

ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM

## ST.WULSTAN'S PARISH, LITTLE MALVERN

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### 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024 / 22<sup>nd</sup> Ordinary Sunday (Readings Year B)

#### **FUNERALS:**

Requiem Mass for the soul of **MIKE HARRISS**: 2pm next Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

Requiem Mass for the soul of **PETER ONIONS**: 2pm Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September.

**AFTER MASS TODAY:** we gather for a cuppa in the Parish Room. Join us!

**CATENIANS** join us for Mass on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, and for their annual Requiem at 10am on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November.

**DEDICATION** Weds.4<sup>th</sup> September is the festival of the Dedication of Belmont Abbey. Vespers in the Abbey Church 6pm.

HOLY MASS THIS WEEK:

**SATURDAY 31<sup>st</sup> Aug.** Vigil Mass 5pm Dick Borell RIP

**SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup> Sept.** 10.30am Spec.int. (Conry fam)

**MONDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept** 10am Pro Popolo

**TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept.** 10am St.Gregory Abbot Nicholas Wetz

**WEDS.4<sup>th</sup> Sept** 10am Dedication Abbot & Community of Belmont Abbey

**THURS.5<sup>th</sup> Sept.** 10am for the Lapsed

**FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> Sept:** Requiem 2pm Mike Harriss RIP (NB NO EVENING MASS)

**SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> Sept.** 10am-11am Adoration of the Bl.Sacrament & Confessions

Vigil Mass 5pm *The Forgotten Souls*

**SUNDAY 8<sup>th</sup> Sept.** 10.30am Pro Popolo

***After Holy Mass today, the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be offered to all who, by reason of frailty, age or illness, wish to receive it. "May the Lord in His love and in His mercy, strengthen you by the grace of the Holy Spirit. May the Lord who frees you from sin, save you and raise you up."***

**First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2,6-8**

Observe these laws and customs, that you may have life.

**Psalm: 14(15): 2-5**

**R./:** The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

**Second Reading: James 1:17-18, 21-22,27**

Accept and submit to the word.

**Gospel: Mark 7:1-8,14-15,21-23**

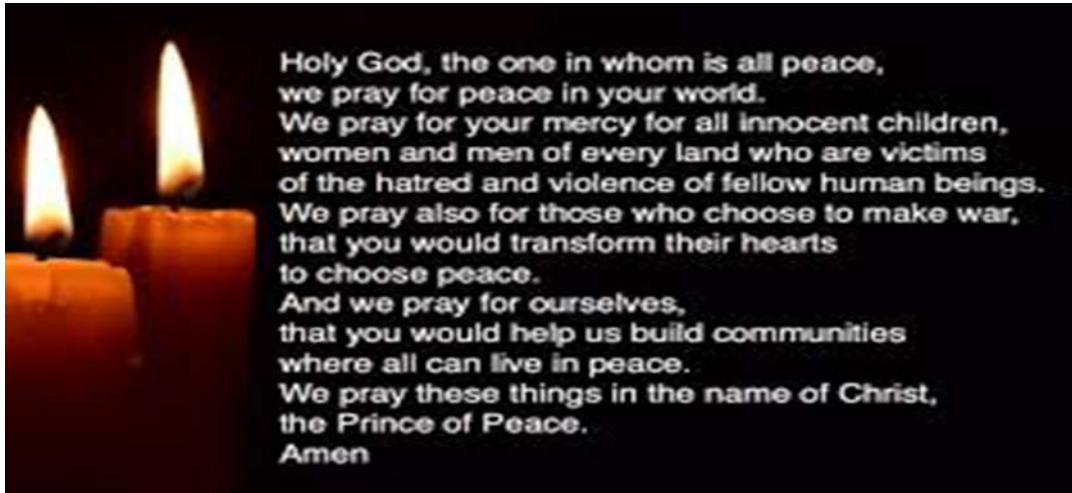
You put aside the commandment of God. To cling to human traditions.

### PRAYING FOR OUR DEARLY DEPARTED LOVED ONES AND ALSO THE SICK

**We pray for** the repose of the soul of Mike Harriss, R.I.P. and Peter Onions R.I.P. who died this week and all our relatives and friends who have died recently. *May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace.* Amen.

**Please pray also:** for all the sick including John Bilborough, John Crowe, Rosemarie Kay, Lea Maloney, Bill Finch, Fr Christopher Calascione, and all who are unwell or housebound.

### PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE



### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

### WEEKLY COLLECTION INFORMATION MAY TO JUL 24

Due to the mix of weekly and monthly payments the totals below are presented as weekly averages for the month.

May 24 - Total average weekly Parish collections £502. In Church collections £200, Standing Orders £302

Jun 24 - Total average weekly Parish collections £524. In Church collections £220, Standing Orders £304.

Jul 24 - Total average weekly Parish collections £523. In Church collections £220, Standing Orders £303.

### SECOND COLLECTIONS MAY TO JUL 24

Cafod Sudan Appeal	£359
Catholic Communications	£135.50
Day for Life	£91
Plan International	£106
Peter Pence	£169.50

### PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI 25.5.25 – BOOKING DEADLINE 24.9.24

A small group of parishioners from St Wulstan's and the Malvern Cluster will be making a pilgrimage to Assisi from 25th to 31st May, maximum group size 12-15 people.

Here is the webpage: <https://www.jcjournneys.com/mc-assisi> where you can download the flyer, book and pay online via the secure link. However, if you would like this information by email, contact [carver-chlotte400@gmail.com](mailto:carver-chlotte400@gmail.com) (01684 592179) or [bernadetteekin@gmail.com](mailto:bernadetteekin@gmail.com) (01531 635623).

### ON RETREAT WITH POPE FRANCIS

You are each invited to join our fellow Catholics in the Malvern area for a series of fortnightly Saturday lunchtime sessions, following the recently published "First Belong to God", based on Pope Francis' Ignatian retreats and written by Dr Austen Ivereigh. The first session will take place on Saturday 21st September at 12 noon in the St Wulstan's parish room. This will be a wonderful opportunity to grow together in our faith and to share some time of fellowship with one another. Everyone is welcome.

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

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