



The Parishes of Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale and Christ the King, Kingstanding



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Hymns: (OLAM: Ent: 171; Off: 20; Com: 298; Rec: 17)

Res. Psalm 94(95):1-2,6-9. **R: O that today you would listen to his voice! 'Harden not your hearts.'**

MASSES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY OBLIGATION HAS BEEN REINSTATED BY THE BISHOPS

Sat 01/10/22	10:00 Mon	St Therese of the Child Jesus, Mem.	Maria Le (RIP)
	12:30 CTK		Kitty Byrne
	18:00 OLAM†		Eva Vasquez (RIP)
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time			The Butler Family
Sun 02/10/22	10:00 CTK	Feria	Elizabeth Bridge (RIP)
	11:30 OLAM		Mary Quirk (RIP)
Mon 03/10/22	08:00 Con.	Feria	Desmond, Rose & Paul Byrne (RIP)
	09:30 Mon.		John Roche (RIP)
Tue 04/10/22	09:30 Mon.	St. Francis of Assisi, Mem.	Michael Fitzmaurice (RIP)
	12:00 CTK		Julia Casey (RIP)
Wed 05/10/22	08:00 Con.	Feria	Frank Gilhooly (RIP)
	09:30 Mon.		Maureen Healy - Funeral Service
	11:00 CTK		Maria Wright (RIP)
Thu 06/10/22	09:30 Mon.	Feria	PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES
	10.30 MPS		Jack Foxall (RIP)
	12.00 CTK		Billy (RIP)
Fri 07/10/22	09.00 CTK	Our Lady of the Rosary, Mem.	Private Intention
	10:30 Mon.		Joane Allen
	12:00 CTK		Maria Pham Thi Ly (Anni.)
Sat 08/10/22	10:00 Mon	Feria	Michael Dawren (RIP)
	12:30 CTK		Graham Pitt (RIP)
	18:00 OLAM		Wood & Rice families
Sun 09/10/22	10:00 CTK	28th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sheila McCarthy (RIP)
	11:30 OLAM		

Bible Study with Deacon Dominic Fahey in the church of Our Lady of the Assumption **every Tuesday** at 7:00pm.

Rosary Group: meeting **every Wednesday** in Christ the King Church at 3:30pm, following Church cleaning at 2.30..

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK: Ron & Monique Hunt, Jean McCabe, Luke Byrne, Muriel Cowan, Paul Cowan, John & Sandra Mageean, Gerald, Sarah McCallion, Audrey Vickers, John, Sadie Pulido, Mary McGee, Margaret Gasson, Claire & Mark, Jo Teece, Mary Ann Gniadkowski, Niamh O' Reilly, Carole Smith, Alan Rowan, Kyle Billing, Nicola Jones, Daniel Kelly, Patricia Nash, Alberto Bolongaro, Arjun Paul, Teresa Webb, Mary Hickey, Sr Marie, Carol Timmis, Carlos Beckford, and Ian Kennedy. **Please pray for them and their families.**

RIP: Pray for the souls of Maureen Healy, Wendy White, Hugh McCallion, Rose Lewsley, Sandra Forbes, and Joe Leen Brazier who died recently and all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Funerals: **Maureen Healy:** CTK Wed 5th Oct, 11:00; **John Casey:** IN IRELAND Sat 8th Oct; **Hugh McCallion:** CTK Mon 10th Oct, 11:00; **Wendy White:** CTK Tue 11th Oct, 12:15; **Maria Wright** OLAM Wed 12th Oct, 11:00; **Rose Lewsley** CTK Tue 18th Oct, 11:00.

Are You Planning To Have Your Child Baptised? If so, please come to the next monthly meeting, to be held at Christ the King Church on this Sunday 2nd October at 3:00pm.

Triduum of St Francis - 1st – 3rd Oct: The Franciscan Sisters invite all to a three-days preparation for the feast of St Francis of Assisi (4th Oct). There will be talks given on these days (1st – 3rd) at 18:00 by Br Lorne Ferguson (OFM Cap) at the Convent. On the 4th Oct, Holy Mass will be celebrated by Fr Gerardo Fabrizio at 18:00. For further details please visit www.sistersminorofsaintfrancis.com/news/ or call 0121 350 0716.

Rosary before the Sat 12.30 Mass at CTK: The Parish Council also discussed a suggestion from a parishioner that we pray the Rosary before Mass on Saturday. This suggestion was welcomed and accepted, as long as we can get a Rota together for people to lead it. Anyone interested in joining such a Rota, please speak to Jo Fields.

