

# St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2018

CHRIST THE KING LAST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## Mass Times and Intentions:

*Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

*Last Sunday in Ordinary Time*

6.15pm (Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2018)

Carmen & Sauveur Vella RIP

8.30am People of the parish

10am Fr Michael Jones (Foundation Mass)

(LIFE Coffee Morning after this Mass)

11.30am Deceased members of

St Bartholomew's choirs

(Foundation Mass)

(Polyphony Choir singing)

(LIFE Coffee Morning after this Mass)

**4pm Benediction**

5pm John Joseph Murphy RIP

*Thirty fourth week in Ordinary Time:*

*Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

7.30am Margaret Smith RIP

10am Anthony Agius RIP

*Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

7.30am Dunleavy Family

10am Dominic & Hazi Mascarenhas RIP

*Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

7.30am Ellis Foundation Mass

10am Sylvette Mungur RIP

*Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

7.30am Mary Houlihan RIP

10am Fr Leo Staples (Missionary, Kenya)

*Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018*

*St Andrew, Apostle,*

*Patron Saint of Scotland (Feast)*

7.30am George O'Connor RIP

10am UCM deceased members & families

*Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018*

*Our Lady*

10am Mick Lynch RIP

*Next Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018*

*First Sunday of Advent*

6.15pm (Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018)

Cesare Verilli RIP

8.30am Eugene Lopez RIP

10am People of the parish

11.30am Fr Michael Jones,

(40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination)

(Polyphony Choir singing)

**4pm Benediction**

5pm Mary Durkin 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.)

**Parish Mass Book: This Sunday P.160**

**Thank you for your continuous generosity:**

**Last weekend's collection came to £1931.00**

(£1281.00 Baskets; £650.00 Standing Orders).

There will be a **second collection** today for **Catholic Youth Work**. This supports youth work in our archdiocese and beyond, and in particular the **Southwark Catholic Youth Service**. Would all Gift Aiders, including those who give by Standing Order, please use the yellow envelope which is specially marked for this collection. Please make any cheques payable to St Bartholomew's Church.

## WELCOME

We welcome into the family of the Catholic Church,

**Pierce Joseph Leonard-Price** who was Baptised here last weekend

## RECENTLY DECEASED

The funeral of **Margaret Oleksin**, late of Copley Park, will take place here on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 10am.

## CAFOD WORLD GIFTS CATALOGUE

Please take away one of these special catalogues and consider helping those less fortunate than yourself by buying them a specific gift, which will be delivered on your behalf by CAFOD. You may also give such gifts on behalf of other, as an alternative to giving them Christmas gifts. It's great way to keep Christ's love for the poorest members of our global family at the heart of Christmas giving.

## Please pray for our Sick and Housebound Parishioners:

Jessica Anane, Lilian Armstrong, Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiere, Anita Blaquiere, 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, 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.



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## **COFFEE MORNING TODAY WITH LIFE**

After the 10am & 11.30am Masses

Proceeds to Zoe's Place Children's Hospice. Come and enjoy delicious home made cakes and refreshments.

Knitted goods will also be on sale. Please see:

<http://www.zoes-place.org>

## **Church Cleaning: Group 2 this week please:**

Barbara Baichu, Jackie Byrne, Mary Duah,

Doris Fosua, Helen Igbedion, Mary Odusanya,

To join our cleaners, please contact the Parish Office.

## **CONFIRMATION 2019**

Application Forms and Photograph Consent Forms are now available from the Parish Office.

Evidence of your child's Baptism is required.

Completed forms must be returned to the Parish Office no later than Sunday 2nd December 2018.

## **ROTA**

Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are asked to provide availability for Christmas 2018 and January 2019 by next weekend..

## **REPOSITORY**

Many Christmas items are still available. If there is ever anything you want to buy, but it is not in stock, please ask, and we shall try to get it for you.

## **PARISH DIARY 2019**

Now available in the Repository. These proved most popular last year, and so we have had them printed much earlier this time around. Rather than make a specific charge, we ask that you make a small offering

## **HALL ENTRY FOBS**

There is now a new fob entry unit for the hall. Please would ALL key holders arrange to call at the Parish Office as soon as possible, in order to exchange their old fob for a new one

## **ST JAMES THE GREAT CHRISTMAS FAYRE**

This takes place next Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> December from 11am to 3pm. You will find all sorts of festive stalls, and plenty to eat and drink. There will be a small entry charge of £1, which only applies to adults.

## **CHILDREN'S NATIVITY PLAY**

Budding actors and actresses, singers and narrators are needed for this year's Nativity Tableau, to be produced by the Children's Liturgy Group. This takes place on Christmas Eve at 6pm, followed by the Children's Mass at 6.15pm. Rehearsal will be Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2018 from 3pm – 4.30pm in the church, with costumes being provided that afternoon. Roles are for children of school nursery age to year 3; Carols singers and narrators from year 4 upwards. Please email Linda Harries on: [l.harries@gmail.com](mailto:l.harries@gmail.com) or call her on 07770 623230 by 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

## **BARTS SENIORS CHARITY RAFFLE**

Tickets available at £1.00 each after Masses this Sunday and next Sunday. Draw 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

## **ALTAR SERVING AT CHRISTMAS**

Please would Altar Servers sign up for Christmas Masses on the posters in the Sacristy. Please note that we need Servers for the Christmas Eve Family Mass at 6.15pm as well as Midnight Mass. The usual Morning Masses will take place on Christmas Day, which will be on a Tuesday this year. Please note that there will be NO Benediction or 5pm Mass on Christmas Day. Practices, in each case lasting 30 minutes will be held as follows:

For Family Mass - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December at 6.00pm

For Midnight Mass - Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> December at 6.30pm

There will also be a Midnight Mass on New Year's Eve. (no practice, but please arrive for 11.30pm to prepare.)

## **CTS**

The CTS rack now contains pamphlets to help you during Advent and Christmas, along with many other pocket-sized booklets on aspects of the Catholic faith. You may also be interested in the "10-Minute diary", designed as an aid to prayer throughout 2019. A copy of this may be found in the Repository. An ideal gift, additional copies may be ordered on request; they usually arrive quite quickly.

The CTS Calendar for 2019 is also available from the Repository. If these run out, we can always order some more.

## **PARISH MASS BOOKS**

December marks the beginning of the Season of Advent, and the Parish Mass Book for Year C will come into use, with the purple cover. Coincidentally, we see the return of purple vestments too. We have also now purchased extra copies of all the Parish Mass Books which we use, so there are now far more to go round. Please take care of these and all our books. If you should ever need to borrow a copy, please be sure to ask one of the priests first.

## **DEFIBRILLATORS AND FIRST AID KITS**

You will notice to the far side of the gallery entrance in the church that there is now a defibrillator and a first aid kit. The defibrillator may be used by any hearing person, and will talk you clearly through the procedure required. It must NOT be used on any child below the age of 5 years. The same applies to the lower hall, where the equipment has been placed on the wall in the main foyer. It is absolutely essential that they should never be touched except when needed. All hall users, including uniformed groups, are asked to ensure that those in their care NEVER open or play around with this life-saving and indeed most expensive equipment. This policy also applies to fire extinguishers, which should NEVER have the plastic holding tags removed except when extinguishers are to be used.