

The Parish of St Dunstan and St Jude

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

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Sat 11 th	<i>St Barnabas</i>	11.00am	Holy Mass	Tom Mellett (RIP) Pro Populo
		<i>11.30am-1.00pm</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
		<i>11.30am-12.30pm and 4.45pm-5.15pm</i>	<i>Confessions</i>	
		5.30pm	Vigil Mass	Jim Ranford (RIP)
Sun 12 th	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	9.15am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Mary and Michael Dunleavy (RIP)
		10.30am	Holy Mass	Maryam Ghaly (RIP)
		12noon	Holy Mass	Conway family (Ints.)
		6.30pm	Holy Mass	Pat Cosgrove (RIP)
Mon 13 th	<i>St Anthony of Padua</i>	9.30am	Holy Mass	Dileep
		11.00am	Requiem Mass	Patricia Taylor (RIP)
Tues 14 th	<i>Feria</i>	10.00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Charlotte (Shirley) Gorman (RIP)
		7.00pm	Holy Mass	John McCormack (RIP)
Wed 15 th	<i>Feria</i>	9.30am	Holy Mass	Matthew Thomas
		<i>5.00pm</i>	<i>Vigil and reception</i>	John Meenaghan (RIP)
Thurs 16 th	<i>Feria</i>	9.30am (<i>St Alban's School</i>)	Holy Mass	Trevor Corbett (RIP)
		11.15am	Requiem Mass	John Meenaghan (RIP)
		7.00pm	Holy Mass	Clifford Dennis (RIP)
Fri 17 th	<i>Feria</i>	9.30am	Holy Mass	Edward Lawlor
			<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St Dunstan's after Mass until the evening Mass</i>	
		7.00pm	Latin EF Mass	Ann and James Redmond (RIP)
Sat 18 th	Dedication of the Cathedral	11.00am	Holy Mass	Paddy Farrell (RIP) Pro Populo
		<i>11.30am-1.00pm</i>	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
		<i>11.30am-12.30pm and 4.45pm-5.15pm</i>	<i>Confessions</i>	
		5.30pm	Holy Mass	Patrick Cunningham (RIP)
Sun 19 th	SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI	9.15am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Hilda and Eddie Walsh (RIP)
		10.30am	Holy Mass	St Alban's Primary School Community
		12 noon	Holy Mass	Marion Maddox (RIP)
		6.30pm	Holy Mass	Patrick and Nora Cooney (RIP)

THE ANGELUS

The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.
And she conceived by the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary...

Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
Let it be done to me according to thy word.
Hail Mary....

And the Word was made flesh (*genuflect*)
And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary...

Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. **Pour forth, we beseech thee O Lord, thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the incarnation of Christ thy Son was made known by the message of an angel, may by his + passion and cross be brought into the glory of his resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen**

Welcome to Mass! The 9.15am and &&10.30am Masses today is *the Family Mass* with a group of children from our schools helping in the liturgy.
Today is very important day for Kerry Rawlins who will be baptized, confirmed and receive her first Holy Communion at St Jude's today.

Other adults have also been preparing for some time to become Catholics by receiving the sacraments of initiation. Preparation for this important moment in their lives is by instruction and committed attendance at Sunday Mass. For those who are thinking about that possibility for them, there will be another *Sycamore Course* for adults, a first stage for those who want to find out a bit more about the Catholic faith.

On Sunday July 17th Martin Casey will be ordained a permanent deacon of the diocese at St Chad's Cathedral. Please do pray for Martin in these last few weeks of preparation, and we look forward to him being part of the clergy team of the parish.

Sunday Singing Group meet approximately half an hour before both Sunday morning Masses at St Dunstan's to practise the hymns for the day. It would be wonderful to have some extra faces (and voices) to join us at either Mass.

This week a number of children of the parish, from St Dunstan's and St Jude's school, will be receiving their first Holy Communion at Masses during the week.

Lord Jesus, bless the children coming forward to receive Holy communion for the first time.

May this day be the step forward to a life-long love of the Eucharist.

Give them a hunger for this sacred food so that they may turn to you for comfort, guidance and wisdom as they grow into full discipleship.

