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Sunday 17 November – World Day of the Poor

5.00pm (Sat)	Mass – Alice Faik RIP
9.30am	Mass – People of the Parish
10.30am	Tea & Coffee in O'Sullivan Centre Minister: Andrea Svinurai
11.00am	Mass – Deceased Members of KSC

Monday 18 November

10.00am	Eucharistic Service in Convent

Tuesday 19 November

6.00pm	Mass in Church – Wellbeing of Sr Kate

Followed by Adoration

Wednesday 20 November

10.00am	Mass in Church – Holy Souls

Thursday 21 November – Presentation of The Blessed Virgin Mary

10.00am	Mass in Convent – Private Intentions
7.00pm	Adoration

Friday 22 November – St Cecilia Virgin & Martyr

10.00am	Mass in Church – Deborah Fleming RIP
3.00-4.00pm	Surgery – Parish Office
7.00pm	Adoration

Saturday 23 November – St Clement Pope & Martyr

10.00am	Mass in Convent – Holy Souls
11-12Noon	Surgery – Parish Office
4.00-4.45pm	Reconciliation

Sunday 24 November - CHRIST THE KING

5.00pm (Sat)	Mass – Thomas Goldsmith RIP
9.30am	Mass – Birthdays of Ackley Fernandes & Jevita Goes
10.30am	Tea & Coffee in O'Sullivan Centre Ministers: Mr & Mrs Keene
11.00am	Mass – People of the Parish

Let Us Pray

In consideration of the new General Data Protection Rules,

names of our sick Parishioners will no longer be listed.

Please continue to pray for those who are sick in the Parish.

We remember all who have recently died.

WEEKLY OFFERING

FIRST COLLECTION

10th November £818.38 of which £258.50 was gift aided

SECOND COLLECTION

Last Weekend – Archbishop's Admin Fund - £88.02
This Weekend – Car Park Fund
Next weekend – Catholic Youth Work

Standing Orders October - £965

Thank You and God Bless

This week's Minister of Church Cleaning is Mrs Bunce

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A HUGE THANK YOU FROM FR GRAZIANO
I would like to thank all Parishioners, fellow Clergy, family and guests from other Parishes, who helped make my Induction Mass a packed but joyous occasion. Special thanks go to all of you who helped by providing food and drink it was an amazing "team effort". The many photographs in the current edition of the Parish Montage show what a truly unforgettable evening was had by all. *Fr Graziano*

FIRST SACRAMENTS OF RECONCILIATION AND HOLY COMMUNION – UPDATE !!!!!!
The Parents' Introduction Session will be held in Church on Wednesday 20th November at 7.00pm, this session will be to inform parents of the catechesis process for your child's First Reconciliation and Holy Communion and to introduce you to the Catechists who will be guiding the children through this process. Details of the dates and times of the Children's sessions and further Parent Sessions will be given at this meeting

The sessions are for children in school year 3 or above. Application forms for children who do not attend the Catholic School can be collected from the Parish Office, or downloaded from our website (see Sacraments, First Holy Communion). ***PLEASE NOTE FORMS ARE TO BE HANDED TO FR GRAZIANO IN PERSON DURING SPECIFIC SURGERY TIMES – Fridays 3-4pm / Saturdays 11am – 12 Noon.***

CONFIRMATION 2020
Please note the forms for submitting your application for next year's Confirmation are on our Website. Please return the form to the office along with a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate and First Holy Communion if they were Baptised or received First Holy Communion outside the Parish. Details on when the course will start will be released shortly.

NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS
There are envelopes available in the front porch for Mass intentions for your deceased parents, relatives and friends.
A box will be available from All Saints Day to place your prayer envelopes in.

LUCKY NUMBERS - INFORMATION ON HOW TO JOIN THE SCHEME
If you would like to join the Lucky Numbers Scheme, in time for the annual renewal please contact the office. Anyone wishing to purchase a lucky number needs to do so before the beginning of December, in time for the new year. The cost is £12 per year (payable in full to join the scheme, this is equivalent to just £1 per month per number). There are 12 monthly draws and 4 prizes per month!! All proceeds raised benefit the Church! Current participants who pay by cheque or cash can arrange payment via MaryAnn in the Parish Office.
NOVEMBER LUCKY NUMBERS RESULTS, 1st - 56, 2nd - 21, 3rd - 60 and 4th - 98

THE PARISH CHRISTMAS FAYRE - DONATIONS URGENTLY REQUIRED!!!!! The Fayre will be on Saturday 30th November. 12-3pm. This is our main fundraising event for the year and a special time for the children and adults of the parish to socialise. So far we have had very few donations for this year's fayre. Without donations the Fayre cannot be a success. Please help make this a bumper year.

The donations required are as follows, please help if you are able!

Raffle Prizes for the Grand Raffle, (donations of vouchers from local businesses are always very gratefully received!)

Alcoholic & Non-Alcoholic Bottles for Bottle Tombola
Festive/Seasonal Groceries for Grocery Tombola
New Toys for Toy Tombola
New and nearly new items for Fancy Goods stall
Homemade Cakes, chutneys, jams etc

RAFFLE TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE, PLEASE TAKE AN ENVELOPE FROM CHURCH PORCH AND RETURN COMPLETED STUBS AND MONEY TO THE OFFICE, THANKYOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND GOOD LUCK!

THE PROCEEDS FROM THE CHRISTMAS FAYRE THIS YEAR WILL KICKSTART OUR FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN TO RESURFACE THE CAR PARK. Further details to follow.