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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER SERVICES: THIRTY – SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR C

THIRTY – SECOND WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME: 10th – 16th November 2019 (Weekday Cycle Year I / Psalter Week IV)

<p>Saturday 9th November: <i>Thirty – Second Sunday of the Year</i> 4:30pm: Mass; Peace Poppy Smith RIP (Williams) 6:30 pm: Mass (St Francis); Holy Souls (November Dead)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PARISH FINANCES</p>
<p>Sunday 10th November: <i>Thirty – Second Sunday of the Year</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Holy Souls (November Dead) 11:00 am: Mass (St Francis); Pro Populo; People of the Parish 2:00 pm (Beeston) & 3:15 pm (Chilwell): Blessing of the Graves</p>	
<p>Monday 11th November: <i>St Martin of Tours, Bishop (memoria)</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Mike Wilson RIP (Diane & David) 9:30 am: (St Francis); Service of the Word and Holy Communion</p>	<p>Envelopes: Loose Plate: Standing Orders: TOTAL: Chad: Intercare: SVP:</p>
<p>Tuesday 12th November: <i>St Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr (memoria)</i> 9:30 am: Mass (St Francis); Nellie Cox 99th Birthday Intentions 1:00 pm: Service of the Word and Holy Communion</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our Parish.</i></p>
<p>Wednesday 13th November: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 9:00 am: Service of the Word and Holy Communion 9:30 am: (St Francis); Service of the Word and Holy Communion</p>	<p><i>Your Prayers are requested for those who are sick:</i> Isobel Alana Barnes, Marica Borsos, Margaret Brown, Fr John Cairns, Pat Constable, Francesca Lina Craparotta, Jim & Margaret Dougan, Fr Theodore Gomes, Ann Harrison, Fr Peter Harvey, Andrea Hoffman, Breeda Keaney, Elizabeth Reilly, Alan Roberts, Maria Sawicki, Simpson Family, Canon Colin Taylor, Evelyn Venning and Louise Whitham.</p>
<p>Thursday 14th November: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Holy Souls (November Dead) 9:30 am: (St Francis); Service of the Word and Holy Communion</p>	<p><i>Items for the newsletter can be given to Fr Christopher or e – mailed to frcathomas@live.com by Thursday of each week for inclusion in the next issue.</i></p>
<p>Friday 15th November: <i>Weekday Feria</i> 9:45 am: (St Francis); Funeral Service: James O' Malley RIP 1:00 pm: Mass; Nancy Burrows RIP (Cookson) 3:00 pm: (St Francis); Divine Mercy Hour (Priests & Vocations)</p>	
<p>Saturday 16th November: <i>Weekday Feria</i> NO MORNING CONFESSIONS</p>	
<p>Saturday 16th November: <i>Thirty – Third Sunday of the Year</i> 4:00 pm: CONFESSIONS 4:30 pm: Mass; Jack Twomey RIP (4th Anniversary) 6:30 pm: Mass (St Francis); Robert Feliksiak RIP (Goodhind)</p>	
<p>Sunday 17th November: <i>Thirty – Third Sunday of the Year</i> 9:00 am: Mass; Marie Castor & Glynnis Moore RIP 11:00 am: Mass (St Francis); Ann & Lawrence Blackburn RIP (Barnes)</p>	

ROTAS:	<i>4:30 pm</i>	<i>9:00 am</i>
Welcomers:		M Simpson & L Newbold
Next Week:		K Orford – Perkins & M Neale
Readers:	P Hubberstey	S Grant
Next Week:	M Sully	S O'Brien
Offertory:	K Twomey & J Lyons	D & D Wilson
Next Week:	A Simmons & Volunteer	M Ferrara & N Iacovitti
Coffee:	M Castor & M Neale	Next Week: Arnd & Alessia
Cashiers:	J Brennan	Next Week: J Walton
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Flowers:	Margaret & Sue F	Next Week: Suzanne & Margaret J
Church Cleaning:	Team Freyne	Next Week: Team Agius
Hall Cleaning:	Maggie, Maria & Adriane	Next Week: Arnd, Nuala & Alessia
Brasses:	E Rodrigues	Next Week: M Castor

POOR CLARES: Mother Damian sends her sincere thanks for the donations taken to the convent at Bulwell, she wants everyone to know how much our help means to them especially now that there are 17 of them living there. The next visit to the Sisters will be *25th November 2019* and I will be going again on *23rd December 2019* to ensure they are able to enjoy our gifts and donations at Christmas. On Sunday *10th November 2019* the sisters are having a sale of work in the Church Hall at Bulwell, details are on the poster on the porch notice board. – *Diane Wilson*.

