

# St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018

TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(Year B)

## Mass Times and Intentions:

### 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2018

6.15pm (Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2018)

Carmen & Sauveur Vella RIP

8.30am People of the parish

10am Pietro Mobile RIP

11.30am Mathew Nguyen Van Hue RIP

(Plainchant Choir singing)

#### 4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm Victims of the tsunami in Indonesia

### Twenty ninth week in Ordinary Time:

#### Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2018

##### St John Paul II, Pope (Memorial)

7.30am Michael Ryan RIP

10am John David Robertson RIP

#### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2018

7.30am Martin McGowan RIP

10am Mickie Cremin RIP

#### Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2018

7.30am Holy Souls

10am Anthony Agius RIP

#### Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2018

7.30am Ann Strain RIP

10am Denis Onwuekwe RIP (anniversary)

#### Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2018

7.30am Ellis Foundation Mass

10am UCM intention

#### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2018

##### Our Lady

10am Tony & Raneé Tambirasa,

50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

#### Next Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018

##### 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

6.15pm (Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2018)

People of the parish

(NB: Clocks go back one hour overnight,

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup>/Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> October)

8.30am Special intention

10am Barry & Erna Breese

64<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

(LIFE Coffee morning after this Mass)

11.30am Dominic Cu Van Tran RIP

(Hymn Choir singing)

(LIFE Coffee morning after this Mass)

#### 4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm John Joseph Murphy RIP

## Daily Mass & Prayer

\*Mass: Monday - Friday: 7.30am

\*Morning Prayer of the Church

Monday - Saturday: 9.15am

\*Adoration & Benediction.

Monday - Saturday: 9.30am

\*Mass: Monday - Saturday: 10am

\*Rosary: Monday - Saturday: 10.30am

\*Confessions:

Saturday, after 10am Mass, until 11am;

then in the afternoon from 5pm to 6pm.

(and at call, if a priest is available.)

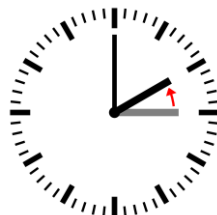
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Thank you for your continuous generosity:  
Last weekend's collection came to **£1946.00**  
(£1296.00 Baskets; £650.00 Standing Orders).  
You also most generously gave **£1146.00** to  
the **CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Collection.**

## WORLD MISSION DAY

This falls today, and there will be a **special collection** for **MISSIO**, which supports evangelisation by the missions across the world. Through this organisation, our bishops send aid to bishops in other countries, and they ensure the equitable and just distribution of funds on the basis of need. Special **MISSIO** envelopes, which all may use, are available in all porch areas. **All those who wish to Gift Aid their offering should use these envelopes. There is not a parish Gift Aid envelope for this collection. Therefore, the contents of any parish Gift Aid envelopes will be emptied into the baskets.**

!!!!BRITISH SUMMER TIME  
ENDS NEXT WEEKEND!!!!



Don't forget that all your clocks,  
watches and various devices must be  
**turned back by one hour**  
**next Saturday night.**

## Please pray for our Sick and Housebound Parishioners:

Jessica Anane, Lilian Armstrong,  
Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiére,  
Anita Blaquiére, Barry Breese,  
Erna Breese, Frances Caulfield,  
Jean Cowie, Reeda D'Souza,  
Audrey Draude, Teresa Florek-Smail,  
Raffaella Forte, Raffaele Forte,  
Giovanni Franco, Rachel Gadd,  
Elaine Gunther, Anna Harris,  
Agnes Healy, Evelyn Hyland,  
Baby Scarlett Kurowski, David Lacey,  
Elsie McCleave, James McDonald,  
Breda McDonagh, Michael Madigan,  
Ajitha Mahatantila, Gerard Mascarenhas,  
Ruby Mendez, Mary Meyern,  
Maria Parnis, Parwar Saib,  
Frederic Saint-Rose, Alice Scott,  
Elizabeth Scott, Christine Shaughnessy,  
Tony Tambirasa, Edythe Thirlwall,  
Monica Vergara, Mary White,  
Ethelda Williams, Carole Winch,  
John Windsor, Charmaine Wise,  
Georgette Yoo Foo, Tony Zammit.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the happy repose of the  
soul of **Magdalen (Maggie) Sunich**,  
of Tankerville Road, who died on Sunday  
14<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Our condolences and  
prayers as a parish go out to the family.  
Funeral details will follow in due course.

## LIFE COFFEE MORNING NEXT SUNDAY

Come and join us after the 10am &  
11.30am Masses next Sunday, for  
delicious homemade cakes and  
refreshments, with knitted goods  
available. See: [www.lifecharity.org.uk](http://www.lifecharity.org.uk)

## SCHOOL REFERENCE INTERVIEWS FOR 2019

Dates and times are displayed in the main  
porch, as are application forms. A Family  
Photo must be provided.  
**NO APPOINTMENT REQUIRED.**

### **Church Cleaning: Group 3 this week please:**

Jeannette Da Silva, Brigid Griffin, Joyce Ippoliti,

Berni Knight, Christiana Muoghalu,

Antoinette Nwanoneze, Blessing Otite.

