THIS WEEK, THE CANDLES ARE BURNING FOR THE INTENTIONS OF

SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA FOR (See next page)

SHRINE OF THE SACRED HEART FOR (See next page)



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Saturday 10.30–11am & 5.15–5.45pm & *by appointment* **EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** - Friday 6.00 - 6.30pm & Saturday 10.30 - 11am. **DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET** - Sunday at 3.00 p.m.

PRAYER GROUP – Wednesday at 10.00 a.m.

Everyone welcome!

FINANCIAL MATTERS – Not Available until 19/20 August

Lucky Number Draw

Standing Order £

Last Week Winner

Non-Gift Aid $\underline{\mathbf{f}}$ Total \mathbf{f}

Gift Aid

Second Collection

Thanks for your generous offerings!

THE COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR THE PARISH MAINTENANCE!

PARISH GIVING

The best way you can support the parish financially is by setting up a **Standing Order** using the following bank details:

NatWest Bank - Account No: 02272016 - Sort Code: 60 - 07 - 41 or you may contact the Parish Office for a set of *Gift Aid* envelopes.

Useful Information

- ♦ Sick List If you would like to add yourself, a relative or friend to the sick list <u>you must</u> complete a consent form, you can find them in the porch, and return it to the office.
- **\Delta Baptisms:** Please complete the request forms and send to the office. You will be contacted to book a date.
- ♦ Parish Hall: See website there is an enquiry form that you can fill out and send to the parish office website, or telephone 0121 422 4865 to make an enquiry.
- ♦ **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a member of your family are admitted to one of the local hospitals do please let the hospital catholic chaplain know as the Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.

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13TH AUGUST 2023 - NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

Saturday [Vigil]	12	6:00 p.m.	Packy O'Donnell RIP
Sunday	13	9:00 a.m.	Mick McGuinness RIP
		11:00 a.m.	Private Intention (M.P)

15TH AUGUST 2023 – THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY *HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION*

Tuesday	15	12:00 noon	People of the Parish

20TH AUGUST 2023 – TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

Saturday [Vigil]	19	6:00 p.m.	Holy Souls
Sunday	20	9:00 a.m.	People of the Parish
		11:00 a.m.	Private Intention (M.P)

The candles will be burning for the following intentions on these dates:

Date	Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima	Shrine of the Sacred Heart
7 - 13 August 2023	Ellen & Joe Joyce	Ellen & Joe Joyce
14 – 20 August 2023	For A Family to be Protected	Fr Long Nguyen

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Kirby, Janet Jones, Diana Peeney, John Jennings, Delia Stewart, Mary Basterfield, John McCallion, Mary Davitt, Donna Walsh, Bridie Kinsella, Mali Piggott (child), Issac Justin (Child), Robert Kirby, Linda Stephenson, Dell Sheppard, Shellie Kerr, Dean Evans, Angela Kinsella, Anne Madden, Kun Cheong Leung.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those that have died at this time. We pray also for those in whose anniversaries occur at this time. We pray especially for:

Josephine Heffernan who died on Friday 21st July 2023, aged 100. Her funeral Mass will take place at Our Lady of Fatima on Monday 21st August 2023 at 12.30am.

Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

May they rest in peace. Amen.

WELCOME TO MASS A SPECIAL WELCOME TO ANYONE VISITING THE PARISH TODAY.

SUMMER NOTICE

Whilst Father Long is away there will be No Mass on weekdays. All Saturday evening and Sunday Masses will be covered by Father Michael Glover or Father Craig Szmidt. Please give Fathers a warm welcome!

For anointing of the sick (in case of an emergency) please contact local parishes. If you have any future Mass and Candle intentions, please put in the parish office letter box.

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

Tuesday 15th August is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Mass will be at 12.00noon. This is a Holy Day of Obligation.

SILENCE IN CHURCH

Please may I remind everyone to be mindful of other people who are praying in Church before and after Mass. Make sure that your mobiles and any devices are switched off and also not to speak during Mass itself.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Now that Communion under both kinds is possible again, we will need two at every weekend Mass from the 2nd weekend of September.

NEW TO THE PARISH?

In recent months we have welcomed many new parishioners.

If you are new here, we would be grateful if you could complete a parish census form and return it to Fr Long as soon as possible. This enables us to keep in contact with as many parishioners as possible.

NEW LECTIONARY FOR MASS

It was announced this week that from the beginning of Advent 2024 a new translation of the Sacred Scriptures will be used for the celebration of Mass. For many years the Jerusalem Bible translation has been used, but from Advent 2024, the Church in this country will use the English Standard Catholic Version. There will be more information about this and preparations for this important development over the next year.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION 2023-2024

The Enrolment/ Information session for Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be held on Friday, 6th October at 7pm at the parish Hall. All parents whose children are in Years 3 & 6 attending non-Catholic schools, who wish to make their sacraments need to attend this meeting and commit to all the sessions required. Please bring along copies of baptism certificates if you attend a non-Catholic school. For more information, please email the parish office olf-quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Irene Byrne & Georgina Wakeman. They can be contacted at: sg.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

PARISH GIVING

- **1. NEW! Online.** Go to our website http://www.catholicquinton.org.uk/ and select the 'Parish Giving' button https://donate.mydona.com/our-lady-of-fatima-quinton
- 2. From your bank. Set up a Standing Order or make a Faster Payment from your bank to: NatWest Bank Account No: 02272016 Sort Code: 60 07 41
- **3. Debit Cards.** Use the contactless card terminal now situated in the church porch and tap your card.

GIFT AID IT! For those who are tax payers, *Gift Aid* can easily be applied to any of the 4 methods listed above. This means that for every £1 you donate, the parish (as a registered charity) receives an additional 25p in reclaimed tax from the Government at no cost to you!

Remember you can always continue to put cash into the collections, we are so grateful for your support!

BOOKING OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH HALL

Please remember to consider using our Parish Hall for your family events, other family celebrations, gatherings and do recommend us to other people. We now have our own skittle alley for you to hire for your party. Please contact parish office 0121 422 4865 or via email: olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk to discuss booking arrangements.

QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 8th September 7.00pm Adults £3 & Children £1.50. Bar, snacks, raffle, and bingo all available.

OUR LADY OF FATIMA
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
OPENING MORNING
Wednesday 11th October 2023

9.30am - 11.00am

AND FINALLY...

Happy Holidays - Do have a restful break if you are going away. Please take the opportunity to find your local Catholic Church or place for Mass whilst you are on holiday. It's often good to experience the celebration of Mass in a different place during holidays and to give some quiet time to the Lord.

Please remember to bring a bottle home from your holiday for the Christmas Fayre. Have a good Sunday and a blessed week ahead.

Fr Long Nguyen