



Notices

Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity



11am Mass 30th August

Preside	Server	Intercessions	Crucifer
Fr Alex	Sandra	Sandra	Sam

Safeguarding

The Parish operates in accordance with the House of Bishops guidance and policies and have our own Parish Safeguarding Officer who is **Mrs Liz Thomas**. Alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 426 0407 or email StephH@cofebirmingham.com if you have any concerns.

Fire escape

In case there is a need to evacuate church, please make yourself familiar with the fire exit routes before the service starts.

Compline

There is a service of Compline on the 2nd September 2026 @ 9.30pm. The Zoom details are - Meeting ID: 848 0981 2495 Passcode: 464983

Birmingham City Mission Food Bank

We have received a message from BCM Food Bank to say that they are running low on food stocks. If you can over any dried or canned food items over the next couple of weeks there will be a box at the back of church to leave donations in. Thank you in advance for your donations.

Harvest supper

Make a note in your diaries that there will be a Harvest Supper at St Michael & All Angels church on Saturday 3rd October at 5pm. If you would like to come please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of church.

The wisdom of the old

There will be a bible course every Monday morning in October focusing on the wisdom and value offered by those of riper years. More details will follow in due course.

Sermon link (a way of holding onto the message of the sermon this week)

Receiving the gift of God's grace (His unmerited favour) is costly, it is not cheap. Being in relationship with Jesus requires us to live differently to the vast majority of the ways of the world. Our faith must give off an odour, we must smell. I wonder what scent you perfume the environment around you with?

Birmingham Heritage week – 11th to 20th September

Church will be open on Saturday 12th September from 10am to 3pm for visitors as part of Birmingham Heritage Week. If you're around please pop in.

Harvest Festival – Sunday 4th October

Please make a note of the date for Harvest Festival which will be a choral Mass starting at 11am. We will once again be donating the food items that we bring into Birmingham City Mission Food Bank.

Church Hall architectural plans

If you are interested there is a display of the information that we have received so far from the architects as they carry out the feasibility study into whether the hall can be repurposed for housing. If you have any questions, just ask Fr Alex, Sharon or Liz.

Rota and Readings – Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Mass

Preside	Fr Alex
Lead	Sam
Server	Doreen
Intercessions	Doreen
Sides person	Rita
Crucifer	Sam
Sacristan	David

Readings

Ezekiel 33: 7-11
Psalm 119: 33-40
Romans 13: 8-end
Matthew 18: 15-20

Prayers

Saint Benedict's church

May the power of your spirit Lord stir the creative abilities of the architects as they reimagine the possibilities if the Hall were repurposed for housing.

Saint Cyprian's church

Establish us quickly into our worship within the Memorial Hall, opening our hearts to give our all back to you in joy and expectation.

Saint Michael & All Angels church

Thank you, Lord, for the refurbishment work that is being undertaken with care and skill in the hall kitchen. Thank you, Lord, for the generosity of grant that we received from Keeble College, Oxford.

We pray for all those who are in need at this time, for Sue Cattell, Jenny Lothar, Mayleen Harewood, John Fergus, Edgar Bailey, Laura Baker, Charlotte, David Mashikinya, Horrace Beckford, Colin, Bretton Pierce and Nina

We remember those who have died in faith... Fr Percil, Sheila Bailey, David Westwood and Richard Allatt **along with those whose years mind is this week...** Thomas Eastwood, Dorothy Major, Catherine Townsend, Henry Thompson, Walter Soden, Oliver Boswell, Florence Earp, William Romanes, George Coleman and Sarah Fergus.