Warren Farm Lodge Care Home: Many thanks to the initial individuals who have come forward to assist in escorting a Care Worker and 3 Catholic ladies from the Care Home opposite the Church, in order that they may attend 10.00 Mass on a Sunday. A Rota will be drawn up very shortly and, if we had just 3 more volunteers, the commitment to escort the group across Conker Island before and immediately after Mass, would be just once a month. Please speak to Fr. The if you can spare just 20 minutes on a Sunday, whenever possible.

Last Week's Collection CTK

Loose: £ 335.80
 Envelopes: £ 112.63
 2nd Collection: £ 161.05 (Fr. Hudson's Society)
 Standing Orders: £ 206.69
Total: £ 816.17

Last Week's Collection OLAM

Loose: £ 174.63
 Envelopes: £ 115.36
 2nd Collection: £ 62.00
 Standing Orders: £ 51.92
Total: £ 403.91

Thank you for your generous support

2nd Collection: There will be a 2nd collection **NEXT WEEK** in aid of CAFOD's Harvest Fast.

A Family Marian Prayer Event on Sat 22nd Oct from 2 pm at St Thomas More's, Sheldon, B26 3HU to mark the Legion of Mary's Centenary Year with Holy Mass, Rosary Procession and Benediction. All welcome.

Parish Consultation

The Parish Council met last Thursday to discuss the feedback received on its proposal that the 6 pm Mass at OLAM be moved to CTK so as to save on heating costs. The main concern coming out of the feedback was that the regular attendants at the 6 pm Mass come by bus and not car and would not be able to transfer to CTK so easily. Accordingly, the Council's final recommendation to Father Thé was that the Mass be celebrated in Maryvale Community Centre rather than the Church. This was agreed. The arrangement will begin on 8th Oct and will last until 31st March.

Ministries For Next Weekend

Christ the King		
Sat 12:30	Minister Of the Word	Angela Madigan
	Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Deacon Gary
Sun 10.00	Minister Of the Word	Angela Hooker
	Extraordinary Minister of H.C.	Joyce McCarthy

Our Lady of the Assumption		
Sat 18:00	Minister Of the Word	Graham Green
	Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Deacon Dominic
Sun 11.30	Minister Of the Word	Ian Kennedy Akash Paul
	Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Deacon Dominic

Deacon Gary's Study Leave: Gary's registration for his third (and hopefully final) year of his additional degree course has been completed. Consequently he will be absent from the parish from 7th to 24th Oct inclusive to attend lectures and continue his research in Leuven, Belgium. We wish him safe travel and a productive time abroad.

First Holy Communion Preparation for children who go to non-Catholic schools will commence on Sat 15th Oct in the Guild Room at 11:00 am.

RCIA: A meeting for adults interested in learning more about the Catholic faith will take place in the Guild Room at Christ The King Church on Thurs 6th October commencing at 7.00 p.m.

Training For Altar Servers: A training session for current/new Altar Servers will be held next Sat 8th Oct at Christ The King Church at 10.30 am.

Christmas Craft Fayre: Instead of the traditional Bazaar we have held in previous years as our main parish fundraiser, we will have a Craft Fair this year, which will be held in the School on Sat 26th Nov, 12-2pm. In order to help with planning, it would be helpful if donations could be brought in on a phased basis. For example, during the coming week (3rd -9th Oct) if anyone has any unwanted gifts (Adults or Children's), these could be brought in to either the **New Heights Café or School Reception any morning during the week** or brought **to the Church on a Sunday**. To help receive, manage and store your much appreciated donations, other items can be donated in the weeks to come, as follows:

Week 1: Oct: 3 rd – 9 th	Adult/Children's Gifts	Week 5: 31 Oct – 6 th Nov
Week 2: Oct: 10 th – 16 th	Xmas Wrapping Paper/Tags/Cards/Decorations	Week 6: Nov: 7 th – 13 th
Week 3: Oct: 17 th – 23 rd	Alcohol/Drinks	Week 7: Nov 14 th – 20 th
Week 4: Oct: 24 th – 30 th	Chocolate Items	Week 8: Nov: 21 st – 24 th

Your generosity has, through the years, been much appreciated, the proceeds of which enables us as a parish to continue supporting each other and our neighbours, in conjunction with our School community and New Heights.

Appeal for Clothing/Shoes: If anyone has any clothing/shoes in good condition, which could be sold to raise funds for the Children's Air Ambulance, a metal container has been erected in the front car park of the Maryvale Community Centre for donations, which would be gratefully received.

Free Internet Drop-In Sessions are to be held in the St. John's Centre between 11.30 – 2.30 on the following Wednesdays: 5th Oct (Info on Benefits), 12th October (Job Search) and 19th October (Internet Accessibility).