



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,  
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**PARISH PRIEST** Fr Philip Griffin **PARISH DEACON** Rev Mr Tom Tranter

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**SAFEGUARDING OFFICER** Mrs Kathryn Sargent and Mr Paul Shannon

**First Sunday of Advent – 27th/28th November 2021 Year C**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Sat 27th November	5-00PM	Trinham & Moore families deceased	First Sunday of Advent
Sun 28th	8-30AM  <b>11-00AM</b>	People of the Parish  Frances, Arthur, Dennis & Kevin Barker	
Mon 29th	9-00AM	Reden Eulogio	
Tues 30th	12-30pm	Tom and Maggie Smyth	St Andrew
Wed 1th December	9-00AM	Agnes O'Dwyer	St Edmund Campion
Thurs 2nd	NO MASS		
Fri 3rd	9-00AM 7-00PM	Holy Souls Leda Whelan (Anniversary)	St Francis Xavier
Sat 4th	10-00AM  5-00PM	Thomas Dunphy (Birthday)  John O'Dwyer	Second Sunday of Advent
Sun 5th	8-30AM  <b>11-00AM</b>	People of the Parish  John Williams	

**PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 82 OF THE MASS BOOK**

**RECENTLY DEPARTED –**

Christian Lawson – Reception into Church Thursday 2nd December, at 4pm. Funeral Mass Friday 3rd December at 11am.

**WALK WITH ME PRAYER BOOKS (£1) and Advent calendars (prices vary) available today.**

**CHRISTMAS PIETY STALL** – Advent Calendars, Christmas Cards, 2022 Calendars & diaries and gifts available from the piety shop today. The piety shop has moved to the back of Church. It will be open after Mass on Saturday evening and Sunday mornings. At other times please ask Fr Philip after Mass. If there are items you would like ordered please see Fr Philip.

**CONFESSIONS** – Fr Philip is available for confessions after any Mass. Please speak to one of the stewards.

**DIVINE MERCY** – After 12-30pm Mass on Thursday **ADORATION** - After Saturday 10am Mass until 11am

**ADULT INSTRUCTION** this Tuesday 23rd November 7pm, in the parish centre – The Church's Liturgical Year

**GROWING IN FAITH "CATHOLICISM"** – DVD in the Parish Centre on Wednesday at 10am – Prayer.

**ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM MAGAZINE** – The Sower Advent addition is available in the porch. It is also available online at <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/diocesan-magazine>

**RESTARTING PARISH LIFE – MASKS** – Please continue to wear a mask at all times when you are in Church.

**SANITISE** – Can we ask everyone who enters Church to please sanitise your hands this is not for yourselves but to protect others.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** – We are looking for a team of volunteers to restart Children's Liturgy at 11am Sunday Mass. Please speak to Fr Philip or call the parish office.

**TODDLER GROUP** has restarted. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 for more details and to book a place.

**SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB** – Thank you to Pam and her team for the Afternoon tea last Wednesday. The next afternoon tea will be held on Wednesday 8th December at 2pm. To book a place please contact Pam Perry on 07848 406986 by Monday 6th December.

**GOING INTO HOSPITAL** – It is important that you notify the parish if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital; For admissions to Russell's Hall, please notify Deacon Tom - 07415 211098 For admissions to other hospitals, please notify Fr Philip - 01384 395308

**GIFT AID AND NON-GIFT AID DONATIONS** – Thank you to those who have agreed to change to standing order donations. For more information on how to do this please contact Sarah in the Parish office by emailing [olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk) or call 01384 395308 (Tuesday and Friday). Paying by standing order reduces the bank charges for the parish.

**FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK.** MILK (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS, FRUIT JUICE (LONG LIFE) 1L CARTONS, TINNED RICE PUDDING, TINNED FRUIT, TINNED MEAT (e.g., CORNED BEEF, HAM, HOT DOGS), INSTANT HOT CHOCOLATE (TO BE MADE WITH HOT WATER), PACKET MASHED POTATO/TINNED POTATO, TINNED/PACKET CUSTARD, SHAMPOO TOILET ROLLS, WASHING UP LIQUID, DEODORANT **Cut of date for Christmas Food (such as mince pies and selection boxes) – Friday 3rd December, 2021. This date may seem early but we need plenty of time to sort and distribute all donations.** We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm donations can be received at the back door of the building. Thank you for your continued support.

**PARISH DONATIONS** – Any donations to the Parish will be allocated to fundraising for the refurbishment of our parish centre toilets. Thank you for your support.

**ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL** - Places are available for pupils in following years - one in Year 2, one in Year 3 & one in Year 4. They are looking to appoint Foundation Governors. If you are over 18 a practising Catholic and looking for a way to live out your faith and serve your local community at the same time? If so, becoming a Foundation Governor could be just the thing for you. Please contact Debbie either by email on [info@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk](mailto:info@st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk) or by telephone 01384 431980.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 400 CLUB WINNERS – OCTOBER II AND NOVEMBER DRAWS**

£75 Dominic Toni, Anne Marie Philpotts, Eileen Fitzgerald, Anne Robinson

B DeGregrio, Mr & Mrs O'Brien, Stephanie Higgs, Charlotte Colesby.

£25 John Boyle, Anna Mela, Pam Jones, Mrs J Trinham.

Dee Bradley, Pam Plumbley, Mr P Harrington, M Lodge.

£10 Ann Shakespeare, Terry Brennan, John Corriston, Margaret Glynn, Mary Roach, Brenda Cook, Anna Willets, Paul Edmond, Mrs P Croydon, Anne Sargent, Patricia Sayer, Elizabeth Fryer, Ethnie Hey, M Roach, P Bradley Anne Shore. Peter J Timmons, Colin Elcock. Damien Friel, Bill Mordy, J E Shearer, Helen Pearson, J Spencer, Joan Lewis, K England, M Pennington, M Gunn, Kathryn Sargent, C Stamper, Kath Powell, A Jones, A Rogers.

Robert Morley has been growing his yearly moustache for Movember men's health, if you would like to donate to this worthwhile cause please visit <https://movember.com/m/robmorley2972?mc=31> Or anyone can give him a donation and he will pay it in.

**KENELM YOUTH TRUST** are recruiting - exciting opportunities to work within the Archdiocese of Birmingham at the Kenelm Youth Trust based in Alton, Staffordshire. Excellent benefits including good pension, spectacular environment and friendly teams. For more details visit the recruitment page on our website: work4KYT - KENELM YOUTH TRUST Or contact Debbie Woodward for an application pack via email [Debbie.Woodward@kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk](mailto:Debbie.Woodward@kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk)