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*This parish is part of the WRCDT  
Registered Charity Number 233699*

**WEEKLY GIVING**

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018  
Loose collection £609.32  
Envelopes £120.00  
Missio £106.32  
Restoration £1,509.46

*Thank you for your continued  
generous support*

**THE LAMPS ARE BURNING FOR:****SANCTUARY LAMPS**

Santana Dias

**LADY CHAPEL**

Giovanna Cardetti – RIP

*To have the lamps burning for your  
intentions, use an envelope at the back of  
the church or visit the website.*



# CORPUS CHRISTI

## THE DIOCESAN SHRINE OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

OCTOBER - MONTH DEDICATED TO  
THE HOLY ROSARY

**✠ HOLY MASS FOR THE WEEK – SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2018****✠ 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME****SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup>****✠ 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9.30am Mass  
11.30am Solemn Latin Mass (Ordinary Form)

*(Ps. Week 2)*

*Kathleen Slattery – RIP  
Pro Populo*

**MONDAY 29<sup>TH</sup>****BLESSED MARTYRS OF DOUAI COLLEGE**

1.05pm Mass  
6.30pm Mass – Extraordinary Form

*Conversion of England*

**TUESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup>****FERIA**

1.05pm Mass

*Laurence McGinty RIP – Anniversary*

**WEDNESDAY 31<sup>ST</sup>****FERIA**

1.05pm Mass

*Nicholas Leigh – Intentions*

**THURSDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER****✠ ALL SAINTS**

8.00am Mass – Extraordinary Form  
9.45am School Mass  
12.05pm Mass  
1.05pm Mass  
6.30pm Solemn Pontifical Mass

*Pro Populo*

*St Joseph's Primary School*

*Dympna – Intentions*

*Foundation Mass*

*Sodality Members*

**FRIDAY 2<sup>ND</sup>**

*(Friday Abstinence)*

**THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED (ALL SOULS)**

8.00am Mass – Extraordinary Form  
12.05pm Mass  
1.05pm Mass

*Bishop Friedrich Ostermann – RIP*

*All the Faithful Departed*

*Holy Father's Intentions*

**SATURDAY 3<sup>RD</sup>****ST WINIFRIDE, VIRGIN**

9.00am Church Cleaning – please come and help  
6.00pm Vigil Mass

*Mr & Mrs Hill Jeffries – Ints.*

**SUNDAY 4<sup>TH</sup>****✠ 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

*(Ps. Week 3)*

9.30am Mass  
11.30am Solemn Latin Mass (Ordinary Form)

*Kathleen McCarthy Tappin & Family*

*Pro Populo*

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** 12 – 1pm weekdays\*

**SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION:** 30 mins before Mass\*

\* except Tuesdays

**REGULAR PARISH GROUPS:**

**Sodality of the Blessed Sacrament:** First Thursday of the Month, 6:30pm, Mass, Adoration and Benediction with a different guest preacher each month. All welcome!

**Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Missal of 1962):** 6.30pm Mondays & Bank Holidays; 6:30pm Second Friday of the month (Contact Latin Mass Society Tel: 020 7404 7284)

**Eucharistic Prayer Group:** Young Adults Prayer Group each Wednesday 7pm in Church with Eucharistic Adoration and Rosary - Mass first Wednesday of the Month. Contact Annette: ccpguk@gmail.com

**CaAPA** (The Catholic Association for Performing Arts) 020 7240 1221

**St. John Paul II Prayer Group (Fraternity of St. Genesius)** 7.00pm on 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month – Mass, Benediction and Blessing with First Class Relic of Pope St. John Paul II.

**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour** Saturday evening after the Vigil Mass.

## HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION – THIS WEEK

**1<sup>st</sup> November is All Saints' Day** – and a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times here will be: 8am (EF), 9.45am {School Mass} 12.05pm, 1.05pm and a Pontifical Sung Mass, celebrated by Bishop John Wilson at 6.30pm. Lots of opportunities to fulfil your obligation!

**2<sup>nd</sup> November is All Souls' Day** – Masses here will be at 8am (EF), 12.05pm and 1.05pm. Whilst this is not a Holy Day of Obligation, it is important to pray for those who have died but not yet made it to Heaven. Let's hope that there will be people who pray for our souls after our own deaths. With that in mind....

### SOMETHING IMPORTANT TO DO IN NOVEMBER

During a time of quiet prayer, I'd like you to take some time, and visualise your Soul in your hands: think of lifting your Soul and all it contains to Heaven, as your Guardian Angel collects it from you and hands it back to God... just as it is at this very moment. And ask yourself this question: "Am I proud of what I am offering to God **at this very moment**; and is God happy with what I am offering him? Will this offering of my Soul and all it contains win Heaven for me? And if I'm not happy with what I see – what am I going to do about it?"