Thank you for their innocence and goodness.

May their reverence in receiving this precious gift of your Body and Blood inspire all of us to cherish the Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Easter Garden Return of Plant Loans. A special thank you to all those who let us use their plants and orchids for the Easter Garden. The garden has been dismantled and plants, orchids etc have been left in the entrance corridor for your collection. Thank you again for your kindness and support.

Thank you to everybody who came to the Jubilee party last Sunday, it was a wonderful celebration, despite the rain! Thank you also to everybody who planned and organised this event and to everybody who helped out on the day. It would be wonderful to have more social events, but we could do with more helpers for this. If you can help with organising or help on the day, please contact Dawn at the Parish office.

St Dunstan's church opening this week:

8.30am – 12.30pm Monday to Wednesday.

10.30am – 12.30pm Thursday due to Godfrey's organ exam.

8.30am - 7.30pm on Friday for exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

WINDOW: the summer issue is now being assembled. Item deadline 19th June. We are looking for items about the Jubilee celebrations, what Kings Heath was like in 1952, and how people are helping Ukrainian families as well as other articles, jokes and pictures. Send to robertwilcher@btinternet.com or 179 Alcester Road South, B14 6DD, or drop into the presbytery marked WINDOW.

We pray for those who have died recently: Jean Faulkner, Charlotte (Shirley) Gorman, Kitty Goldberg (Requiem Mass 28th June at 10am), Graham Reynolds (Funeral Service Monday 20th June at 2.15pm), Thomas Moreland, and William Edward Behan.

We pray for those who are being Baptised today: Shay and Rory Corrigan at St Dunstan's.

Next Baptism Preparation Meeting is on Tuesday 5th July at 7.45pm in St Dunstan's Church. If you wish to attend, please contact the Parish office and leave your name and phone number.

Prayer Group is not on today.

Lectio Divina in the Conference Room after Monday Mass to reflect on the following Sunday's Gospel.

Little Lambs: A chance for a coffee and chat with other parents, grandparents and carers whilst the children play in a COVID safe environment. Come and join us in the Conference Room from 10.15am to 12.15pm this Friday.

Youth Club. Are you aged 7 to 13years? Come and join us in the Conference Room on Friday from 6pm to 7.30pm, and meet other young people sharing faith, fun and games. Everybody is welcome.

Cheese and Wine Evening hosted by the Knights of St Columba on the 24th June at 7.30pm in the Conference Room. Tickets are £5. If you would like to go, please contact Sean O'Keeffe on 01384 596 430 or seanpokeeffe2@gmail.com.

ENTRANCE HYMN

1. Firmly I believe and truly
God is three, and God is One,
and I next acknowledge duly
manhood taken by the Son.
2. And I trust and hope most fully
in that manhood crucified;
and each thought and deed unruly
do to death, as he has died.
3. Simply to his grace and wholly
light and life and strength belong,
and I love supremely, solely,
him the holy, him the strong.
4. And I hold in veneration,
for the love of him alone,
Holy Church, as his creation,
and her teachings, as his own.
5. Adoration aye be given,
with and through the angelic host,
to the God of earth and heaven,
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

COLLECT

God our Father, who by sending into the world the Word of truth and the Spirit of sanctification made known to the human race your wondrous mystery, grant us, we pray that in professing the true faith, we may acknowledge the Trinity of eternal glory and adore your Unity, powerful in majesty.

A reading from the book of Proverbs (8:22-31)

The Wisdom of God cries aloud:

The Lord created me when his purpose first unfolded, before the oldest of his works. From everlasting I was firmly set, from the beginning, before earth came into being. The deep was not, when I was born, there were no springs to gush with water. Before the mountains were settled, before the hills, I came to birth; before he made the earth, the countryside, or the first grains of the world's dust. When he fixed the heavens firm, I was there, when he drew a ring on the surface of the deep, when he thickened the clouds above, when he fixed fast the springs of the deep, when he assigned the sea its boundaries – and the waters will not invade the shore – when he laid down the foundations of the earth, I was by his side, a master craftsman, delighting him day after day, ever at play in his presence, at play everywhere in his world, delighting to be with the sons of men.

