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**30<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Yr A/1**

**Saturday – 28th October – Feast of Ss Simon & Jude, Apostles**

10.00-1050am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Confessions

11.00am – Holy Mass

Ints: For Peace in the Holy Land and the Middle east.

**Saturday – 28th October – THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, Yr A**

5.00pm – Holy Mass (Evening Mass of Sunday)

Ints: For the sick and housebound of our parish

*(Please note: Clocks go back one hour )*

**Sunday – 29th October – THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME , Yr A**

10.30am – Holy Mass

Ints: *Pro populo*

**Monday – 30th October – No Mass**

**Tuesday – 31st October – No Mass**

**Wednesday – 1st November – SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS  
(Holyday of Obligation)**

9.30am - Holy Mass

Ints: Tony Green (recently died) (*Bernadette Eakin*)

6.00pm – Holy Mass

Ints: For Br Meinrad & Br Gildas (*newly Professed, Belmont Abbey*)

*(Please note the earlier time of the morning Mass)*

**Thursday - 2nd November – THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED  
(All Souls' Day)**

10.00am – Holy Mass

Ints: For the deceased relatives of the Lobo family

6.00pm – Holy Mass

Ints: For all our Deceased Relatives and friends

**Friday - 3rd November – St Martin de Porres, religious (*memoria*)**

5.15 – 5.50pm - Holy Rosary with Intercessions

6.00pm – Holy Mass

Ints: For the deceased relatives of the Eakin family (*Bernadette Eakin*)

**Saturday – 4th November – St Charles Borromeo, Bishop (*memoria*)**

10.00-1050am – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament with Confessions

**11.00am – Holy Mass**

**Ints: For all Priests and Clergy & Vocations**

**Saturday – 4th November – THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, Yr A**

**5.00pm – Holy Mass (Evening Mass of Sunday)**

**Ints: For the sick and housebound of our parish**

**Sunday – 5th November – THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, Yr A**

**10.30am – Holy Mass with Blessing of graves after the celebration of Mass**

**Ints: *Pro populo***

***(Second Collection for the Johnson Association)***

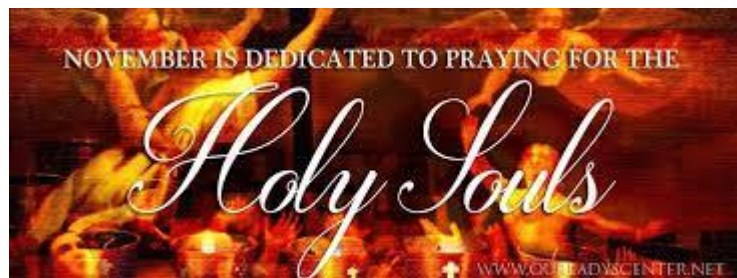
### **PRAYING FOR OUR SICK AND LOVED ONES**

**We pray** for the repose of all those who have died, especially those of our parish and those closest to us...*May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed...rest in peace.*

**Please also pray for** all the sick including John Bilsborough, Andy Cooper, John Crowe, Rosemarie Kay, Peter Onions, Mike Harriss, Raymond Turner, Lea Maloney, Fr Christopher Calascione, and all who are unwell or housebound.

### **NOVEMBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**

There are envelopes available at the back of church in which to place the names of your departed loved ones. The lists will then be placed in the casket which is in front of the altar. There will be Masses offered for all the Holy Souls during the month.



### **THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER**

**For the Pope**

We pray for the Holy Father, as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him with the help of the Holy Spirit.

### **ENDING OF BRITISH SUMMER TIME(BST)**

This Sunday BST ends. Please remember to adjust clocks, watches, etc or otherwise you may end up arriving one hour early for Mass on Sunday. The dark evenings begin.

### **FR PATRICK AWAY ON ANNUAL LEAVE**

I shall be away on my annual leave for the following days: Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> November- Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> November incl. There will be no weekday Masses during that period. However, the Masses on the weekends of Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> November and Sunday, 12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> November 2023 remain unchanged. A monk from Belmont Abbey will be appointed to celebrate the weekend Masses during my absence. I have every confidence that you will make him very welcome at St Wulstans. If there is an emergency please contact **Fr Naz** at **St Joseph's RC church, Malvern.**

### **2ND COLLECTION - SATURDAY 4<sup>th</sup> NOV/SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> NOV: FOR THE JOHNSON ASSOCIATION**

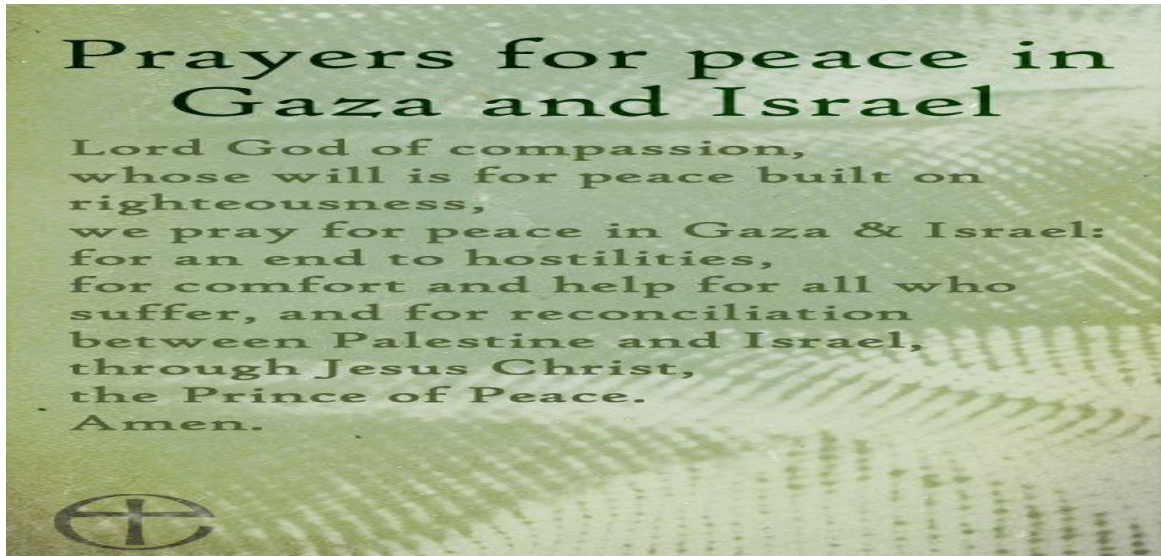
The Johnson Association known as The Johnson Fund or The Secular Clergy Association of the Archdiocese of Birmingham was originally founded in 1710. It provides for the needs of the clergy in retirement, sickness and old age. Please give generously.