*We really need more people to help in the task of cleaning God's house. So, if you would like to join one or more of our church cleaning groups, please contact the Parish Office*

### **ADOREMUS**

Jade and Rob, our Adoremus delegates will speak briefly about their experience at Adoremus at all Masses on October 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>. Please take one of the special prayer cards which are located in all the porch areas. On the reverse of these cards, you will find some helpful descriptions of Adoration and the Eucharist

### **READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

Please can you send in your dates for November 2018, December 2018, Christmas and January 2019 ASAP. The November rota should be issued by next weekend.

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Please use one envelope per intention. Please note that there is NOT a charge for saying Masses. You are simply invited to make an offering towards the work of the Church.

As a guide, most people tend to offer £10.00. Never feel embarrassed about making an offering if you can't afford to.

Please note that if you are a member of our Gift Aid Scheme, you may Gift Aid your Mass offerings.

### **PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE ABORTION LAW**

Please write urgently to your MP, asking them to vote against the decriminalisation of abortion. There are special cards in the porch, which you can complete and send to your MP. Please remember to affix a stamp. A Ten Minute Rule Bill will be introduced on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2018.

### **HOLY WATER**

For those of you who wish to replenish your Holy Water supply in your homes, we now have a special container which has a tap, so that you may fill your own container.

The container, a metal churn, may be found in the Retro Chapel, on a shelf in the left hand corner beside the Sanctuary. It is accessible by going through the archway beside Our Lady's Altar. Please be considerate of others, when using this facility, and try to avoid blocking the way.

### **CHILDREN'S LITURGY – SUNDAYS AT 10AM**

The Children's Liturgy Group runs every Sunday during Term time at the 10am Mass. It is open to all children from school nursery age to Year 3, and it teaches the Gospel in an age-appropriate way.

Unfortunately, we are currently short of adult helpers, which means we can't guarantee running the group every week. If you are interested in joining our small team, please contact Linda Harries (07770 623230), [l.harries@gmail.com](mailto:l.harries@gmail.com)) and she can arrange for you to come along to a session to see what we are all about. You would not be called on more than once a month.

No prior experience is necessary, and full training will be provided. To ensure the safety of the children and in order to comply with Diocesan Safeguarding policy, all helpers will need to have a DBS check carried out, the cost of which will be borne by the parish.

### **AN EXCELLENT OPPURTUNITY FOR AN ORGANIST**

**Our Polyphony Choir requires an organist.** You should be at **grade six or above**, with a desire to improve. Good sight-reading would be an advantage; patience with note bashing, and a good sense of humour would be invaluable!

Most importantly, you must be able to offer a commitment to two Tuesday evening rehearsals (20:00 to 21:30) per month, and 11:30 Masses on first Sundays (not August) plus Christ the King (11:30), Christmas Carol Concert (14:30), Christmas Midnight (23:30), Maundy Thursday (20:00), Good Friday (15:00) and Easter Vigil (20:30).

The stipend is negotiable according to experience.

We would welcome anyone interested in filling the position to come along and meet us all. You would be welcome to spend a couple of Tuesdays with us without commitment.

This well renowned choir, which is an integral part of parish life, will celebrate its 50<sup>th</sup> year in 2019, and enjoys a happy social aspect to its work.

You will become part of a great and happy team!

Please contact our Director of Music, Tony Price on 020 8647 4435 or [director@polychoir.co.uk](mailto:director@polychoir.co.uk) for further information on this opportunity.

### **ESTABLISHING A REGULAR MASS FOR OUR YOUTH**

Together, as a parish, we are actively seeking ways to engage and accompany our young people, helping to provide an environment for them to encounter Christ.

This is timely, as it follows the recent synod in Rome, "Young People, The Faith and Vocational Discernment".

As part of this initiative, the parish is starting a Youth

Mass, aimed at those who have just received their Confirmation, which will be held on the **LAST SUNDAY** of each month at 5pm. We want this to be a mass for the youth, with strong involvement by the youth. We would like as many young people as possible to get involved in organising the mass. You could get involved in the choir (singing, or playing an instrument), Readings, Altar serving, collections and organising the mass in general.

We shall hold a social after the mass in the church hall.

The next Youth Mass will be at 5pm on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup>

November 2018. Please contact Linda Leggett:

[linda.leggett@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:linda.leggett@hotmail.co.uk) (07841978993)

or Bernadette Pereira: [bernadettepd@hotmail.com](mailto:bernadettepd@hotmail.com) (07906959364) if you would like to be involved.

### **GIFT AID**

If you would like to enquire about joining the Gift Aid Scheme, please contact the Gift Aid Organiser via the Parish Office.

If you are a taxpayer, and meet the requirements of the scheme, the Church can reclaim from HMRC an extra 25p for each pound you put into the collection, at no extra cost to yourself!

### **LOST PROPERTY**

Several pairs of spectacles have been found. These, along with other items, may be found in the middle drawer in the main porch. Please take a look to see if anything belongs to you.