

ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM

ST.WULSTAN'S LITTLE MALVERN

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10th NOVEMBER 2024 / 32nd ORDINARY SUNDAY (B)

TODAY IS REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

We pray for the Fallen of our Nations & Commonwealth. May they rest in Peace.

We express our gratitude to all who served in The Forces.

SAT.9th NOV: *Vigil Mass 5pm THE HOLY SOULS Confessions before Mass, at request.*

SUN.10th NOV: 10.30am REQUIEM THE FALLEN OF OUR NATIONS

MON.11th NOV: NB: 11am REQUIEM (*in Latin; Readings in English*) :*St.Martin of Tours.*

TUES.12th NOV. 10am THE HOLY SOULS :*St.Josaphat*

NB: NO MASS on Wednesday

THURS.14th NOV. 10am THE HOLY SOULS : *St.Dyfrig*

FRI.15th NOV. 6pm (*Rosary 5.30pm*) THE HOLY SOULS : *St.Malo*

SAT.16th NOV. *Vigil Mass 5pm THE HOLY SOULS Confessions before Mass at request*

SUN.17th NOV. 10.30am THE HOLY SOULS *World Day of the Poor.*

This weekend we welcome as celebrant of Holy Mass: the Prior of Belmont Abbey: [V.Rev.Fr. Alexander Kenyon OSB.](#)
Try to be nice !!!

Readings for Sunday Mass

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:10-16

'Jar of meal shall not be spent, jug of oil shall not be emptied.'

Psalm: 145(146):7-10

R./: My soul, give praise to the Lord.

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

Christ, our high priest, has done away with sin by sacrificing himself.

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

This poor widow has put in more than all

CHRISTMAS CARDS Charlotte Carver has a selection of cards available today.

ADVENT BOOKLETS with a daily thought for Advent (starts 1st Dec.!) £1 per copy.

PRAYING FOR OUR DEARLY DEPARTED LOVED ONES AND ALSO THE SICK

We pray for the repose of the soul of Ida Hodges who died on Tuesday, and Mike Harriss, R.I.P. and Peter Onions R.I.P. who 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 Bilsborough, John Crowe, Rosemarie Kay, Lea Maloney, and Bill Finch, and all who are unwell or housebound.

RIP Pray for the soul of Ida Hodges who died on Tuesday.

TOMORROW (Monday) at 11am on the 11th day of the 11th month: A Mass (the New Rite) in Latin. Readings in English. We shall sing a little Gregorian Plainchant.

POSADA every Sunday afternoon of Advent at 3pm a reflection to prepare for Christmas: this is prompted by Our Lady & St. Joseph's journey from Nazareth to Bethlehem. COME !

ALL CHANGE ! the New Lectionary of Readings for Mass comes into use on the First Sunday of Advent. All missals/booklets will be redundant! The new texts will be provided for you every week.

SPREAD THE WORD !: make sure family and friends ,esp.children, know that CHRISTMAS is more than Santa & Robins & Snowmen ! We celebrate the Birth of our Saviour ! JESUS IS THE REASON FOR THE SEASON ! Venite Adoremus ! Come, let us adore !

MON.11th NOV.: at 11am on the 11th day of the 11th month Requiem Mass for the Fallen. Mass will be in Latin (New Rite), Readings in English, we'll sing some Gregorian Chant.

ADVENT BEGINS on Sunday 1st December. Readings of Cycle C. The new translation of the Lectionary comes into use: texts will be provided for you every Sunday. Advent booklets will be available from next Sunday £1, a handy resource with daily reflection.

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS fill in your 'Dead List' of all to be remembered at Daily Mass during November. Place your list and stipend inside the special envelopes & give to Father or a Steward. Never leave money lying around!

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER

In his prayer intention for November, Pope Francis prays that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter might find consolation in their community, and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.

