



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,
13 NEW ROAD STOURBRIDGE DY8 1PQ**

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PARISH PRIEST Fr Philip Griffin **PRIEST IN RESIDENCE** Fr Stephen Pimlott

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HEALTH AND SAFETY Mr Steve McNally

SAFEGUARDING - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Mr. Paul Shannon and Mrs. Kathryn Sargent. They can be contacted at sg.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

PARISH YOUTH WORKER – Mr Liam Thomas yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL Principal Mr Anthony Wilkes 01384 431980

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Both schools are part of Emmaus Catholic MAC www.emmausmac.com

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 10th/11th AUGUST 2024 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 10th August	5-00PM	Barry Nicholls (anniversary) & Intentions of Nicholls family	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 11th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Maureen Smyth (100th birthday) People of the Parish	
Monday 12th		NO MASS	
Tuesday 13th	12-30PM	Special Intention – William Anderson	
Wednesday 14th	9-00AM	Mary Lee	St Maximilian Kolbe
Thursday 15th	12-30PM 7-00PM	People of the Parish Intentions of Edward Mills	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day)
Friday 16th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Alan Jones Holy Souls	
Saturday 17th	10-00AM 5-00PM	Gordon Mills Jim Harrington (recently deceased)	Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 18th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Catherine Smith (anniversary) People of the Parish	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 117 OF THE MASS BOOK

During the month of August second collections will be held for the New Parish Mass books.

The family of Mary Orchard have asked us to pass on their thanks
for the £517.82 collected at her funeral for Dementia care

CONFESSIONS – Saturday 10-30am – 11am. Also, confession is available after any Mass.

ADORATION – After Saturday 10am Mass & Wednesday 8-30am

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday at 10am in the Parish Centre

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday. **HOLY HOUR** – No Holy Hour this week.

CHURCH OPENING – Church is open all day from 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays. Please join our team of volunteers, a sign-up sheet for just an hour can be found in the porch.

ROSARY – Friday 6.35pm **CHILDREN'S LITURGY** – Restarts on Saturday 7th September

MARRIAGES - Please pray for Mark Beard and Connie Woodall who are due to marry here at Our Lady & All Saints, this weekend.

PARISH WALK OVER CLENT – Sunday 18th August, 1pm, please meet on the Nimmings Wood car park, Hagley Wood Lane, near Romsley, Worcestershire B62 ONL Please be aware parking costs £4.40 (free for National Trust members) at this site. Other parking sites may be available.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME – If you have a child who does not attend St Joseph’s, is in the current year 5 or above and who wishes to join the Confirmation programme, please visit the Parish Youth Matters page on our website olas.org.uk for further details and an application form. This is open to those children who have already celebrated the sacrament of First Confession and First Holy Communion. Sessions will start September 2024.

ADULT INSTRUCTION – classes will commence in October, if you are interested in joining the group please contact the Parish office with your name and contact details.

POPE’S PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST – For political leaders - We pray that political leaders be at the service of their own people, working for integral human development and for the common good, especially caring for the poor and those who have lost their jobs. Parish Intention – We pray for the families of the parish, especially those who are caring for young children over the summer.

AUGUST SCRIPTURE COMMENTARIES are available on the newsletter page of our website, olas.org.uk and in the porch.

PARISH CENSUS FORM – If you are new to the parish, please complete one of our parish census forms which can be found in the church porch. We have welcomers at all of our Masses to offer help if needed. Please also introduce yourself to Fr Philip or Fr Stephen after Mass.

ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN OUR PARISH CENTRE

TODDLERS - Tuesday mornings term time only. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204

ALL SAINTS Youth Group will restart on Tuesday 24th September 6-30pm – 8-30pm.

LUNCHEON CLUB – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 18th September in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 16th September.

THE PARISH IGNATIAN PRAYER - Meet every 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening at 7pm on Zoom. Please contact either Sue on 07450 656757 – suemcdern@aol.com - or Alice on 07845 706362 – alice.grennan@gmail.com.

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE MASS at Harvington Hall – Sunday 1st September 2024. Principal Celebrant: The Right Reverend Paul Gunter OSB. Mass 3pm, Confessions 1-45pm – 2-30pm. Please bring your own chairs and packed lunch.

MARCH FOR LIFE: SATURDAY 7th SEPTEMBER 24. - The coach will be picking up from Stourbridge this year at 7am so I am hoping that more of you will feel more able to join us. Seats £25.00 pp contact Alice in 07845 706362. Check out the website for pics and videos of previous years – Marchforlife.co.uk

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

FOODBANK DONATIONS We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm. Please drop your donations to the back door of the parish centre. Thank you for your continued support.

Happy Hours Club is a social club for local people based in Stourbridge for adults with learning difficulties from age 18yrs - 70 plus. The actual location is St Thomas’s Church Hall, Market Street. The club meets every Tuesday evening between 7.00pm - 9.00pm. We are always looking for volunteers to help with joining in with activities such as games, art/craft, themed evenings, our disco etc. Help is also needed to set up and clear away the club, so anyone who can help set out tables and chairs, equipment etc would be most welcome. Terry will explain everything in full detail when contacted. Contact number is: - 07473873677 or Email: happyhoursstourbridge@outlook.com. (Please contact Terry and not to just turn up at Club) Our facebook page is @HappyHours2008 if they want to get an idea of what we do.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT NORTON CATHOLIC CEMETERY – **The scattering of Ashes is strictly prohibited, if you wish to have Ashes interred, please contact the parish office.** Over the next few weeks and months, any holes around headstones will be filled in using soil from around the cemetery.