially to anybody joining us for the first time. Please introduce yourself to the clergy and if you're able, stay for refreshments in the parish room.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025

Today we surround with our prayers those children of our parish who wish to receive First Holy Communion in 2025. They will make a short act of commitment during Mass today. Their commitment, with their parents, is to regular Sunday Mass attendance between now and their first Holy Communion in 2025, and of course beyond. They are also committing to the preparation which will begin in January. **It is not too late to apply for the programme of preparation. Application forms are available from the sacristy after Mass.**

PARENTS AND CHILDREN

It's a great joy to see so many young families in church. For the benefit of parents and parishioners, if young children become restless during Sunday Mass, parents are encouraged to make use of the livestreaming of the Mass on the smart screen in the parish room. Thank you. There are also some child-friendly books in the parish room – about the Mass, prayer, the saints, the Bible - for young children and parents to enjoy.

JOHNSON ASSOCIATION SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a second collection today for the Johnson Association which provides financial assistance for sick and retired priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY Today there will be a short Act of Remembrance at both Masses. The Solemn Mass at 11.15am will be offered as a Requiem Mass for all those who have died in war.

PARISH MEMORIES AFTERNOON This coming Saturday, 16th November, 12noon - 4pm, we're hosting an All Souls Centenary Memories Afternoon in the parish room. It's an invitation to enjoy a cream tea, a good natter and a trip down memory lane; to share memories and stories and perhaps catch up with old friends. We'll display some of the parish history we have, and if you have any photographs you could share, we'd love to see them, and with your permission, take a copy of them for our archives. Perhaps you have old service booklets or newspaper cuttings relating to All Souls. Please bring those along too.

CONFIRMATION 2025 Please collect application forms for the Sacrament of Confirmation **from the sacristy after Mass and return the completed form to the sacristy.**

RECENTLY DEPARTED Please pray for the repose of the souls of **John Shiner, Bridget Conroy, Jim Corrigan and John Glass**

JESUS CALLING: A REGIONAL ORDINARIATE DAY On Saturday 30th November, the Feast of St Andrew the Apostle, Bishop David Waller, the Bishop of the Ordinariate, will be in the parish for a regional Ordinariate day. Bishop David will celebrate a Solemn Mass with Holy Baptism at 12noon, then after lunch and some social time there will be a candlelit service of Advent Lessons and Carols at 4pm. All are very welcome.

PRAYERFUL READING OF SCRIPTURE after the Tuesday 9.30am Mass in the parish room. All very welcome.

SCHOOL PTA WINTER WARMER Saturday 30th November, 12-4pm in school. More information in the porch.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM 2025 A provisional booking for a parish pilgrimage to the National Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham has been made for 2025. The dates are Monday 27th October – Thursday 30th October, which is half term of the autumn term. **Please speak to Fr Paul or contact the parish office if you would like to book a place.**



PARISH MEMORIAL SERVICE

Our annual Parish Memorial Service for families of those whose funerals took place at All Souls in the last several years is at **7.30pm Monday 11th November**. If you have loved ones whose names you'd like to be read aloud during the prayers, please contact the parish office. All are very welcome.

SAFEGUARDING TRAINING Fr Paul will be attending a diocesan clergy safeguarding training day on Wednesday this week.

NOVEMBER PRAYERS FOR THE DEPARTED There is a basket by the Sacred Heart chapel for the names of any of the departed you wish to commend to the intercession of the parish during the month of November.

ADVENT WALK WITH ME BOOKLETS containing prayer and reflection for each day of Advent and Christmastide are available for sale at the back of church priced £1. Children's calendars are free of charge.

CENTENARY PARISH MISSION Our parish centenary celebrations will conclude with a week-long parish mission by the Redemptorists **Sunday 29th June – Friday 4th July 2025**. Please keep the dates free!

READING OF ST. LUKE'S GOSPEL FROM BEGINNING TO END On Sunday

8th December, 1-9pm, there will be a prayerful reading of St. Luke's gospel in its entirety in church. This is to help us prepare for the 'Year of St. Luke' ie the year in the 3-year Sunday cycle when our Sunday gospel readings are taken predominantly from St. Luke. After each chapter is read aloud, there will be a short period of silent prayer (3 chapters per hour). Please do come along. There is a sign-up sheet for readers, particularly our regular readers, on the table at the back of church.



CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH If you could be part of a team of parishioners who might prepare and serve a Christmas Dinner in the parish room on Christmas Day for those who would otherwise be on their own on Christmas Day, please speak to Fr Paul. Please also let Fr Paul know if you would like to be a guest.

CHRISTMAS CARDS (religious only, of course!) are now available for sale in the resource centre, very reasonably priced. **Advent calendars and 2025 calendars are also on sale.**

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE



A candlelit service of Readings and Carols for Advent 4pm Saturday 30th November the Eve of the First Sunday of Advent

FROM THE PARISH NOTICE BOOK
A window on to parish life in times past

Entry for 14th June 1970

Baptism 3-45; Ev[ening] Mass at 5:00. Mass as usual during week. [Mass on] Sat[urday] 9:00; Nuptial Mass at 11:00; Mass at 5:00. Rosary & Ben[ediction] on Thursday is [at] 8:00; No Holy Hour this week. The New Rite of Baptism will be in use here in about a month - Baptism will then be by appointment - at least one week's notice will be necessary ...

HYMNS AT 9.30am MASS

Entrance 807 Offertory 600 Communion 631 Rec 966
Ps. My soul, give praise to the Lord.

THE SACRED HEART LAMP

burns this week for
Richard Parker RIP

THE LADY CHAPEL LAMP

burns this week for
Barbara Redpath RIP

To request a lamp please fill out an envelope at the back of church