



# St. Joseph the Worker Bidford-on-Avon

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## Times of Mass & Services

16<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2019

### THIRTIETH SUNDAY (C)

<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	Norman Paton.
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	People of the Parish
<b>Monday</b>	10.00 am	Margaret & Peter Glenn
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00 am	Marion & Luke Murphy
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.00 am	Ted Hartnett & Family
<b>Thursday</b>	6.15 pm	Mary Moriarty Int
<b>Friday</b>	10.00 am	Julie Mullane Int
	6.15 pm	George Phillips Int
<b>Saturday</b>	5.30 pm	Julie Kelly RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	11.00 am	People of the Parish
<b>Confessions: after the 5.30 pm Sat evening Mass</b>		

#### **FRIDAY 1<sup>st</sup> NOV. SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS**

**Holyday of Obligation** There are two Masses here: 10.00 am and 6.15 pm.

#### **SATURDAY COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**

The Church will be open all day. We may gain one plenary indulgence for someone who has died by making a visit to the church and saying one Our Father and the Creed.

#### **EPISCOPAL VISITATION OF OUR PARISH THIS COMING WEEKEND**

His Grace, the Archbishop and Canon David Evans are undertaking the periodic visitation of the parishes in our deanery and two others over the coming months. Canon David is coming to our parish next weekend. ***Please come to the meeting with him in the Church at 6.30 pm on Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov.*** We will outline how the Archbishop's five priorities are being lived in our parish. This Visitation is an opportunity for us all to reflect on the outcomes of our parish consultation and forum in June 2016. There will be reports from our Committees. Please share in this overview of our parish's life and hear the Archbishop's guidance for the way ahead.

**THURSDAY HOLY HOUR** before the Blessed Sacrament 5.15 – 6.15 pm. Mass at 6.15 pm.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, JUNE 2020** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. 4pm in Church is the first meeting for all parents and children and short introductory lesson for children. Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov. 9-45-10.45 in the Presbytery – lesson. Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov. 11am Mass with enrolment for the children.

**BLESSING OF THE GRAVES** After 11.00 am Mass this coming Sun. 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov. we will gather at Bidford Cemetery for the Blessing of the Graves.

**"100 CLUB" SUBS** All Club members are reminded that it is time to submit our subs (cash and cheque payment) for the "100 Club". If you have already done so or pay by STO then no need to worry.

#### **CHRISTMAS CARDS TO YOUNG PEOPLE WHO HAVE SUFFERED INJUSTICE**

You are invited to a coffee morning at Zofia Jackson's on Wed. 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. at 10.00am. Kathy Stredder, from Amnesty, will have details of the young people. Last year we wrote over 100 cards. Please contact Zofia on 07954 176286.

**ANGEL TREE** was founded specifically for the children of prisoners. It is a charity and relies on donations. Last year about 80 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, a suggested present and writes a label. Volunteers then shop for appropriate presents (Costing around £15) which are wrapped with the father's message attached. There is always a special 'wrapping day' early in Dec. This year it is **WED DEC 4<sup>th</sup> at 9am at the House of the open Door Childswickham** AT ST. JOSEPH'S we have a team working for Angel Tree. The buying of gifts will start soon. If you would like to help by:- donation, buying/wrapping presents please talk to Fr Garry or Eileen

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK**

Michael David Moore, Pat Hopkins, Heather Gerard, Wendy Sternberg, Deirdre Thompson, Clive Stanbrook, Elizabeth Standing, Bridget Parkin, Tommy McAloon, Gabriel Edwardes, Ryan Clarke, Elise Palmer, Shay Murphy, George Leslie, John Meehan, Robert Lloyd-Jones.