| ST AMBROSE'S PARISH KIDDERMINSTER<br>The Rectory, Birmingham Road, Kidderminster DY10 2BY (01562 822839)<br>SACRED HEART & OUR LADY, Berrington Road, Tenbury Wells<br>Parish Clergy: Fr Douglas Lamb, Revd Adam Nicholls, Revd Charles Duncombe<br>In Retirement: Revd Dr Peter Mason. In Formation: Richard Tovey.<br>E-mail: stambrosekidderminster@btinternet.com Website: www.stambrosekidderminster.org.uk   |               |                            |  |           |  |
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| Eighteenth Sunday  |               | <u>Year C</u>              | <u>Psalter Week 2</u>                              | Week comm | tencing July 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016.                        |
| CTS Sunday   | Missal p. 10. | 33                         |  |           |  |
| Response to the Psalm: O Lord, you have been our refuge from one generation to the next.   Gospel Acclamation: Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth.   Preface VI of Sundays: p. 571.   Eucharistic Prayer I Mystery of Faith: I   FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK: M. St. Alphonsus, Th. St. John Vianney, F. Dedication of St. Mary Major,  |               |                            |  |           |  |
| S. The Transfiguration of the Lord.<br>MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK<br>ST. AMBROSE'S<br>Monday 7.30 am Angelo Vaccaro RIP<br>Tuesday 9.00 am } Weekday mornings – Morning Prayer, Service of the Word and<br>Wednesday 9.00 am } Holy Communion<br>Thursday 9.00 am } 7.30 pm Adoration until 9 pm (Compline 8.45 pm)<br>Friday 9.30 am – 10.15 am Adoration }<br>Saturday 9.00 am } - followed by Rosary & Novena prayers for the sick<br>Sunday 11.00 am Assunta Vaccaro RIP/Giorgio Scrocca 6.00 pm Peter Conway RIP/the Intentions of P<br>Weaver |               |                            |  |           | until 9 pm (Compline 8.45 pm)<br>Novena prayers for the sick |
| SACRED HEARTSunday9.00 amThe Holy Souls  |               |                            |  |           |  |
| CONFESSIONS:   |               | St Ambrose'<br>Sacred Hear | t Ambrose's:by request.acred Heart:by request.     |           |  |
| MINISTRIES FOR THE COMING WEEK<br>Altar Servers for morning Mass:  |               |                            |  |           |  |
|  |               |                            | Eucharistic Ministers                              |           | <u>Readers</u>   |
| St Ambrose's   | s Sunda       | y 11.00 am:                | H Scott, R Tovey, C Vass,<br>R Barber, E Buncle.   |           | A Lockley, M Roy.  |
|  | Sunda         | y 6.00 pm:                 | T Alexander, V Page, T Roo<br>J Stanley, M Stride. | ck,       | B Gavan, M Weaver.   |

Sacred Heart Sunday 9.00 am: T Cole, M Harper.

Church Cleaners: Team B

## **Offertory Counters:** Group 1

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Please pray for our parishioners who are sick, and for all who have need of our prayers, especially: Ann Aylott, Joan Aylott, Olena Barchuk, Albert and Elsie Barr, Joan Battye, Peggy Baynton, Christina Bickley, Catherine Blount, Jennifer Bush, Linda Button, Martin Cahill, Rupert Caple, Anne Catchpole, Fr. Paul Chavasse, Nigel Collier, Helena Collins, Nora Collins, Rob Conway, Bunty Cook, Julie Cook, Elsie Corti, Rob Cotgrave, Eamonn Dalton, Sarah Dalziel, Angeline Doherty, Sr Maureen Fay, Catherine Freemantle, Martha Graham, Tess Grantham, Frances Graves, Fr Christopher Greaney, Diane Grovenor, Shirley Hale, Ken Harler, Margaret Harley, Mary Harris, Canice Heavern, Tom Hopkins, Cindy Jones, Jan Joyce, John Joyce, John Kean, Wendy Kowalewicz, Debbie Lee, Audrey Little, Bridget Locke, Arwen Lockley, Mike Lockley, Margaret McKeever, Joe McLaughlin, Gaetana Maffei, Michael Maffei, Marjorie Male, Francesca Marciante, Petronilla Marciante, Margaret Metcalf, Sheila Mikulicz, Jeannie Morrison, Pat Motteram, Sr Breda Murphy, Jacqui Murray, Kitty Murray, John Neale, Delia Nepi, Kate Nicholls, Margaret Norris, Pat Norris, Billie O'Keeffe, Jean O'Shaughnessy, Katherine O'Sullivan, Revd Philip Prince, Janet Richards, Harold Salter, Joseph Samways, Pauline Samways, Jackie Sands, Louise Sireshuk, Brenda Stone, Edward Sutton, Tony Taylor, Jim Thomas, Vera Toman, Frances Tovey, Jean Villa, Ernest Vincent, George Watkins, Keith Weaver, Ann Webb, Lyndon Whatley, Edith Wilkes, and Anne Youde.

