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Parish Notices

31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A

A warm welcome to visitors to Corpus Christi, Tring and Sacred Heart, Berkhamsted. This week we celebrated two great feast days. The first was All Saints. It was wonderful to see young people from our school joining us in celebration and to hear about their favourite saints...St Nicholas seems to be quite the favourite!

The next day we celebrated All Souls. A quieter, more solemn, liturgy but equally as beautiful. Our books of remembrance are now placed near our altars. If you would like your loved ones to be placed in our remembrance book please take a form and envelope, available at the back of church, and return with your offering either to myself or to either presbytery. May we have the courage of the saints and the faith to realise that death is not the end. Fr David.

We pray for:

The Sick and the Housebound in our parishes – We pray especially for Shirley Blood, Patrick Foster, Christine Rickard, David Holden, Barbara Dixon, Georgette Regamay, Angela Gannon, Wendy Hinds, Michael Hornsby, Rita Laverty, Adeline Lewis, Peter McDonald, Lana Ridley, Jeremy Blood, Susy Duxbury, Darshin McGregor, Lily Butler and Molly Sunderland. May they receive healing and peace.

The Recently Deceased and Anniversaries—We pray for those who have recently died including Denis Murray, Sheila O'Neill and Derek Faulkoner and those who anniversaries occur at this time, including Michael Blood, Margaret Smyth, Nancy Fullicks and Rose Hunt. May they rest in peace.

Last Week's Collection:

Sacred Heart: Loose £ 305.79 Envelopes £454.65 APF £379

Corpus Christi: Loose £ 169.15 Envelopes £167.00, Building fund £ 54.56 APF £96.50

October Standing orders: Corpus Christi Offertory £1,829.00 Building fund £86.00

Sacred Heart—£4061.12

Thank you for your continued generosity, Fr David

Sick and Retired priests' Fund. There will be a second collection next weekend. Your generous donation helps ensure that priests, who have followed their vocation and given their lives to the Church, are cared for and supported when they are sick, and they retire. Envelopes are available at the back of church for you to take home and return next weekend.

First Holy Communion 2018 at Sacred Heart- Thank you to those who have come forward to volunteer as catechists for next year's programme to help our young people in their journey of faith, it is greatly appreciated. We need more volunteers!

First Holy Communion Parents Meeting—there will be an initial meeting for parents on 23rd November in the church hall at 7.30pm.

Planned Giving Envelopes— please be assured that envelopes will be handed to the allocated parish irrespective of which mass you attend.

November Holy Souls List –Please return your intentions and offering, in the envelopes provided, either to Father David or Nicole or post into either presbytery.

The November 'Comment' is out with an article about the Retirement and Birthday of Canon Vincent. There are some lovely photos of the occasion. Get your copy this weekend.

Corpus Christi 12pm Mass: We are looking to start a small choir for the 12noon Mass. No experience necessary! Please come along to a practice on Sunday 19th November straight after the 12noon Mass. Light lunch will be provided. Contact Pete for more info.

APF Missio Red Boxes— A final call for red boxes at Sacred Heart to be brought in for counting before the end of November please. The annual return needs to be completed in December. 2018 Calendars are at the back of church. Please take one.

The Open Door is a new venture by The Way Inn. It will be a creative community space with a small café open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10.00am-4.00pm. Drop in for coffee and cake.

Christian Meditation Group Thursdays 8pm in the Sacristy at Corpus Christi.

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Eucharistic Minister Training—There will be training of Eucharistic Ministers at 2pm on Saturday 11th November at Sacred Heart Parish. Attendance of all Eucharistic Ministers is expected. There will be a similar session held at Corpus Christi, in due course. Any queries, please speak to Fr David.

Readers Training—There will be training for Readers at 2pm on Saturday 18th November at Sacred Heart Church. Attendance of all Readers is expected. There will be a similar session held at Corpus Christi, in due course. Any queries, please speak to Fr David.

Christmas Wreath Making – Sacred Heart Church, 30th November at 7.00pm. Join us for a festive evening and make your own Christmas wreath for your home, guided by our very own resident florist. All materials will be provided, with nibbles and a complimentary glass of bubbles on arrival. Please contact Natasha Brine at marqueznatasha@gmail.com or 07780660400 by 24th November to reserve your place.

Christmas Community Concert on 2nd December 2017 from 7pm to 9pm at Victoria Hall, Akeman Street, Tring in aid of AgeUK Dacorum [Charity no 1098150]. Featuring a choir from Dundale Primary School. Admission by ticket (purchased in advance). Price £5, under-16s £2.50. Tickets available from Beechwood Fine Foods, 42 Frogmore Street, Tring and from Bishop Wood School. Organised by the Justice & Peace Group, affiliated to Churches Together in Tring.

Carol Service in aid of the Hospice of St Francis on Sunday, 3rd December 2017 at 4pm at the Sacred Heart Church. We are again putting together an ecumenical choir from the churches in Berkhamsted and Tring to lead the singing and would like to invite *everyone* who loves to sing to join us. There will be 3 rehearsals on Tuesday 14th, Wednesday 22nd and Tuesday 28th November, all at 7.45pm. If you are interested in joining us, could you please email either Jane Lavin on janellavin@yahoo.co.uk or Caroline McLoone on cazandpatrick@live.co.uk (You don't need to be in a choir already - just share a love of singing Christmas Carols!).

Attention all Seniors - Please sign up now for the Seniors Christmas Lunch. The lunch will be held in the Sacred Heart Church Hall 12-3 on Saturday 9th December. Sign up sheets at the back of the SH Church. Or contact Angela Fitzgerald 01442 876681 or Pat Tonge 01442 384899 for more information.

Mass Times W/C 5th November 2017 (31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, Year A)

Sat 4th Nov	10-10.30	Sacred Heart	Confessions
Sat 4th Nov	5.15pm	Corpus Christi	Confessions
Sat 4th Nov	6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Joseph Ryan RIP
Sun 5th Nov	8.30am	Sacred Heart	Sheila Hickey RIP
Sun 5th Nov	10.15am	Sacred Heart	Denis Murray RIP
Sun 5th Nov	12.00pm	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Mon 6th Nov	10.00am	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Tues 7th Nov	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Holy Souls
Wed 8th Nov	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Lit of Word with Holy Communion
Thur 9th Nov	10.00am	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Fri 10th Nov	10.00am	Sacred Heart	Holy Souls
Sat 11th Nov	10-10.30	Sacred Heart	Confessions
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Parish Ministries 11th/12th Nov	6pm	8.30am	10.15am	12.00pm
Word	D Leadbeater M Hart	Y Pettingell	M Ashley	
Eucharist	M Leadbeater F Sherratt	J Bronjewski D Holden J Standen	T Attridge E Rafferty A Harte	
Counters	V Uffindell	P Dowd		

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