A Prayer for Peace in the Middle East

God of mercy and compassion,
of grace and reconciliation,
pour your power upon all your children in the Middle East:
Jews, Muslims and Christians,
Palestinians and Israelis.
Let hatred be turned into love, fear to trust, despair to hope,
oppression to freedom, occupation to liberation,
that violent encounters may be replaced by loving embraces,
and peace and justice could be experienced by all.
Amen.

The Reverend Saeed Alabouari, Senior Pastor
Grace Lutheran Church, La Grange, IL

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 10th Nov. Our Mass will include a commemoration of The Fallen. A form is available at the back of Church for you to list WW2 Fallen (name & rank & Reg.t) to be read out.

(Mon. 11th Nov: 11th hour, 11th day, 11th month: 11am Mass in Latin (new Rite) with some Plainchant)

CATENIAN REQUIEM Annual Mass 11am on 14th Nov.

SHARE THE TRUE STORY Nativity Christmas Cards, pack of TEN for just £1 are available at the back of Church. NEXT SUNDAY Charlotte will have her special cards available too.

NEW TRANSLATION the new Lectionary for Mass comes into operation on the 1st Sunday of Advent. Many thanks to the donors of the Gospel Book and Lectionaries. A special sheet with the Scripture Readings will be provided every Sunday thereafter.

THE NATIVITY Christmas Eve: Carols from 7.30pm, Christmas Mass 8pm, followed by drinks & nibbles in the Parish Room.

The Holy Souls... will be remembered at daily Mass throughout November. Please take a 'Dead List' to name your Faithful Departed and return with your stipend in the envelopes provided.

DIARY DATES our Penitential Services during Advent will be as follows: Sunday 8th Dec., at St. Joseph's, 5pm; and then Sunday 15th Dec., at Our Lady's Blackmore Pk., 4pm (*the LENT Service will be at St. Wulstan's*).

CHRISTMAS CARDS yes, it's that time of year! Postage increases to £1.65 and cards aren't cheap. Make use of our 'in house' system: address cards to other parishioners and these can be collected here at Church. If you send cards, make sure you are a missionary: tell the story of Our Lord's birth, not something about a snowman, Santa, or a robin !!! Fr. Thomas has made some CHRISTIAN CARDS available--- just £1 for a pack of TEN !!!

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

That call is renewed now as on Wednesday, 16 October, the House of Commons heard the first reading of a new bill on assisted suicide tabled by Labour MP Kim Leadbeater. It will be debated on Friday 29 November.

This is another attempt to legalise assisted suicide and we need you to contact your MP to voice your opposition.

Act now! Contact your MP

The charity 'Right to Life' has a simple online mechanism to do this. It takes little more than a few minutes to input your postcode, make sure the suggested text suits your viewpoint and submit your message to ask your MP to stop assisted suicide being rushed into law.

[Click here to contact your MP](#) via the 'Right to Life' website or write to the MP at:

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CAFOD-DEC Middle East Humanitarian Appeal

The conflict in the Middle East is getting worse and the families affected need our help. Please donate today to the CAFOD-DEC Middle East Humanitarian Appeal and support our local Caritas partners in Gaza and Lebanon as they continue to provide essential food, water and shelter: cafod.org.uk/give. Please see CAFOD poster on church noticeboard. Many thanks.

ADVENT PARISH MAGAZINE:

Advent will soon be with us. Please send magazine contributions to michaelseales@hotmail.com by 17th November. They should be word documents font size 12.

FOR NEWS AND EVENTS FROM THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM

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

AID TO THECHURCH IN NEED

Cardinal Vincent Nichols has recorded a statement calling on people to get involved in a Catholic charity's initiative supporting persecuted and other suffering Christians on November 20.

Cardinal Nichols, the Archbishop of Westminster and president of the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, endorsed the #RedWednesday campaign of Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) in a [video message](#).

He invited parishes and individuals to participate in activities to raise awareness of, and pray for, the suffering Church.

https://youtu.be/bvIUd_BWCO