FAIR TRADE: Many thanks to everyone who supported the Fair Trade sale last weekend – details are on the notice board at the back of Church. We are continuing to support Mary's Meals with any profit made. The final sale of 2019 will be the weekend of *30th November / 1st December*.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR: *Saturday 23rd November 2019*. Thank you for your donations – the box is starting to fill up nicely. There are a few empty spaces on the Raffle Prizes list and we still require books, clean and complete toys, tombola and craft stall items BUT we really need LOTS MORE BOTTLES for our bottle stall – this stall is so popular but we need your help to make it work. Many thanks for your continued support and generosity – *The Bazaar Committee*.

RAFFLE TICKETS ON SALE THIS WEEKEND FOR THE BIG CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

MISSIO: The 2020 MISSIO calendar is available in the porch. Please help yourself to one. The end of December is the end of the financial year for MISSIO when all the money has to be banked and accounts sent to the Office in London, so if you have a box that needs to be emptied please would you let me have it. If you haven't got a red box but would like one please let me know. Many thanks – *Diane Wilson* Parish MISSIO Secretary 0115 917 6697.

THANK YOU: Des Burrows and his family wish to thank everyone for their kind Mass Intentions and sympathy at the loss of their beloved Nancy. They are also grateful for the donations of £ 263. 20 each, to Macmillan Cancer Support and Headcase Cancer Trust.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING TRAINING EVENING: A general Safeguarding training evening is being held for **ALL** people of the Parishes of The Assumption Beeston and St Francis Long Eaton who hold a DBS for their Parish ministry work. Clare McKenzie the Diocesan Coordinator for the Diocese will be coming to talk on the latest Safeguarding updates. The meeting is being held at the *Assumption Beeston THIS Thursday, 14th November 2019 at 7:00 pm* and is a joint event for both Parishes. If you haven't been to a training event in the last three years then you are urged to come along. Please could you write your name on the list at the back of Church if you will be attending so we have an idea for numbers. Many thanks – *Carol Morris and Rachel Mc Carthy (Parish Safeguarding Representatives)*.

RCIA PROGRAMME: Our Parishes RCIA Course continues **NEXT Wednesday 20th November 2019** after Mass at **7:30 pm** in the Parish Hall. The subject for that week: *"Creation and Fall."* If anyone would like more information or would like to become involved or take part in this Programme please speak to me as soon as possible. All welcome.

YOUTH MASS TO CELEBRATE THE FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING: To celebrate National Youth Sunday on the Feast of Christ The King, *Sunday 24th November 2019* the **9:00 am Mass** will be a Youth Mass. To prepare for this, we are inviting any of the young people of our Parish to come along at the Church Hall on **Sunday 10th November 2019 at 2:00 pm**, for an afternoon of preparing for the Mass. There will be refreshments for the young people and any parents / carers are invited to come along and have a cup of tea and cake, while the children put their creativity and energy into preparing for this celebration. Please do come along. – *Issie McElhone and Catherine Agius*.

"LOVE AND MERCY: FAUSTINA": A docudrama on Divine Mercy and the mission of Sr. Faustina Kowalska, reveals previously unknown facts and recently disclosed documents that shed new light on the truth of the Divine Mercy message. The film which will be shown on *Monday 18th November 2018* at *Mansfield, Leicester* and *Lincoln Odeons*, please check times: pre booking available: <http://loveandmercyfilm.co.uk/tickets/>

THE BLESSING OF GRAVES: will take place **THIS SUNDAY: Beeston Cemetery**, Wollaton Road, at **2:00 pm** on *Sunday 10th November 2018* and *Chilwell Cemetery*, Field Lane on the same day at **3:15 pm** to hold a short service for family and friends of our Parishioners who have gone to the Lord. All are welcome to attend to pray for the dead of our Parish.

ADVENT ADORATION – MEETING CHRIST IN THE EUCHARIST: As we build up to Advent and to growing our encounter with Christ, please make sure you know what it means to meet and adore Him in the Eucharist. Do you know the door code for the chapel? If not, ask Fr Christopher, Alan Hogan or David Aldred after Mass. If you are not sure what to do in Adoration or what's involved, you can simply ask!