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SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST Year A 10th – 11th June 2023

THE BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

Catechism Question and Answer on the Eucharist (CCC 1407-1418)

Why is Eucharist the high point of Christian life? The Eucharist is the high point of Christian life because 1) Eucharist remembers and celebrates the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross, and 2) in the Communion, Jesus unites his followers with himself. (1407) **What are the sacramental signs of Eucharist?** The sacramental signs of Eucharist are 1) the bread and wine, 2) the prayer asking for the blessing of the Holy Spirit and 3) the word of Consecration ("This is my body...this is my blood of the new covenant..."). (1412) **Is only part of Jesus present in Eucharist or all of Jesus?** All of Jesus is present in the consecrated bread and wine, not merely his Spirit. Jesus is present "Body, Blood, soul and divinity." (1413) **What is necessary in order to receive Eucharist?** In order to receive Eucharist, one must be forgiven of serious (or "mortal") sins. Someone with a serious sin must receive the sacrament of Reconciliation before they receive Eucharist. (1415) Eucharist does forgive less serious (or "venial" sins) and strengthens one against serious sin. (1416)

Masses, Services & Intentions

Sat	10	Feria in Ordinary Time	10.00am	Holy Mass	World Refugees (Helen Connelly)
Sat	10	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Aldo Cresta RIP (Daniela Cresta)
Sun	11	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST	10.00am	Holy Mass <i>Live streamed</i>	Veronica Ferguson (RIP) Carol Ann Harnett
	11	UKRAINIAN GREEK CATHOLIC LITURGY	3.00PM	Holy Liturgy	
Mon	12	Feria in the Ordinary Time	12.00 noon	Holy Mass <i>Live streamed</i>	Ted Lawrence RIP. Ann. (Gemma Lawrence)
Tue	13	St Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor	7.45am	Holy Mass	Tom Hogan wellbeing & Family (Mrs. C Hogan)
Wed	14	Feria in the Ordinary Time	6.00pm	Holy Mass with Fr Arockiaraj	Reaching the Unreached
Thu	15	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	10am – 6.45pm		
Thu	15	Feria in the Ordinary Time	7.00 pm	Holy Mass <i>Live streamed</i>	Maraid Carew (Bill Carew, Collette, James & Family)
Fri	16	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	9.15am	Holy Mass	Alice Mogeyp RIP (Colette Phelps)
Sat	17	Immaculate Heart of Mary	10.00am	Holy Mass	Grace Eakin & Reuben Reid Wedding Day (Bernadette Eakin)
Sat	17	ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6.00pm	Holy Mass	Laura Bader RIP (Sam Craig)
Sun	18	ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10.00am	Holy Mass <i>Live streamed</i>	Beyrl Gaunt RIP (Parish Benefactor)

HOLY MASS AT ST JOSEPH'S is livestreamed on some days via YouTube:
<https://www.youtube.com/@stjosephs.rparish.malvernuk> or
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCq9QGyz7CmmPDRxzmT_tto

Pope's Prayer Intention for June: For the abolition of Torture



Fr Naz hears confession in the Confessional from 10:30am until 11am on Saturdays or by appointment.

PLEASE PRAY FOR the sick & housebound of St Joseph's parish: Clare Gray, Michael Nealon, Irma Bevan, Anne Wiseman, Martin Burger, Anne-Marie Elder, Margaret Coleman, Terry Warneford, and Jessica. We include all those in hospitals, nursing homes & their own homes. Our Lady, health of the sick, pray for them. **Amen**

SECOND COLLECTIONS

THIS WEEK: In support of Noah's Camp

NEXT WEEK: Day for Life

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENT DEAD: Jeremy Hope, friends of Max and Fran Mainini

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH: Please pray for Maraid Carew whose anniversary is 12th June

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST:

Change of plan: At the end of the 10am Mass we shall start the Procession with 'O Salus Hostia' and then proceed to the school forest where we shall sing the 'Tantum Ergo' at the Altar of repose and then proceed back to church for the Divine Praises, closing the procession with benediction.

