

## MASSES AND INTENTIONS

11<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> November 2023

**Sat 11<sup>th</sup> November** **St Martin of Tours**

10am Latin Mass  
12:15pm Baptism: *Mollie Violet Gigi Carl*  
6pm Mass: *Francis Johnson (RIP)*

**Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Nov** **32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

11am Mass: *Tom Devine (Intention)*  
*Laurence Bennett (RIP)*  
*Valentin Simonak (RIP)*

3pm Lithuanian Mass  
5pm Kerala Mass

**Latin Mass (Remembrance Sunday)**

8:30am: *Janina Oledzka (RIP)*

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November**

10am Latin Mass:

**Tue 14<sup>th</sup> November**

8am Latin Mass  
6:30pm Mass: *Derance Benoite Houeto (RIP)*

**Wed 15<sup>th</sup> November**

8am Latin Mass  
10am Mass: *Nick Elia (RIP)*  
10:30am Rosary

**Thu 16<sup>th</sup> November**

8am Latin Mass  
10am Mass: *Deceased members of the Grassi Family*

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November**

8am Latin Mass  
10:30am Funeral Mass  
*Janice Bunting-Gray (RIP)*

**Sat 18<sup>th</sup> November**

10am Latin Mass  
12:15pm Baptism: *Kayleigh Redmond-Gaylor*  
6pm Mass: *Philip Brady - Birthday Wishes*  
*William Orr (RIP)*

**Sun 19<sup>th</sup> Nov** **33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Safeguarding Sunday**

11am Mass: *John Barrie (RIP)*  
5pm Kerala Mass

**Latin Mass:**  
8:30am: *TBA*

## SUNDAY'S RESPONSORIAL PSALM

For you my soul is thirsting, O God my God.

## CONFIRMATION

Confirmation classes every Tuesday evening from 7:30pm to 8.30pm in the Patrick Donegan Room. If your child hasn't been signed up yet they can still sign up until the end of November..

## PARISH CHRISTMAS FAYRE

From 1 - 3pm on Sat 25<sup>th</sup> November in the parish hall.

## RAFFLE TICKETS

The Christmas Fayre raffle tickets are available at the back of the church please take some books and return the monies and stubs.  
1st prize £200

## BOTTLE STALL/RAFFLE PRIZES

Donations of bottles, cans of beers etc. are needed plus prizes for the raffle. There is a box at the back of the church for donations.

Please start bringing in items that can be used

Some table spaces free - please contact Sue - [sue.northcott@hotmail.com](mailto:sue.northcott@hotmail.com)

## SHOE BOX APPEAL

Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child. Please fill a shoebox to send to a needy child. Leaflets of what goes in the box at the back of church with a few spare boxes, All filled shoeboxes to be left at the back of church by SUN NOV 20th.

## 11AM MASS CHILDREN'S LITURGY

A few parents have asked recently if we have Children's Liturgy here on Sunday mornings. At present we don't have this. However, it would be a great initiative to begin again. In order for us to offer this we need adult Children's Liturgy leaders. Would you like to be a part of this? Please contact Fr Richard.

## CONFESSIONS

Fridays 11am to 11:45am  
Please note change to the times on Saturdays, there are no longer confessions from 3pm to 5pm. The new regular time for Saturdays is 11am to 12 noon

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Novus Ordo Masses: £582.10  
Tridentine Masses: £444.84  
Bishop's Maintenance Fund:£124.38

## NOVEMBER DEAD LIST

Envelopes are provided at the back of the church to give names of loved ones whom you wish to be remembered at all November Masses. Include your offering in the envelope and put in the collection basket.

## NEW CAFOD PARISH REPRESENTATIVES

We have two new CAFOD parish reps, Teresa Ramsey and Myriam Navarro. Who should be contacted regarding CAFOD matters in future. The Parish would like to thank Rachel Kirkham (who is standing down as CAFOD Rep) for all her hard work in connection with CAFOD over the years.

## CONDOLENCES

To the recently bereaved family and friends of

**Janice Bunting-Gray RIP**

Please pray for the repose of her soul.

## THANK YOU FROM THE KAY FAMILY

We would like to thank everyone very much for their cards, gifts, prayers and good wishes as we move to Oakham this coming Wednesday, 15th November. Please pray for us as we will pray for you, and stay in touch at [mbky3@outlook.com](mailto:mbky3@outlook.com). God bless, Martin, Barbara, Peter, Jenny and Joanna.

## SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY

Safeguarding Sunday will be observed this year on 19 November 2023 when churches will reflect on where they may have got things wrong in the past, think about how they are supporting those who have been hurt or harmed, and highlight and celebrate all the good work that is being done behind the scenes to protect vulnerable people and create safer cultures and communities for all both now and in the future.

## PASTORAL AREA COUNCIL AGM

The Pastoral Area Council will be holding its AGM Mass and meeting on Wed 29 Nov at Sacred, Leighton Buzzard - with Mass starting at 7:30pm. All welcome.

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## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE WHO ARE ILL IN THE PARISH

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Dear Jesus, divine physician and healer of the sick, we turn to you in this time of illness. Oh dearest comforter of the troubled, alleviate our worry and sorrow with your gentle love, and grant us the grace and strength to accept this burden. Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. Amen.



## CAFOD ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CRISIS APPEAL

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at [www.cafod.org.uk/ipc](http://www.cafod.org.uk/ipc) or call 0303 303 3030 to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need. Thank you for your prayers."

In response to the Palestinian-Israeli Crisis, CAFOD is raising funds to support and help provide urgent humanitarian aid. Please support our Vintage Tea Afternoon which will be on the 24th November and purchase some raffle tickets to win our wonderful Hamper.

## SECOND COLLECTIONS

11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> November  
Sick and retired priest's fund

We are offering a Mass for all deceased parishioners on Tuesday 21st November at 6:30pm.

Dear Parishioner

I was very pleased to welcome Fr de Malleray FSSP to the parish at my Induction. Fr de Malleray has swapped places with Fr Goddard, who has moved to Warrington. Because of changes to the Mass schedule at Chesham Bois, which the bishop asked for, the Latin Masses at Chesham Bois and Bedford will now be served by a priest in Bedford rather than Reading.

As you know, Bishop Doyle established the 'Latin Mass Chaplaincy' in this Diocese in 2007. Bishop Oakley has recently given permission for the FSSP to have their own house in Bedford, so that the priest can better serve the Mass provision in Bedford and in Chesham Bois. There is now Latin Mass daily in our church.

Fr Miguel Coelho, from Portugal, has also joined Fr de Malleray here in Bedford, with his own and our bishop's permission. Fr Coelho is here only for twelve months.

It would be very good for us to be able to invite both these priests to an event in the parish where we can meet them more properly.

God Bless

Fr Richard