



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

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Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity Number 234216

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

PARISH DEACON Rev Mr Tom Tranter **PARISH SECRETARY** Mrs Sarah Price

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

HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL Principal Mr James Hodgson 01562 881820

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

Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – 5th/6th October 2024 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 5th October	5-00PM	Jackie Bradley	Twenty- Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 6th	8-30AM 11-00AM	In thanksgiving – birth of baby Elliott People of the Parish	
Monday 7th	9-00AM	Paul Moulton	Our Lady of the Rosary
Tuesday 8th	9-10AM 9-00AM	Mass at Hagley School Philip New	
Wednesday 9th	9-00AM	Intentions of Monica Thomas (sick)	St John Henry Newman
Thursday 10th	9-00AM	Stephen family & Stephen Palakan	
Friday 11th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Holy Souls Intentions of Vanessa Hawley & girls	Pope St John XXIII
Saturday 12th	10-00AM 5-00PM	Alfred Garratt (anniversary) Intentions of John Lewis (90th Birthday)	Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 13th	8-30AM 11-00AM	People of the Parish Simon Tudor (anniversary)	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 140 OF THE MASS BOOK

The second collection this weekend will be for CAFOD – Gift Aid envelopes are available in the porch.

The collection for Father Hudson's Caritas raised £820.53

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 – Thursday 3pm – Prayers before the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.

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** – 5pm Saturday.

RECENTLY DEPARTED

May Mann - Funeral Service, Tuesday 29th October, 11am followed by burial at Stourbridge Cemetery.

KEY HOLDER DECLARATION – We have been advised by the Archdiocese of Birmingham that all key holders need to complete a declaration form. This is to ensure that we adhere to the policy of the parish to safeguard children, young people and adults at risk. The forms will be issued next weekend. If you have omitted to inform us that you hold any keys to Church properties now is the time to let us know. Please either speak to Fr Philip, Sarah Price or email olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

There is a 24/7 Live Internet Camera Operating in this Church.

HEALING MASS (with anointing) Thursday 28th November, 2pm, followed by afternoon tea in the parish centre.
ADULT INSTRUCTION classes Thursday's, 7pm-8pm in the Parish centre.

DATE FOR THE DIARY – Tuesday 29th October 7pm, Synodal Pathway Meeting, in the parish centre.

Saturday 7th December Parish Christmas Fayre 11am – 2pm, more details to follow.

MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY – the angelus will be said at the end of each Mass through the month of October, with the intention of vocations to the priesthood. Prayer cards are available in the porch. The Holy Father asks that Monday 7th October, the memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary, should be a day of fasting and prayer for world peace.

PARISH MAGAZINE 2024 – If you or your group would like an article included in the parish magazine due to be printed in early 2025, please email these to olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk by the beginning of Advent.

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.

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

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER – Parish Intention – We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priest, religious and lay people.

Parish Intention – We pray for the Deanery visitation starting in October.

APPEAL – Please can you save your individual foil pie cases (mince/apple pie size) and put them in the box on the piety stall. These will be used for school event nearer Christmas.

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. So, we have an up-to-date census record of the parish, we really need all current parishioners to complete a form please, if you haven't done so already. Thank you.

ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN OUR PARISH CENTRE

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

ALL SAINTS Youth Group Tuesday 8th October 6-30pm – 8-30pm.

LUNCHEON CLUB – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 16th October in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 14th October.

OLAS FIM CLUB - Our next presentation will be on Wednesday 23rd October, 1.30 pm in our Parish Centre.

Dame Maggie Smith one of our finest actors and in recognition of a memorable career, we will be showing one of her finest performances, "The Lady in the Van".

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

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

SCHOOL OPEN DAYS - St Joseph's – Tuesday, 15th October 9-15am – 10-30am

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 you continued support.

BEREAVEMENT HUB – Last Wednesday of each month 1-30pm -3pm, The Stourbridge Institute Social Club, 12 Market Street, Stourbridge, DY8 1AD. More details can be found on the parish website olas.org.uk "Links page"

RETREAT DAY – Saturday 19th October, 10am – 4pm at St Ambrose's Church, 226 Birmingham Road, DY10 2BY. Led by Fr Royston Price CSSR. Everyone is welcome to attend for all or part of the day as you wish. And if you would like a

cooked lunch (for £5) please email Stambroseintercessors@gmail.com or telephone 07918 660183. You are also welcome to bring a packed lunch.