## **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTRY TRAINING DAY – SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER**

Training for Eucharistic Ministers will take place on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Fr. Patrick has asked that all Extra-ordinary ministers of Holy Communion (Eucharistic Ministers) come for the Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament followed by Mass. All commissioned Extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion will be expected to attend the full half-day session. The instruction will follow the Mass and will last approximately one hour. If anyone is unable to attend then please let Fr. Patrick know.

## **PRAYER FOR PEACE**

Heavenly Father, hear our prayers especially for the people of Israel and Gaza, Ukraine and Sudan. Lord we ask for peace for those who desperately need peace, reconciliation for those who cry out for reconciliation and comfort for all who don't know what tomorrow will bring. We ask this through Jesus Christ, Our Lord, **Amen.**



## **DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING FOR PEACE**

Pope Francis has called for a day of prayer and fasting on October 27<sup>th</sup> for peace in the Middle East. He said when announcing the day 'that war cancels the future and breeds hatred and revenge'. He further said to both sides in the conflict 'Cast weapons aside, listen to the voice of the poor, the people and children.'

## **"MONASTERY DAYS" ORGANISED ACROSS THE UK**

YouCAN, a religious group for practicing young Catholic adults, have been working closely with a number of monasteries in the UK to organise "Monastery Days". This is an unique opportunity for young Catholics aged 18 to 45 to spend the day at several monasteries across England and Scotland, to pray together, bible study with a monk or nun, attend Mass and enjoy time together socially. To join **YouCAN**, attend "**Monastery Days**" and other **YouCAN** events and pilgrimages, contact: [rina@youngcatholicadultnetwork.uk](mailto:rina@youngcatholicadultnetwork.uk)

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

Do you have a birthday you would like to celebrate for a friend? Sympathy for the loss of a loved one? You can have a Mass said and offered for a person on these special occasions or for any other special intention. Grab a Mass Intention envelope and enter the name and date of the Mass required. Envelopes are available at the rear of the church. You can call or email the parish office at the Priest's House. This is a beautiful and special way to pay tribute to loved ones.

## **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Now the darker days are coming it would be very useful to have a handrail alongside the main road where we park, to prevent anyone falling down the hillside. To this end if we could all write to

Malcolm Victory, Councillor,  
c/o County Hall  
Spetchley Road  
Worcester WR5 2NP

Pleading for this to be done, then just maybe? There are no street lights along this stretch of road making a rail even more necessary.

Thank you on behalf of the PAC

### **PARISH BOOK EXCHANGE**

A book exchange has been started in the parish room (there was an empty bookshelf waiting to be used). Anyone is welcome to donate books they think might interest other parishioners. If you borrow a book, please return it when you have finished with it. The parish room is open every first and third Sunday after Mass for coffee (check the newsletter)

### **FOR NEWS AND EVENTS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM**

Link to see what is going on in the archdiocese: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk>

### **THE DIOCESAN VISION: Unfolding God's Plan**

Our Diocesan Vision is the Archbishop's dream for every parish in the Archdiocese of Birmingham, and he invites us to be a part of it. The plans that we make as deaneries and parishes should be united to that vision, so that they will help us to make that future a reality. 6 Sessions are planned to help parishes respond to the Archbishop's Invitation to unfold God's plan. Paul at the Office for Mission can help you with further information & support: [paul.northam@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:paul.northam@rcaob.org.uk)

### **ST WULSTAN'S - DONATION BY CARD**

If you would like to make a donation to St Wulstan's church by card, please ask a member of the Welcome Team to activate the Card reader and proceed from there. It is really quite simple once you get the hang of it. It is in giving that we receive God's abundant blessings. Thank you

### **ADVENT CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT**

This will be on Friday 15th December at 7pm. It will be followed by mulled wine and mince pies. Bring your families, friends and neighbours. Everyone is welcome.

### **A JOURNEY THROUGH ADVENT**

On the four Tuesday evenings during Advent, starting on **28th November**, everyone in St Wulstan's is warmly invited to get together to share some refreshments and to grow together as a community of faith. We will meet at 7pm in the parish room to watch and discuss the excellent "Catholicism" series by Bishop Robert Barron. This will be one way that we can respond, as a parish, to Pope Francis' call for us to be a synodal church. Keep the dates free in your diaries!

### **BOOKING OF PARISH MEETING ROOM**

It is indeed encouraging to see our Parish Hall being kept busy with the recent activities and forthcoming Film sessions. I would like to see it's continued use but to keep everything in order with maintenance, cleaning, other bookings and to comply with insurances and health & safety requirements, it will be necessary in future to make formal booking arrangements.

Mary Pillon has volunteered to record these, so please contact her to make any reservations required on 01684 576213, 07960732491 or [marypillon121@btinternet.com](mailto:marypillon121@btinternet.com). Your co-operation is appreciated. Fr Patrick



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