Eucharistic Ministers – Please collect your copy of the rota for August from the back of Church today!

**Children's Liturgy of the Word** – is now suspended until 4<sup>th</sup> September.

**Rest In Peace:** Please pray for **Yvana Closs** of Harold Evers Way, who has died recently. The Revd. Adam Nicholls will conduct her Funeral at the Wyre Forest Crematorium on Tuesday at 1:00pm.

**Baptisms:** This afternoon, **Matthew Dipaola-Smith** and **Emelia Jessica Griffin** will be baptised by the Revd Adam Nicholls. We welcome and congratulate these two families.

**Old Rite:** There will be Mass in the Old Rite at 3:00 pm today in St. Ambrose's. Books are available, and tea and cakes are enjoyed afterwards.

**Absent:** The Parish Priest will be absent from after Mass tomorrow morning until Friday evening, August 26<sup>th</sup>. Fr Denis O'Connor MHM will be offering the weekend Masses at the usual times, and the pastoral charge of the Parish will be with Revd. Charles Duncombe and Revd. Adam Nicholls. For weekday services, please see each week's newsletter. Pastoral emergencies should be referred to the Rectory as normal (K. 822839). I shall be offering four requested Masses during my absence, as follows: (i) Mick Galvin RIP, (ii) The Intentions of Jean Bullock, (iii) The Intentiions of Vera Toman, (iv) The Intentions of Delia Nepi.

**A Request:** The Housekeeper, Rita Mackay, is no longer able to take Molly on a daily walk. If there are parishioners who would be able to help in this way, they are asked to make themselves known. Thank you.

**Bible Study:** Just bring a Missal or Bible and join us. Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August at the home of Teresa Alexander, 34 Aggborough Crescent, Kidderminster (K. 741794) 2:00 pm for 2:30 pm start.

Sj and Family Ltd: are running a Family Fun Day in the Borromeo Hall next Saturday  $12 \operatorname{noon} - 4:30 \operatorname{pm}$  to raise funds for Birmingham Children's Hospital. Please see the noticeboard for details.

**Workplace Chaplaincy:** There is a Training Course in Workplace Chaplaincy at Droitwich Methodist Church on Thursdays from August 11<sup>th</sup> to September 22<sup>nd</sup> for volunteers wishing to explore the exciting ministry of Workplace Chaplaincy. Further details on our noticeboards.

**Birmingham Catholic Charismatic Renewal Conference:** At St. John's Hotel, Solihull, from 8-12 August. The theme is 'Hope in God'. The five-day programme covers: i) Praise and Worship, ii) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – prayer ministry every day, iii) Receive the Eucharist every day – healing ministry after every Mass, iv) UK and international speakers, v) Youth ministry, children's ministry, fellowship. Leaflets are available at the back of our Churches.

**Friends of the Holy Land:** are having a BBQ at the home of Jim and Anne Quinn on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August at the Byre, Doverdale. Tickets £12.50 on sale after both Masses from Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> July. Please support the event if you can to help our Christian brothers and sisters in the Holy Land. Contact Siobhan Stewart K. 637666 or Maureen Brewer K. 754322.

**Pilgrimage to Stone:** There is a Day of Pilgrimage to Stone on August 21<sup>st</sup> from 12 noon. Mass will be at 3:00 pm (Bishop David McGough). Please see the noticeboard for details.

Finances:iThank you for the offertory last week of £828.18. (Envelope Scheme £309.60; Loose plate £518.58).iiWe acknowledge with thanks donations in memory of May Hampsey (Tenbury) - £150.

**Borromeo Hall/Adams Lounge:** available for functions of all kinds; parties, receptions etc. Please contact Peter Grealy on 07513 295817 or 07742 730680.

Every Friday: Folk music in the Adams Lounge with visiting musicians/singers and instrumentalists. Free admission 8pm-late.