**R: How great is your name, O Lord our God,
through all the earth!**

When I see the heavens, the work of your hands,
the moon and the stars which you arranged,
what is man that you should keep him in mind,
mortal man that you care for him? **R.**

Yet you have made him little less than a god;
with glory and honour you crowned him,
gave him power over the works of your hand,
put all things under his feet. **R.**

All of them, sheep and cattle,
yes, even the savage beasts,
bird of the air, and fish
that make their way through the waters. **R.**

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans
(*Romans 5:1-5*)

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, by faith we are judged righteous and at peace with God, since it is by faith and through Jesus that we have entered this state of grace in which we can boast about looking forward to God's glory. But that is not all we can boast about; we can boast about our sufferings. These sufferings bring patience, as we know, and patience brings perseverance, and perseverance brings hope, and this hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit;
the God who is, who was, and who is to come.
Alleluia!

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John
(John 16:12-15)

Jesus said to his disciples: I still have many things to say to you but they would be too much for you now. But when the Spirit of truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth, since he will not be speaking as from himself but will say only what he has learnt; and he will tell you of the things to come. He will glorify me, since all he tells you will be taken from what is mine. Everything the Father has is mine; that is why I said: *All he tells you will be taken from what is mine.*

OFFERTORY HYMN

1. Father, I know that your love for me knows no bounds.
When darkness has fallen your voice from the heavens resounds.
Saying "Trust and believe, come and walk on my road to its end."
Then take me home Father, Spirit and Son,
my master and friend.
2. Spirit, I know that your truth is spoken each day.
But power and greed change the creed, leaving truth to decay.
So let the heavens resound with hosannas to you,
Holy One,
For in you Father, Spirit and Son,
the battle is won.
3. Jesus, I know that your love for me has no end.
My faith growing stronger each day that on you I depend.
When my doubting subsides, when I'm finally brought to my knees;
Through my prayer, Father, Spirit and Son,
your grace is revealed.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

Sanctify by the invocation of your name, we pray, O Lord our God, this oblation of our service, and by it make us an eternal offering to you.

POST HOLY COMMUNION HYMN

1. Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy One is here.
Come, bow before him now,
with reverence and fear.
In him no sin is found,
we stand on holy ground
Be still, for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy one is here.
2. Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
He burns with Holy fire,
with splendour he is crowned.
How awesome is the sight.
Our radiant King of light!
Be still for the glory of the Lord
Is shining all around.
3. Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place,
He comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister his grace.
No work too hard for him,
in faith receive from him;
Be still, for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

May receiving this Sacrament, O Lord our God, bring us health of body and soul, as we confess your eternal holy Trinity and undivided Unity.

RECESSIONAL HYMN

1. Sweet Heart of Jesus! Fount of love and mercy,
Today we come thy blessings to implore;
Oh touch our hearts so cold and so ungrateful,
And make them Lord, thine own for evermore.

*Sweet Heart of Jesus! We implore,
Oh, make us love thee, more and more.*
2. Sweet Heart of Jesus! Make us know and love thee.
Unfold to us the treasures of thy grace.
That so our hearts, from things of earth uplifted,
May long alone to gaze upon thy face.

The organ voluntary today is: *Felix Mendelssohn, Prelude & Fugue in C minor, op.37 no.1*

GUIDANCE FOR HOLY COMMUNION

There have been occasions where people have walked away with the sacred host without consuming it.

It is very important for the respect we ought to give to the most Holy Sacrament, that:

1. You remove your face covering from your mouth immediately before receiving communion so that you can receive.
2. If you do receive the Holy Eucharist in the hand, consume the host immediately before stepping away from the priest.
3. It is also respectful to leave a reasonable space before the person in front of you. There's no rush, and we won't run out of the Blessed Sacrament.

COLLECTIONS:

	St Dunstan's	St Jude's
Gift Aid	£ 459.82	£ 82.40
Non-Gift Aid	£ 639.85	£ 77.88
May Standing Orders:	£1,639.00	£342.00

*There will be a second collection **this weekend** for Day for Life.*