

# MASS INTENTIONS

19<sup>th</sup> November -25<sup>th</sup> November 2018

Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Beatrice Thirwell
<b>Thirty-Third Sunday</b> (p. 157)	11.00am 6.30pm	Holy Souls People of the Parish
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Holy Souls
Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Holy Souls
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Holy Souls
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Church Closed
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov:	9.30am	Richard Edwin Jones
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> Nov:	9.30am 11.00am	No Mass or morning Confession Confirmation
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> Nov:	9.30am	People of the Parish
<b>Feast of Christ the King</b> (p. 160) <i>Collection for Catholic Youth Work</i>	11.00am 6.30pm	Holy Souls Private Int.



### Parishioners and Friends who are sick:

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick, especially, Baby Ria Moreno, Stuart Howes, Pamela Raggett, Jamie Gilmour, Manuel Campello, Anna Cleary, Mario D'Souza, Josephine Edward and Christopher Holland.

# St. Mary Magdalen Roman Catholic Church



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Sunday Masses: 9.30am,  
11.00am and 6.30pm.

Confessions (Reconciliation):  
Saturdays 10am-10.30am  
& 5pm-5.30pm

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Next weekend we have our Confirmation ceremony when Bishop Paul will call down the Holy Spirit on the large group of our younger Parishioners. The effects of this outpouring of the Spirit should resound through all of our lives as we are reminded of Christ sending the Spirit to guide the church. The Confirmation group have chosen two charities to collect for during the Confirmation Mass as a sign that, as a community of followers of Christ, we are concerned for those around us in need. Please pray for all who are being Confirmed and their families.

Also, we thank God for the great commitment and work carried out by our Catechists.

## Parish & Local News

### 4<sup>th</sup> November 2018

Collection £809.56 + Standing Orders £400  
Total Offertory: £1,209.56

### Children's Liturgy:

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November Group 2 "Going to Bethlehem"  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November Group 3 "Jesus is Born"

### Altar Servers rota:

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> Nov: 9.30&11am Team 2 6.30pm Team 2  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> Nov: 9.30&11am Team 1 6.30pm Team 3

### Cleaners rota:

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November: No clean Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November: Team 1

# CHRISTMAS — FAIR —

### Christmas Fair: Gifts and Bottles needed!

The sign up sheets are at the back of the church.

Our Christmas Fair is only a month away, and now we are starting to collect items for the stalls and activities. If you can spare:

- Bottles for the Tombola (alcoholic and non-alcoholic)
- Bric-a-brac
- Toy donations
- Gifts of all kinds

Please bring them to the Parish House during office hours (office and Church are closed Wednesday afternoon and all day Thursday). Also, fresh cakes on the Saturday afternoon and Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December before 9.30am, in the hall. Thank you in advance for all your support.

**Charity Giving Group at St Mary Magdalen** his new small group will decide on appeals and collections extra to set Diocesan retiring collections. They wish to focus on local charities next. If you have any suggestions, please email the Parish office by Nov 19<sup>th</sup>.

### Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

This group started last Monday and there was an encouraging start. Anyone interested in finding out more about Catholicism is welcome to come along next Monday at 7.30pm in the Priest's house. More information from Canon Francis.

### Confirmation Group

Parents are reminded that there is a rehearsal on Tuesday at 8pm for next weekend's Confirmation Mass

### Month of November: Holy Souls

Traditionally November is a time to pray for those who have died. Parishioners are invited to submit a list of those you want prayed for in the envelopes provided. Any donations will be used for 'Holy Souls Masses'. Please place your 'Holy Souls' envelope in the basket next to the Sacred Heart Statue at the front of the Church. Please note, *any money will be removed*.

### SVP Baby Feeding Centres in Sudan Appeal

Our annual Parish appeal supporting the SVP Baby feeding centres in Sudan and South Sudan will take place today. After each Mass we will be selling gift cards and collecting donations. You can purchase a card for £50 by cash or cheque payable to "SVP Twinnage" Many thanks for your continued generosity.

### St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary, Learning Support Assistant, Full or Part time.

St Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School is a happy school with strong Catholic values and ethos. We are seeking to appoint a caring and enthusiastic staff member to support SEN pupils throughout the school.

The role will include delivering 1:1 and group support, delivering speech and language interventions, building pupils' self-confidence and supervising playtimes, The position will be offered subject to the following: satisfactory references, proof of qualifications, proof of identity, full enhanced DBS clearance, full medical clearance and proof of entitlement to work in the EU. For further information and to apply, please view the vacancy information on eteach: Job ID. 1013747; Job Ref: LSA: <https://www.eteach.com/job/learning-support-assistant-1013747>

Closing date for application: Friday 16th November 2018

St Elizabeth's is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

### First Holy Communion 2019

The classes for First Holy Communion for children in Y3 (or above) will begin in January and the applications are available at the back of the church for those who do not attend St Mary Magdalen school. They need to be returned by December 1<sup>st</sup>. Families at St Mary Magdalen School (Y3) will hear through the school.

**Please note, No Mass or morning Confessions next Saturday due to the Confirmation Mass at 11am.**