



REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

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Scripture Readings (32nd Sunday):

1 Kings 17:10-16 Through her faith, the widow of Sidon has food to last through the famine;

Hebrews 9:24-8 Christ, our High Priest, takes our sins on himself as he dies on the cross.

Mark 12:38-44 The poor widow shows a God-given generosity which the religious folk lack.

(Remembrance Sunday):

Micah 4:1-5) A prophetic vision of different nations flocking to the Temple in Jerusalem for instruction in the divine Law and of warriors converting themselves into peaceful farmers.

Requiem Mass in the Extraordinary Form will be celebrated on Sunday at 3pm.

WEEKDAY MASS Mass on Monday (Latin) and Friday 9.30 in Church.

NEW READING ROTA: This has not yet been drawn up, but will start with the First Sunday in Advent (2/3 December). There is at the moment a preponderance of male readers and it would be good, if possible, to bring in some new female voices. If there is anyone who feels he might like to "retire", please let Madeline Little or me know.

INTERCESSIONS AT WEEKEND MASSES : The current system is working imperfectly with some Saturdays when readers unexpectedly have had to make up their own prayers. From the first Sunday in Advent, the Bidding Prayers will no longer be composed by the Reader. Also, at the 10.30 Mass, and sometimes at the 5pm Mass, they will be read by a different person.

The IICSA Hearings in London start on Monday 12 November and continue till Friday. (For information: <https://birminghamdiocese.org.uk>). If you would like to speak to someone about safeguarding and the Church's work, please call **0121 230 6240**. If you would like to speak to someone independent of the Church, you can contact the NSPCC (**0808 800 5000**).

CHRISTMAS FAIR/ COFFEE MORNING AND RAFFLE (28 November 10am-1.30pm) : gifts for the home produce (chutney, marmalade, cakes and treats), "choir" (music, books and small, gifts) stalls and Tombola (bottles from shampoo to Champagne) **to be brought to Church by Sunday 18 November**, perishables best delivered to Welland Hall on 28 November or evening before.

Update on restoration of west front: the apex stone is in danger of cracking because of erosion of the steel cross which emerges from it and, though not an immediate danger, ideally needs to be replaced. The cross requires a stainless steel base. This is going ahead, but with a short delay.

ray for Leonie Rimmer and Denise Soper who have died, for Norah Lawley, Michael Noakes, Teresa Fry, Arthur Hurlow, who died recently, and for Paul Hothersall, Rosemarie Kay, Christopher Kouwen, and Raymond Turner.