FORTHCOMING WEDDING: Please pray for Grace Eakin & Reuben Reid who will be married this Saturday, 17th June

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

* Jane & Patrick Jones: 30 years on 5th June

* Geoff & Helen: today, Sunday 11th June

* Viv & Allan Fox Wedding: Monday, 12th June

DOUBLE CELEBRATION: Anne & Paul Lewis are asking for a blessing for their recent 40th Wedding Anniversary at the 10am Mass this Sunday. This will also be a day to thank Anne for the valuable service she rendered in the Parish Office for the last four years. All are welcome to the McEnnis room for a cup of coffee/Tea and cake after Mass.

Keeping Going. Biblical Reflections for Synodality and Journeying Together Sunday June 18th 2pm to 4pm Selly Park Convent B29 7LL David McLoughlin (Theologian & formerly Newman University) & Fleur Dorrell (Bible Society & Bishops Conference of England and Wales) will be leading an afternoon reflection time using the scriptures to reflect on our journeying together in a synodal Church. Refreshments will be provided. **To register please email: actabhm@gmail.com**

Parish Magazine Copy Day for the next edition is **Sunday 11 June**. All contributions very welcome - don't be shy about writing for us. Many thanks Margaret Rank

.One World Group Parish Supper On 14th June, we shall be receiving a visit from Fr Arockiaraj from our Indian partners Reaching the Unreached. Fr Arockiaraj will be presiding at a special Mass at 6pm & we would like to invite as many parishioners as possible to join us for the Mass & for a communal meal afterwards. On the following morning, Fr Arockiaraj will be visiting our School to talk to the children & staff about RTU's work with the poor and underprivileged.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will take place on 25th June at the 10am Mass

VISITING YOUTH GROUP: Six members of the Youth Group from Sacred Heart, Oxford will be joining us for the 10am Mass on 25th June and will later take a walk on Malvern Hill and have a picnic. Anyone wishing to see them to the hills please join them and bring a picnic lunch

PAC Meeting – Sunday 25th June, 7pm, in the McEnnis Room and via Zoom.

AGM CHURCHES TOGETHER IN MALVERN: Wednesday, 28th June at Lansdowne Methodist church at 7.30pm

Tea in the garden (indoors if wet)

Chris and Liz Burger warmly invite you to join them for tea, cakes and social time in their garden on Sunday, 2nd July from 2p.m. 120 Lower Howsell Road, Malvern Link. WR14 1DL.

Extraordinary Parish Meeting: to discuss issues left over from the recent APM– Monday 17th July, 7pm in the McEnnis Room.

STONE PICKING AND BBQ. Modalities and dates for this event have changed. Fresh communication will be given later.

Noahs Camp 7-11 August 2023 We welcome Mary Cameron this weekend who will be promoting Noah's Camp and appealing for financial help for this project. To book please visit <https://www.noahscamp.co.uk/>

CONFIRMATION 2023-24: The next Confirmation programme will start with a Parent and Child Meeting at 5pm on Monday 11th September 2023. Meanwhile all those baptised and not confirmed from Year Six onwards are invited to register for the programme. The Sacrament of Confirmation itself is envisaged to take place in the second half of January pending the archbishop's date confirmation. Please pick a form from the Narthex to register and return it to Fr Naz or Sue Stubbings as soon as possible.

COMMUNION 2023-24

Preparing to receive Our Lord in Holy Communion is a wonderful thing. We are inviting families with children who will be in year 3 or above in September, to apply for this Sacrament now. Application forms are available on the website. Applications close on 31st July 2023. The programme will begin in September.

RCIA 2023-24

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process by which adults draw closer to Christ and discern whether they wish to become Catholics. We will be having sessions for anyone interested wishing to learn more about the Catholic faith, starting in September. If you would like to find out more, without any obligation, please speak to either Fr Naz or Carol Ann Harnett as soon as possible.

THE LITTLETON WELL NEEDS MORE VOLUNTEERS to help run and keep the counselling service running and to share the love of Christ with all who use our premises. Please head to <http://lytteltonwell.co.uk/volunteer> to see how you can get involved.

ADVERT FOR A CATHOLIC HEADTEACHER: St. George's Catholic Primary School Thorneloe Walk, Worcester, WR1 3JY in partnership with the Archdiocese of Birmingham are recruiting a Head Teacher Pay scale: L15 - L21 NOR 210 Closing Date: Friday 7th July 2023 Completed applications should be sent to: Clerk@st-georgescatholic.worcs.sch.uk