



# St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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## Times of Mass & Services 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2016 THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY (C)

<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	Marian Sadler Int
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	People of the Parish
<b>Monday</b>	10.00 am	Sarah Dowd RIP
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.00 am	Holy Souls
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00 am	Pauline Hopkins RIP
<b>Thursday</b>	6.15 pm	Holy Souls
<b>Friday</b>	9.00 am	Holy Souls
<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	Harold Howarth RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	People of the Parish

**CONFESSIONS: Saturday after 5.30pm Mass**

**THE ART OF DYING WELL** is a new website that offers a helping hand to those grappling with issues around death and dying. Based in the Catholic tradition but open to all, it features real-life stories about dealing with the journey through death to eternal life. It will launch in November – the traditional month of remembering and praying for the dead. [www.artofdyingwill.org](http://www.artofdyingwill.org)

**Please take one of the Prayer Cards today.**

**MASS ON TUESDAY** is at 9am. The priests and deacons of the Deanery are meeting this morning in Broadway, beginning with Requiem Mass for the Deceased Clergy of the Deanery.

**WEDNESDAY 9<sup>th</sup> November** Liturgy Reflection Group meeting at 7pm in the Presbytery.

**HOLY HOUR THURSDAY EVENING** from 5.15 pm until Mass at 6.15 pm. Be with the Communion of Saints in the presence of God, interceding for the faithful departed.

**SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> November** Children's Liturgy.

**SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> November** Youth Day and Feast of Christ the King. Our young people will be participating fully with music, prayer and readings etc.

**NOVEMBER – THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS** There is a basket before the Altar during the Masses. You are invited to place the names of

those you are remembering especially in one of the envelopes and place it in the basket. A Novena of Masses is being offered.

**ANGEL TREE** is part of the Prison Fellowship in the UK. It was founded in 1982 by an ex-prisoner in America specifically for the children of prisoners. It is a charity and relies on donations, usually from local Churches. Last year over 70 Christmas presents were sent to the children of inmates in Long Lartin prison.

**THE PRACTICAL DETAILS.** Each prisoner fills in a form with details of his child and a suggested present (approx. £10-£15). He also writes a Christmas present label to his child. Volunteers then shop for appropriate presents which are wrapped with the father's message attached. There is always a special "wrapping day" early in December. **AT ST. JOSEPH'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.

### **OFFERTORY**

22/23 Oct: £122.91, plus £330 in Standing Orders.  
**Second Collection for Missio: £161.77. Thank you.**  
29/30 Oct: £104.18, plus £330 in Standing Orders.  
**Second Collection for Aid to the Church in Need: £279.51 Thank you.**

### **Please pray for the sick, housebound and those who care for them:**

Niamh Coyne, Pat Hopkins, Betty Gowers, Mary Normoyle, Clive Stanbrook, David Ryan, Michael Moore, John Fisher, Archie Parsons, Heather Gerard, Chris Browne, Brian Holberry, Mary Palmer, Emily Parker, Shelly & Margaret Gray, Phil Palmer, Liz Gowers, Mary Lamming, Martin Prickett, Peter Jones, Mel Roberts, Bridget Parkin, Enzo Buquet, Julie Kelly.