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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflection: Jesus' teaching about divorce and remarriage can be a challenging one for many people. The Church continues to uphold the strong and positive teaching of Jesus that God intends for a man and woman to make a lifelong commitment to one another in the Sacrament of Marriage. Many of us, however, know people whose marriage has not been a lifelong commitment. The example of Jesus teaches us that we are called to act with compassion and love in our relationships with all, and especially when people are hurting because of difficulties in their relationships. Most importantly, we remember that when marriages thrive, it is a sign of God's grace at work.

Please Pray for the Sick: Yoland Rahim, P J Tunney, Veronica Ugo, Lily Rahim, Patrick O'Reilly, John Pat Hillman, Clément, Teresa, Masie, and Joy Howell.

Please also pray those who have died recently and all the Souls of the faithful departed.

Sat	02/10	5:30 pm	Vigil Mass of Sunday	Mary McLynn (10 year Anniversary)
Sun	03/10	11 am	27 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Gloria (Private Intention)
Fri	08/10	6 pm	Feria	
Sat	09/10	5:30 pm	Vigil Mass of Sunday	
Sun	10/10	11 am	28 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	

Confessions

Confession appointments are via email or calls only. See details above.

Baptism Preparation Course

The dates of the next courses for parents of children between the ages of **0-3 years** are **Friday October 15th** and **Friday December the 10th 2021 @ 7 pm.** Please send your Child's details to: stcatherine.bham@rcaob.org.uk. Please include your child's full name and date of birth.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Communion

The next date for the Holy Communion preparation course will be on the **17th of October 2021.**

CAFOD: A family fast day has been arranged for the 10th of October for CAFOD.

Masses at SS. Johns and Martins: See link below; <http://www.ssjohnandmartin.org.uk/>

October Devotion: Dates, Time and Venue

Please see below, if you will be attending, write your name on the sheets provided at the church entrance.

Date	Time	Venue
Fri 1st October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Sat 2nd October 2021	5:00 pm	St Cath
Sun 3rd October 2021	10:30 am	St Cath
Mon 4th October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Tues 5th October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Wed 6th October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Thurs 7th October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Fri 8th October 2021	5:30 pm	St Cath
Sat 9th October 2021	6:00 pm	SS J&M

Parish Lottery: Our Parish Lottery Club is still ongoing. Thanks to everyone that continued to support the parish through the Lottery Scheme. Congratulations to everyone that won. All Winners will be contacted.

Winning Numbers.

Month/2021	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd prize
July	1	26	34
August	25	4	14

ANNUAL INTERCULTURAL MASS And Social Gathering **SATURDAY 16 OCTOBER @ 12.30pm** St Osburg's Church, Upper Hill Street Coventry CV1 4AQ. Celebrant: Bishop David Evans and Concelebrants Marking One World Week and World Mission Sunday All are Welcome. Please bring Food from your Country of Origin to Share. The celebration will be live streamed for those unable to attend.

The annual diocesan Thanksgiving Mass for

Marriage will take place on Saturday 9th October, 12 noon at St Chad's Cathedral. If you are celebrating a milestone anniversary during 2021 please email Lianne Pap (Marriage and Family Life Co-ordinator) marriage.mass@rcaob.org.uk for your names to be listed in the Mass booklet.

Cemetery visits in November – Fr Mario will be visiting local cemeteries to pray at the graves of our departed on set days in November. If you would like him to visit the grave site of your loved one, please email the office to register your interest by the 24th of October 2021.

Aston University Catholic Chaplaincy

Fr Ray Corbett is the chaplain at Aston University and is keen to meet with Catholic students. If you would like to be involved in activities in the chaplaincy please email him at: r.corbett@aston.ac.uk