

St. Bartholomew's Church

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4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 31st: 4th of the Year

6.15 (Sat eve) Fr James Carolin (Hymns)
8.30 Ellen Cranswick
10.00 Welfare of Fr Anthony Charlton
(Family Choir)
11.30 Carmelo D'Emanuele (Hymns)
5.00 All Parishioners

Monday 1st:

10.00 Gary Woods

Tuesday 2nd: Presentation our Our Lord

10.00 Thomas, Debra & Christy Gannon

Mass Times and Intentions

Wednesday 3rd:

10.00 Requiem for Leonard Phillips

Thursday 4th:

10.00 Welfare of Leonard Dunne

Friday 5th: St Agatha

10.00 Thomas Foy

Saturday 6th:

SS Paul Miki & Companions

10.00 John Joseph Murphy

Next Sunday 7th: 5th of the Year

6.15 (Sat eve) Thanksgiving (Hymns)
8.30 Kath Palframan
10.00 Anne Moran (Family Choir)
11.30 Bernard & Terry Jupp
(50th Wedding Anniversary) (Polyphony)
5.00 All Parishioners

Confessions:

Saturday 10.30-11.00am; 5.00-6.00pm

Morning Prayer of the Church:

Monday - Saturday 9.30am

Sick: John Armstrong, Monica Casey, John Douglas, Brian d'Souza, Len Dunne, Antonio Fernandes, Christina Joel, Ajitha Mahatantila, Karl Maxwell, Pat & Jess Power, Albert Rego, Albert Steiert, Josef Szumilas, Magdalen Sunich, Chris Sweeney, Liz Tivey, Esmlin Williams.

Thank You: Last week's collection was £1561 and £603 by Standing Order. The collection for the CAFOD Haiti appeal was £4,444 which includes a cheque for £1,000.

Church Cleaning This Week: Group 2

Eileen Doyle, Jackie Byrne, Barbara Baichu, Tracey Kewell, Helen Igbedion, Mary Duah, Okpete Kanu

Recently Deceased - Please pray for the repose of the soul John Williams of Norton Gardens, who died last weekend. His funeral will be on Friday 12th February at 10am.

The funeral for Alexandra D'Costa, of Hepworth Road, will be on Thursday 18th February.

Please pray also for the repose of the souls of June Simon, mother of Francesca Mosconi, a parishioner and teacher at St Andrew's School and Penny d'Gama, a parent at St James the Great School.

Our sympathy to families of all the bereaved.

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Education Sunday

Education Sunday is a national day of prayer and celebration for all those involved in offering a fuller life to our children and young adults by helping them to learn and grow. It is also a day to celebrate our teachers, support staff and governors and to thank them for their contribution to Catholic Education.

Second Collection for the Catholic Education Service.

Polyphony Choir Coffee Morning after all morning Masses. Super Sausage Sunday!

Welcome

We welcome into the Church through baptism Emma Patricia Rodrigues.

Next Sunday

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Multicultural Evening from after the 6.15pm Vigil Mass to 10.30pm. See under Saturday 6th for more information.

Coffee Morning after 10am and 11.30am Masses with Children's Liturgy Group.

This Week

Monday 1st

UCM - Meet at 8pm in the St Charles Room for a talk on 'Temples of Convenience' by Jo & John Taylor

Wednesday 3rd

Journey in Faith meet at 8pm in the Priest's House. Theme: Rites of Initiation.

Young Mothers Group meet at 8pm in the St James Room.

Friday 5th

First Friday - Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from after the 10am Mass until 2pm Benediction.

Saturday 6th

Guild of St Stephen's Medal Ceremony

We will be enrolling new members into the Guild of St Stephen at 10am Mass. Those being enrolled should be here by 9.45am.

First Communion Children will be making their First Reconciliation at 2.30pm. Please keep our children in your prayers as they take their next step toward receiving Our Lord in Holy Communion for the first time in May.

Multicultural Evening Parishioners are invited to bring a traditional dish from their country of origin, to share. Please indicate ingredients used. All food to be delivered to the Parish Hall, from 6pm onwards. We request that all utensils and crockery be clearly labelled with the donor's name. Please bring your own drinks. Soft drinks will be available.

Thank you to those people who have offered to help set up and clear up. Setting up will take place from 2:30pm.

Please contact Leah Mascarenhas, should you have any queries, on: 8764 8819

New Group for Over 55's

We will be starting a new Afternoon Club for over 55's on the second Friday of the month starting on 12th February from 2pm to 4pm. More details next week.

Thanks

St Mary's Family Centre at Upper Norwood have written to thank us for the toys that were handed in at the Christmas Masses:

'The toys are lovely and we will once again be able to use them for the children and families in need in our local community. Thank you also for your parishioners for their generosity'

The Cabrini Children's Society have also written:

Thank you to all the Parishioners of St Bartholomew's Church for your recent generous gift from your crib collection which totalled £711.

We appreciate the continued support of our work providing wide ranging services to children, young people, families and to adults with learning disabilities.

If you would like to find out more about our work or get involved, you can contact Ann on 8668 2181 or

email: ann.hoggan@cabrini.org.uk

You can also visit us online at www.cabrini.org.uk