ST AMBROSE'S PARISH KIDDERMINSTER

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SACRED HEART & OUR LADY, Berrington Road, Tenbury Wells

Parish Clergy: Fr Douglas Lamb, Revd Peter Hesketh

In retirement: Revd Thomas Ashcroft, Revd Dr Peter Mason

In formation: Charles Duncombe, Adam Nicholls

Twentieth Sunday Year B Psalter Week 4 CTS Sunday Missal p901 Week ending 18th/19th August 2012

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: Mon: St Bernard Tues: St Pius X Wed: Queenship of Our Lady

Thurs: St John Wall Fri: St Bartholomew

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:

ST AMBROSE'S

Monday9.00 amService of the Word and Holy CommunionTuesday9.00 amService of the Word and Holy CommunionWednesday9.00 amService of the Word and Holy CommunionThursday9.00 amService of the Word and Holy Communion

7.30 pm Adoration until 10:00 pm (9.45 pm Compline)
Friday Rosary 7.30 pm Holy Communion

Saturday 5.45 pm Bernard and Florrie Farmer RIP

Sunday 9.30 am Cathy Kneuss RIP

OUR LADY'S

Monday 7.30 pm Holy Communion

Friday 9.00 – 9.45 am Adoration 10.00 am Holy Communion

Sunday 5.00 pm Celia Lally RIP

SACRED HEART

Sunday 11.30 am Alison Fong RIP

CONFESSIONS: St. Ambrose's: Saturday no midday, 6.30 pm – 7.00 pm and by request

Sacred Heart: By request

MINISTRIES FOR THE COMING WEEK:

St Ambrose's: Sat 5.45 pm A Nicholls, M Weaver Sun 9.30 am M Cleary, B Galvin, PHunt, M Holmes H Cahill

Our Lady's: Sun 5.00 pm To be advised

Sacred Heart: Sun 11.30 am A Speers, M Harper A Stanley

Church Cleaners (St Ambrose's): Team C Offertory Counters: Group 2

Please pray for our parishioners who are sick, and for all who have need of our prayers, especially:

Dorothy Atwell, Joseph Baker, Peggy Baynton, Christina Bickley, Ken Bourne-Turner, Frank Bourke, Peggy Burke, Linda Button, Sandra Chapman, Nora Collins, David Connolly, Rob Conway, Kitty Cooper, Maria Cosenza, Rob Cotgrave, Jane Cox, Eamonn Dalton, Thomas Dalton, John Donovan, Joni Dunlea, Phil Eady, Joe Egan, Brian Evans, Vera Farley, Sr Maureen Fay, Sheila Freeman, Anthony Georgieff, Shirley Hale, May Hampsey, Margaret Harley, Rita Harrod, Jim Heffernan, Diana Hesketh, Tom Hopkins, Vicki Houghton, Philip Hunt, Jane Jenner, Keeley John, Veronica Jones, Ben Kelly, Marie Lane, Felicity Librie, Audrey Little, Eleanor Lloyd, Bridget Locke, Arwen Lockley, Peter McQuillan, Fernanda and Michael Maffei, Lee Maund, Sheila Mikulicz, Jean Mulligan, Kitty Murray, John Nangle, Margaret Norris, Pat Norris, Tom O'Brien, Beatrice 'Myrtle' O'Mahoney, Daniel Oxenham, Chris Price, Pat Quinn, Janet Richards, Mary Roberts, Nancy Ruffinato, Harold Salter, Canon Jim Samuel, Jonathan Slater, Cecil Smith, Pearl Stanley, Marie Stokes, Liz and Norman Taylor, Carmen Thomas, Jim Thomas, Frances Tovey, Patricia Virr, G Watkins, Eric Whittaker, Gene Whitwam, Edith Wilkes and May Williams.

Entrance Antiphon: Turn your eyes, O God our Shield; and look on the face of your anointed one; one

day within your Courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

Response to the Psalm: Taste and see that the Lord is good.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me, and I live

in him. Alleluia!

Preface, Eucharistic Prayer, Mystery of Faith: Celebrant's choice

Communion Antiphon: I am the living bread that came down from Heaven, says the Lord. Whoever eats

of this bread will live forever.

Recently Deceased: Vera Hodder was cremated at Wyre Forest Crematorium after a service at St Ambrose's on Friday, 17 August. May she rest in peace.

Teas and Coffees: will be provided in the Borromeo Hall after 9:30 am Mass by the Parents and Toddlers Group, and next Sunday by the Craft Group.

Friends of the Holy Land: are holding their second Charity Garden Party today, Sunday, 19 August, at the home of Anne and John Quinn between 12:30 and 3:00 pm. Tickets are £10 each and will be on sale this week. We will provide a filling barbecue with a variety of salads and a glass of wine. Please come along and support us. At the back of the Church you will find a FHL Newsletter to show how some of the money you have generously helped us to raise has been used for the benefit of our Christian brothers and sisters.

Friendship Club: will be going to The Plough for lunch on Wednesday, 22 August at 12:30 pm. Two courses, £8.95. If you want to join us 'phone Joyce Gavan or Marie Hesketh K748474, or sign the list at the back of Church.

Harvington Pilgrimage: The annual Harvington Pilgrimage will take place on Sunday, 2 September. We very much hope that you will support this act of devotion to the Martyrs of the Midlands. This year Bishop Pargeter will be the Principal Celebrant of the Mass, which begins at 3:00 pm. The preacher will be Monsignor Patrick Kilgariff. The Church will be available for Confessions 1:45 – 2:30 pm. It is essential that you bring your own chairs to use in the Hall grounds. Afterwards there will be refreshments in the garden of the Priest's House. Free timed tours of Harvington Hall are available to all pilgrims on the day, but must be pre-booked. Tours for Parish groups (maximum 20) will take place at the following times: 12:45pm, 1:15pm 4:15pm, 4:30pm and 4:45pm. Individual pilgrims and groups should book their tours directly with the Hall on (01562) 777846 prior to the day.

Harvington Choir Practice: There will be no choir practice on the Friday prior to the Martyrs' Mass. Choristers are asked to arrive early on the Sunday for a short practice before the Mass begins.

Preparations for Harvington Annual Pilgrimage: If you can spend an hour or two to help with the preparations please contact Ray Barber, the co-ordinator, on K630740. Alternatively, just turn up at Harvington Hall on Friday, 31 August at 6:00 pm or at 10:00 am on Saturday, 1 September. Many thanks.

St Philip's Grammar School: To mark the 125th Anniversary of the opening of St Philip's Grammar School in 1887 there will be High Mass in the Birmingham Oratory at 11:00 am on Saturday, 15 September, after which there will be the unveiling in the Cloister of the restored ceramic panel of St Philip Neri and the Seven Students, and the celebration will end with a buffet lunch for Old Boys and invited guests at the Birmingham Botanical Gardens (tickets £30 per person). Further details 0121-427 2327.

Finances:

i Thank you for last week's Offertory of £907.08 (Envelope Scheme £353.50, Loose £553.58).

Borromeo Hall/Adams Lounge: Available for functions of all kinds, parties, receptions. Please contact Mary Preston (07513 295817) or Margaret Blizzard (07742 730680).