### NO ONE ELSE CAN SORT IT OUT FOR ME!

For on the day of our death – whenever that might be - this action will be a reality for each and every one of us. And when will that be – we don't know. So let's be prepared for that great day by keeping ourselves reconciled with and close to the Lord.

### LET US PRAY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

November is dedicated to the faithful departed, particularly those who have died but have not yet achieved their heavenly goal. The recent Sunday Mass readings have reminded us that our entry into heaven depends upon the earthly life we have lived and our relationship with God and His Church.

**Once we have died we cannot pray for ourselves**, and so we will all have to rely on those who are left behind. It is so important for us to pray for the departed: it may be your prayers or mine, or the Masses we offer during November, that enable another soul to enter into the joy and glory of the Kingdom of the Lord. This is the reason that the Eucharistic Prayer has a mention of the departed every time the Mass is offered: we need to help those who have died, just as we ourselves shall need the help of those on earth to achieve our own eternal happiness after our own death. As is Catholic custom, there are envelopes at the back of the church, along with intention sheets for the Masses we shall offer during November for the faithful departed in Purgatory.

**Please return your list and donation as soon as possible.**

Praying for the dead is one of the Spiritual Works of Mercy, and as Pope Francis reminds us often, mercy is a ministry to which all Catholics are called to exercise daily.

*Fr Alan Robinson*

## MASS INTENTIONS

There are Masses available in the Mass Book - please use the envelopes at the back of the church or visit the website. "Put all the good works in the world against one Holy Mass; they will be as a grain of sand beside a mountain." – St. John Vianney

### SODALITY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The next Sodality Mass is at 6.30pm **on this coming Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> November – All Saints' Day** and our guest preacher will be **Bishop John Wilson**, an Auxiliary Bishop in this Diocese. The confraternity meets on a monthly basis for Mass, Adoration and Benediction, adoring Jesus truly present in the Blessed Sacrament and the Mass is offered for the intentions of members. Leaflets containing application forms are available at the back of the church, or you can join online at [sodality.co.uk](http://sodality.co.uk)

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you would like to prepare for any of the Sacraments of the Church, please contact Fr Alan in the Parish Office.

### SEVEN DAY LAMPS

Seven Day Lamps are available from the Presbytery for £5. You can also have the Sanctuary Lamps burning for a particular intention of yours. Envelopes are available at the back of the church.

### A BREAKFAST BONUS

Some of you come into the church in the mornings, on your way to work or when taking your children to school: coming to see the Lord, telling Him what's happening in your day. And so, as from **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November**, there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at Corpus Christi on weekdays (excluding Tuesdays), **from 7.30am until 8.30am**. I hope some of you and your friends, will also come and kneel before the Lord in this beautiful Shrine of peace and devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.

### A PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP

A few weeks ago we celebrated the Centenary of Padre Pio receiving the Visible Stigmata. It was a great evening, and the church was packed to the doors. This has made me think: would **YOU** be interested in joining a Padre Pio Prayer Group if we could establish one in this parish? We would meet once a month for Mass, Homily, Exposition and Benediction. We could also obtain a relic for veneration. What do you think?

Ask your friends too, if they would like to join. If there is enough interest, I'll move things forward.

### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

**11<sup>th</sup> November is Remembrance Sunday** and the 11.30am Mass will be a Requiem for all those fallen in battle.

### PRAYER FOR TODAY

Almighty ever-living God, increase our faith, hope and charity, and make us love what you command, so that we may merit what you promise. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

**OUR BENEFACTORS** In your charity, may I please ask you to remember regularly the Benefactors of this parish in your prayers – without their generosity we could never have carried out all the work to restore this Shrine. We are most grateful to them for their kindness.

### Our sick parishioners and friends

Bernadette & Brian Davidson, Anthony Stanes, Peter Noakes, Tony Pearce, Mgr Frederik Miles, Francis Bodis, David Jordan, Bill Tomlinson, Christopher Browne, Margaret Griffith, Pascal James, Jean Bernard, Brian Keenan, Sid Shepherd, Terry Miles, John Hughes, Warren Peterson, Nicholas Pollock, Jack Ward, Traute Pollock, Noël Tobin, Geoff Smale, David Michael Barrett, Christopher Browne, John Lynch, Peter Georgeson, Colin Folan, Ann Gorman, Janet Seeley, Margaret Hopley DGCHS

**Of your charity – please pray for those who have died recently:** Bishop Friedrich Ostermann, Fr George Dangerfield, Rosaleen Hunt, Craig, Fr. Michael Durand, Fr Philip Mathias, Jean-Louis Cardinal Tauran, Rosa Silvester, Fr James Minogue, Marie Fe Lorenzo Ruiz, Fr Patrick Sammon, Dennis Gunn, Bishop Francis Walmsley, Sergio Alves