

NEWSLETTER OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES, NEW MILTON

17TH NOVEMBER
2024
33RD SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME,
YEAR B

TODAY'S READINGS: THE FINAL JUDGEMENT



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ROAD CLOSURE; Please note, due to gas works, there is no access to the church from Barton Court Road end of Mount Avenue. Please come from the other direction.

ASSISTED DYING BILL: Is being debated in the Commons shortly. If you feel that Assisted Dying should not become legal, then please take a postcard home today, complete it, put a stamp on it, and send it to your MP: Sir Desmond Swayne (New Forest West) or Sir Julian Lewis (New Forest East), directly to the House of Commons. It is a free vote, so what you tell your MP really matters.

TABLETOP/CARBOOT SALE: Next Sunday after 10.00am Mass in the hall and carpark. £10 for a pitch. Time to make room for Santa! Why not come to Mass with a boot-full of things you don't need anymore? Don't forget to bring a float of coins for change. Please sign-up at the back of the church if you want a pitch.

PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH: Sunday 8th December, 12.30pm the Globe, Highcliffe. Three courses, only £25 per head including gratuities. Please sign up at the back of the church indicating your preferred choices from the menu.



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PARISH CHRISTMAS DRAWER: First prize £100 and lots more prizes! Tickets only £1 each. Please take four or five books of tickets and sell to your family, friends, and neighbours. Please make sure stubs have legible name and contact number of buyers and return with monies when you can. Drawer will take place on Sunday 22nd December during coffee after 10.00am Mass.

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY: Parish Centenary Project.

NOVEMBER LIST: Please pray for the repose of the souls of all people whose names are resting in front of the altar.

TED NASH: Please pray for Ted, a faithful parishioner of many years here at OLOL, who died recently. Ted's body will be received into OLOL on Tuesday 26th November at 4.00pm followed by his Funeral Mass the next day at 2.00pm and Committal at Stem Lane Crematorium. We hold Angela, Ted's widow, in our prayers at this time.

DAVID TAYLOR: There will be a Funeral Mass for David with his cremated remains present on Thursday 28th November at noon at OLOL followed by interment at St Mark's Highcliffe.

MURIEL AUDSLEY: Please pray for Muriel, a faithful regular at OLOL until falling ill a few years. Funeral arrangements have yet to be finalized. May she rest in peace.

FR MICHAEL CRONIN: Please pray for Fr Michael, a long-time chaplain at Southampton Hospital, who died in retirement this week. Funeral arrangements have yet to be made. May he rest in peace.

DIOCESAN ONLINE TRAINING FOR READERS AND THE LECTIONARY: This will be via Teams (19th November, 7.00pm—8.00pm). To register, please see diocesan enews and follow link.

FRIDAY ROSARY: Will continue each week after 10.00am Mass.

LITURGICAL CALENDAR, MASS/SERVICE TIMES, AND PRIEST'S INTENTIONS
 CONFESSIONS — 5.30PM SATURDAY, (OR AFTER WEEKDAY MASS ON REQUEST)
 TEA/COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MORNING MASS IN PARISH HALL

SUN 17 NOVEMBER	THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B	VIGIL (SAT) MASS	6.00PM 10.00AM	+Ian Barber +Bernard Delair
Mon 18	Ded Basilicas of St Peter & St Paul	No Mass		
Tues 19	Feria, week 33	Mass	10.00am	People of the Parish
Wed 20	Feria, week 33	Mass	10.00am	Souls most in need
Thurs 21	Presentation of the BVM	Mass	10.00am	Heather Williams birthday
Fri 22	St Cecilia	Mass Rosary	10.00am 10.30am	+Edward, +Dorothy Rooney
Sat 23	St Clement I	No AM Mass		
SUN 24 NOVEMBER	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE	VIGIL (SAT) MASS	6.00PM 10.00AM	+Tony Thorpe (birthday) +Sarah Thomas Nixon

16/17 Nov Reader EMHC
 Vigil (Sat) GG BD, MH
 10.00am RG SS, JP, JN

23/24 Nov Reader EMHC
 Vigil (Sat) SD BD, Cd'E
 10.00am JK JN, LE, SS

A warm welcome to all our visitors today.
 Please make yourselves known to one of
 our Meet & Greet Team, who will be
 happy to help you.

ST CECILIA'S DAY: Falls this Friday. St Cecilia is the patron saint of musicians so we remember Sara and the choir in our prayers this week.



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PEOPLE'S MISSALS: With only two weeks to go, Fr Bill has still not received any inspection copies of the new translation. Obviously, the publishers have been struggling to get them out on time. If we get any joy, we'll let you know!

HOPe New Forest: Is a charity dedicated to improving the wellbeing of older people by Befriending (tackling loneliness/isolation) & Support (impartial advice, information & form filling) at home and at no charge tel: 07842 204829. It desperately needs volunteers. Can you help? For info. visit www.hopenewforest.org www.hopenewmilton.org

FR BILL'S CAR: Fr Bill hardly uses his car at all so it usually just sits there soaking up cash. The car is a VW EOS diesel 2.0 litre with 95K on the clock, 57 reg, MOTed last week, four new tyres, a bit scratched, and the roof mechanism is bust. Lovely drive with lovely cream leather interior. Offers in region of £1K. Test drive available! Please email Fr Bill if interested.

POLITE REMINDER: Please remember to put your phone on silent before entering the church.

PARISH GIVING:
 Please use this QR
 Code if you would
 like to support the
 parish further.



PRAYER CORNER: Our prayers are asked for the following who are sick and/or housebound: T Steeles, Madelaine Newland, Robin Hockey, Dave Youngman, Barbara Williams, Joan Miller, Malcolm Davies, Nicholas Donnelly, Churcher Family, Elouise Sargent, Evelyn Merifield, John Allen, Marie Doolan, Paul Gordellier, Mary Tanner, Dcn. Anthony Cairns, Oliver, Gill Norris, Mary Dene, John Hamon, Philippe Hamon, Catherine d'Espagnac.

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