


For those who have died: Kevin Salmon, Mary Rowley, Sister Mary Bernard Dimgba IHM, Sister Mary Gratia Nwabunwanne IHM, Katheleen Griffiths, Martin Ashton, Nicholas Oqwuike

Funerals: **Kathleen Griffiths** (Monday 21st October 3.15pm Streetly Crematorium), **Mary Rowley** (Tuesday 5th November Reception into Church 4.00pm, Wednesday 6th November Requiem 12.30pm followed by Street Crematorium)

Please keep in your prayers: Bridie McDonagh, Jane McDonagh, Mary McCrank, Glen Preece, , Caroline Holland, Tom Bradley, Maureen Salmon, Joyce Walsh, Eddie McDonagh, Suzy McDonagh, Marie McKenzie, Philip Gormley, Francis Keane, Anne Russell, Maureen Byrne, William Kelly, John Farrell, Ann Gilraine, Margaret McNulty, Cornelius Cronan, Tom Brennan, Thomas McHugh, Tara Ford, Michael Welsh, Simon Woods, Chris Kane, Jim Malachi, Monica Carrington, Michael McHugh, Anne Scott, James Swindel, Reg Ford, Chris Voice, Lisa Dean and Danny Dean, Winnie Lawlor, Margaret Bednall, Sandra, John Magnier, Sheila Cronin, Maureen Rowland-Aitken, Elaine and David Sumner, Jackie Logan, Brenda Guest, Graham Lawlor, Robert Sweeney, Dayna Haywood, John Eccles, Gerry Stokes, Frank Gallagher, Mary Chester, Ann Mountford, Patrick McDonagh, Gillian Ilsley

Pope Francis Prayer Intention: For a shared Mission: 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 priests, religious and lay people.

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CONFESSIONS: Sat 10.00 to 10.45am & before mass or by appointment
ADORATION: Tues 9.00am—9.50am & Sat 10.00-10.50am
BAPTISMS: Sun at 11:45am by appointment
ROSARY: 20 mins before mass
CHOIR: Sing at 10.00am mass. *Anyone can join.*
**** CHILDREN'S LITURGY **:** During Sun 10:00am Mass
TEAS and COFFEE: After Sun 10:00am Mass in Parish Hall. *All Welcome*

St. Peter's Catholic Church, Bloxwich



Ubi Petrus ibi Ecclesia ibi Deus

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PARISH NEWSLETTER **Sat 12th / Sun 13th October 2024**

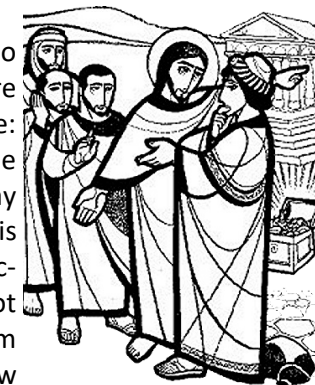
28th SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME

Sat Entrance **21** Offertory **98** Communion **175** Recession **183**

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THE RICH YOUNG MAN

In today's story of the rich young man, who comes to Jesus full of good intentions {*Mark 10:17-27*}, there are some simple words that speak so clearly to our own age: when Jesus tells him to sell every-thing and give it to the poor, "his face fell at these words, and he went away sad, for he was a man of great wealth." How sad it is that such a keen (he runs up to Jesus), and by all accounts good young man (whom Jesus loves) could not free himself from the one thing that was holding him back – his dependence on money. Jesus' words "How hard it is..." perhaps indicate his own sadness that the young man could not free himself from this. Jesus' teaching was new as the disciples' reaction shows. In Israel at the time, riches were thought to be a blessing from God. But as Jesus knew and taught, holding on to anything that passes away can distract us from holding on to things that are eternal.



SAFEGUARDING NOTICE: *The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Elizabeth Briars. They can be contacted at: sg.stpeters.bloxwich@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.*

