

## St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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## Times of Mass & Services 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2017 THIRTIETH SUNDAY (A)

Saturday5.30 pmSarah Dowd RIPSunday11.00 amNora Colston RIPMonday10.00 amLynn Dodd RIPTuesday10.00 amJohn Voy RIP

Wednesday ALL SAINTS 10.00 am

Devizio RIP 7.00 pm The Holy Souls **Thursday** 10.00 am The Holy Souls 6.15 pm Norman Paton RIP Friday 9.00 am The Holy Souls Saturday 5.30 pm Dr P.J.Doherty RIP Sunday 11.00 am People of the Parish **Confessions after Sat. evening Mass** 

Giovanni & Elizabeth

WED NOV. 1st ALL SAINTS DAY - A HOLYDAY OF

**OBLIGATION** Masses here at 10 am and 7.00 pm. I will be saying Mass in Long Lartin at 5.30 pm.

THURSDAY – COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITH-FUL DEPARTED (All Souls Day) Masses here at 10.00 am and 6.15 pm. HOLY HOUR before The Blessed Sacrament 5.15 – 6.15 pm. On this day we have the privilege of obtaining a Plenary Indulgence for someone who has died, by a visit to the church during which we say an Our Father and the Creed.

THE BLESSING OF THE GRAVES This month we pray especially for those who have died. Next Sunday, after the 11.00 am Mass, I will bless the graves of our loved ones in our local cemetery, just past The Crawford Hall.

**NOVEMBER PRAYER ENVELOPES** In November we pray especially for those who have died. On most days in November Mass will be offered here for the Holy Souls. Please take an envelope and enclose the names of those who have died for whom you pray. Please give the envelopes to Fr Garry and they will be placed in a basket before the Altar.

<u>ST JOSEPH'S QUIZ NIGHT</u> St. Joseph's Social Committee are delighted to invite you to a Quiz night on

Fri. 17th Nov, 2017 in St Laurence's Church Hall. Tickets will be on sale after the 5.30pm and 11am Masses. Please see the notice in the porch.

<u>ANGEL TREE</u> is part of the Prison Fellowship. Last year over 70 Christmas presents were sent to the children of Inmates in Long Lartin prison.

Each prisoner fills in a form with details of his child and a suggested present(approx. £10-£15). He writes a Christmas present label to his child. *AT ST. JO-SEPH'S* we have a team working for Angel Tree. The buying of gifts has already started. If you would like to help by:- donation, buying/wrapping presents please talk to Fr Garry or Eileen. ALSO pray that all runs smoothly this year.

**EASYFUNDRAISING** Great news – you can raise donations for St Joseph the Worker Catholic Church, Bidford on Avon, every time you shop online, and at no extra to you whatsoever with easyfundraising.org.uk!

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- Go to <u>http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/stjose</u>
   phtheworkerbidfordonavon
- 2. Sign up for free
- 3. Get shopping and start raising

No catches, no hidden charges and St Joseph's will be really grateful for your donations. We hope to have you on board soon fundraiser! Elise Palmer

Please pray for the sick, housebound and those who care for them: Niamh Coyne, Pat Hopkins, Betty Gowers, Clive Stanbrook, David Ryan, Michael Moore, Archie Parsons, Heather Gerrard, Chris Browne, Mary Palmer, Emily Parker, Liz Gowers, Martin Prickett, Mel Roberts, Bridget Parkin, Julie Kelly, Tommy McAloon, Gabrielle Edwards, Derek Riley, Greg Steele, Ronnie Walker, Nicholas Summerfield.