MASS TIMES, FEAST DAYS and MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 12 Oct	9.30am	Mass in Featherstone HMP	For a successful GP Exam
Sat 12 Oct	10.00am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
Sat 12 Oct	11.15am	Our Lady on Saturday	Kal's Vocation
Sat 12 Oct	5.30pm	28th SUNDAY (Vigil)	Michael Spink Anniversary, Hath Mason RIP, Mike and Liz Mason 22 years married, Daniel Dean Intentions, David Sumner recovery
Sun 13 Oct	10.00am	28th SUNDAY	Graham Miles RIP, Mary Rowley RIP, Susan Fitzpatrick anniversary
Sun 13 Oct	1.00pm	<i>Communion Round</i>	
Mon 14 Oct	10.00am	<i>Oscott Teaching</i>	
Mon 14 Oct	1.00pm	<i>Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)</i>	
Mon 14 Oct		NO MASS	
Mon 14 Oct	7.00pm	<i>Spiritual Talk at Our Lady of the Assumption Kingstanding, Birmingham</i>	
Tue 15 Oct	9.00am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
Tue 15 Oct	10.00am	<i>Feria in Ordinary Time</i>	Paula Flint RIP
Tue 15 Oct	7.00pm	<i>Spiritual Talk at Our Lady of the Assumption Kingstanding, Birmingham</i>	
Wed 16 Oct		NO MASS	
Wed 16 Oct	7.00pm	<i>Spiritual Talk at Our Lady of the Assumption Kingstanding, Birmingham</i>	
Thu 17 Oct	9.30am	Mass in St Peter's School	William and Elizabeth Paget RIP
Fri 18 Oct		NO MASS	
Fri 18 Oct	4.00pm	<i>Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)</i>	
Sat 19 Oct	10.00am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
Sat 19 Oct	11.15am	Our Lady on Saturday	B Mitchell RIP
Sat 19 Oct	5.30pm	29th SUNDAY (Vigil)	Tom Daniels RIP
Sun 19 Oct	10.00am	29th SUNDAY	Jim Lowndes RIP
Sun 19 Oct	11.45am	<i>Baptism</i>	Hogan
Sun 13 Oct	1.00pm	<i>Communion Round</i>	



ST PETER'S PARISH WHATSAPP GROUP. To join: 1.) Give Fr. David or Sr. Tonia your WhatsApp phone number to add you manually or 2.) Send a WhatsApp message 'ADD ME' to the Parish WhatsApp number; 07840781301.

PARISH CATECHISM LESSONS

Parish First Holy Communion Classes continue after the 10am Sunday Mass.

PASRISH WORKS CONTINUE

This week Wednesday 16th to Friday 18th there is Electrical Testing Work taking place in the Church, Parish Centre, and Presbytery. There are no masses in Church during this time. Hopefully after all this work we will get back to running normally.

RED BOXES *AUTUMN EMPTYING*

Missio Red Boxes are being emptied between now and November 24th so please return your box (and pick up your empty) to the table at the side entrance A.S.A.P.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

NEXT WEEK IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY SECOND COLLECTION

Next weekend Pope Francis invites all Catholics to support Missio, his charity for world mission, through a special collection. This day of prayer, solidarity and giving unites Catholics worldwide to share the Good News of God's love which has the power to transform lives and heal our world. To donate, use the Missio envelopes, call 020 7821 9755 or visit mission.org to give a gift. Please gift aid if you are able.

NEW MISSAL

To get the New Missal (£20—Hodder Version) please sign up at the Piety Stall.

ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Those whose anniversaries occur this week include: **Timothy Whiting, Irene Lea, and Byrne Byrne.**

THANK YOU FROM CAFOD

"Thank you for giving to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal this Harvest season. Your donation in our parish collection or online and your prayers are helping young people like Daniel in the Democratic Republic of the Congo with support like training, so they can carve their way to a better future. We are standing in solidarity with those facing incredible hardships, as part of one global family. Learn more at cafod.org.uk/harvest"

SAINT PETER'S FOODBANK

Busy Monday helping 31 adults and 42 children.

Many thanks for donations weighing 27.4kg. We gave out 223.2 kg

Always in need Tinned: Soup, baked beans, meats, tuna, potatoes, carrots, peas, rice pudding, coffee, tea, pasta/sauce, squash

MEN'S ROSARY RALLEY

Victoria Square Birmingham—Saturday 26th October 12 noon. For more information contact Ben 07885 505116.

THIS WEEK'S READERS

12-Oct Christine Humphreys Anthony Daniels

13-Oct Sr. Felicitas John Stringer

Readers Rota: The readers rota for November 24 - January 25 is now available. Please pick up your copy in the Sacristy.

OSCOTT TRIP REMINDER We have booked to visit the college SUNDAY 17th NOVEMBER. We will leave the Church car park approximately 2.30pm We have afternoon tea in the refectory. Departure at 6.10pm. **The cost is £20.**

PARISH CENTRE BOOKING Please contact George Pitt (07926 636159 (text only) or use the booking form www.stpetersbloxwich.org.uk/booking.html or email the Office stpeters.bloxwich.org.uk



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