



THIS WEEK, THE CANDLES ARE BURNING FOR THE INTENTIONS OF
 SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA FOR **John & Diana Peeney RIP**
 SHRINE OF THE SACRED HEART FOR **Veronica Ryder**



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Saturday 10.30–11am & 5.15–5.45pm & *by appointment*
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - Friday 6.00 - 6.30pm & Saturday 10.30 - 11am.
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET - Sunday at 3.00 p.m.
PRAYER GROUP – Wednesday at 10.00 a.m. *Everyone welcome!*

FINANCIAL MATTERS – 29th October 2023

Gift Aid £210.00
Non-Gift Aid £277.70
Total £487.70

Standing Order £261.00
Second Collection £214.51
for the Parish Maintenance.

Lucky Number Draw
 Last Week Winner
 No. 33 - £33.00
Kai

Thanks for your generous offerings!

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR JOHNSON FUND!

PARISH GIVING

The best way you can support the parish financially is by setting up a **Standing Order** using the following bank details:

NatWest Bank - Account No: 02272016 - Sort Code: 60 - 07 – 41
 or you may contact the Parish Office for a set of **Gift Aid** envelopes.

Useful Information

- ◊ **Sick List** - If you would like to add yourself, a relative or friend to the sick list you must complete a consent form, you can find them in the porch, and return it to the office.
- ◊ **Baptisms**: Please complete the request forms and send to the office. You will be contacted to book a date.
- ◊ **Parish Hall** – Please contact the parish office via email olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or telephone 0121 422 4865 to make an enquiry.
- ◊ **Safeguarding** - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Irene Byrne & Georgina Wakeman. They can be contacted at: sg.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Parish Administrator: Mrs Kathy Carter

Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9.00 – 11.00 a.m.

Email: olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

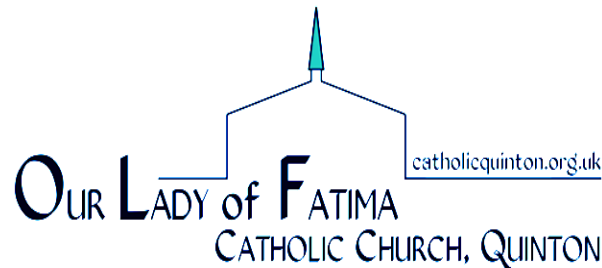
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Parish Treasurer: Peter Lanni **Email:** pt.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

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5TH NOVEMBER 2023 – THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

Saturday	04	6:00 p.m.	Nora Durkin	Peter & Mary Duffy
Sunday	05	9:00 a.m.	Tom & Mary Neilan	
		11:00 a.m.	Holy Souls	
		2:00 p.m.	Blessing of Graves at Quinton Cemetery	
Monday	06	10:00 a.m.	Bonner Family RIP	
Tuesday	07	10:00 a.m.	Chris Jennings	
Wednesday	08	---	No Mass	
Thursday	09	10:00 a.m.	Michael Walton RIP	
Friday	10	6:00 p.m.	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
		6:30 p.m.	Pat Healy RIP	
Saturday	11	10:00 a.m.	Sadie Smith RIP	
		10:30 a.m.	<i>Adoration & Confessions</i>	

12TH NOVEMBER 2023 – THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A

Saturday	11	6:00 p.m.	Packy O'Donnell 3 rd Anniversary	
Sunday	12	9:00 a.m.	Michelle Cronin RIP	
		11:00 a.m.	Private Intention (M.P)	Holy Souls
		12:15 p.m.	<i>Baptism – Bobby Whitley</i>	

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Kirby, Janet Jones, John Jennings, Delia Stewart, Mary Basterfield, John McCallion, Mary Davitt, Donna Walsh, Bridie Kinsella, Mali Piggott (child), Issac Justin (Child), Robert Kirby, Linda Stephenson, Dell Sheppard, Shellie Kerr, Dean Evans, Angela Kinsella, Anne Madden, Kun Cheong Leung, Kay Hegarty.

May the Lord grant them consolation, peace and healing. May God give all involved in health care in hospital or in the community, grace, strength and perseverance.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those that have died at this time. We pray also for those in whose anniversaries occur at this time.

Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

THIS WEEK

Welcome to Mass this weekend. It was good to see so many parishioners gathering for the Masses on All Saints Day and Holy Souls Day last week. Our prayer for the faithful departed is very important during this month of November. Please add the names of your loved ones to our NOVEMBER LIST today. All the names will be placed in the Box of Remembrance and prayed for during every Mass this month. We will also pray for these people in the forthcoming year.

WEEKDAY MASS

A great devotional practice in this month of November is to come to an extra Mass in the week to pray for our deceased relatives and friends. Coming to Mass to pray for their intentions is another sign of our love and care for them.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE JOHNSON ASSOCIATION

Second Collection this weekend will be taken for the Johnson Association, which supports the retired, sick and elderly priests of the Archdiocese. Please take one of the special yellow envelopes to gift aid your donation. Thank you!

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATIONS

The first session for children who wish to make their First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion and Confirmation Preparations for children who attend non-Catholic Schools is on Saturday 11th November at 10am - 11am in Parish Hall.

PARISH OFFICE VOLUNTEER WANTED FROM JANUARY 2024

Do you have spare time in the week?
Would you like to help in the Parish Office?
General parish administration – including answering the telephone and door, assisting with preparing the weekly newsletter, updating the parish registers where necessary, dealing with the general enquiries from parishioners, liaising with the Hall secretary about the use of the hall and bookings. If you are interested, please speak to Fr Long.

WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for new volunteers to join our flower arranging teams. Ladies and gents welcome! Being part of a team means you will get the chance to learn as well if you are not experienced. All that is required is a willingness to be part of this special ministry in the parish. Please speak to Fr Long after Mass.

PIETY STALL

We have a piety stall at the back of Church we sell cards for all occasions: Baptism, Holy Communion, Confirmation, Birthday, Anniversary, Symphony. We have Mass Cards for all the above and more. All Cards £1 unless marked otherwise. Also on sale are rosary beads, crosses, pray Books, **grave lights** etc... **Christmas Cards £4.50 a box on sale today.** Please put the money in the tin in the piety cupboard. Please support the Parish. Thank you!

JOB VACANCY - OUR LADY OF FATIMA SCHOOL

We are recruiting for a temporary Maternity Cover Class Teacher KS2 from 5th February 2024. Closing date for applications 10th November. Please see the poster in the porch for more information.

*** CHRISTMAS FAYRE 2023 ***

Saturday 25th November 11.00am – 3pm

We URGENTLY need: bottles of unopened alcohol, perfume, jewellery, unused gifts and other items you might have which are in good working order along with boxes of biscuits and chocolates, tombola items... We would be incredibly grateful for cake ingredients for our cake bakers such as flour, icing sugar, caster sugar and eggs nearer the date. If you would like to bake a cake yourself that would be wonderful, please bring them along the evening before. No clothes or electric goods.

You can bring them to Mass, box at the back of the church or to the parish office Monday, Wednesday or Friday 9am - 11am.

Raffle Tickets for the Christmas Fayre are available at the back of Church today, please take some to sell to family and friends. Please make sure you return your raffle tickets sold and unsold with monies in good time. Thank you!

PARISH GIVING

There are several ways you can support the parish financially either in church or even from home:

- 1. Online.** Go to our website <http://www.catholicquinton.org.uk/> and select the 'Parish Giving' button <https://donate.myдона.com/our-lady-of-fatima-quinton>
- 2. From your bank.** Set up a Standing Order or make a Faster Payment from your bank to: **NatWest Bank - Account No: 02272016 - Sort Code: 60 - 07 – 41**
- 3. Debit Cards.** Use the contactless card terminal now situated in the church porch and tap your card.
- 4. Planned giving.** If you prefer to make offerings using cash it is helpful to use the planned giving or gift aid envelopes. This gives you privacy and you can set aside a sum of money each week.

GIFT AID IT! For those who are tax payers, **Gift Aid** can easily be applied to any of the 4 methods listed above. This means that for every £1 you donate, the parish receives an additional 25p in reclaimed tax from the Government at no cost to you!

Remember you can always continue to put cash into the collections, we are so grateful for your support!

TEA & COFFEE AFTER 9 & 11AM

It was a lovely way of connecting up again and building up the community. Please come in just for a quick Cupa and Natter. More volunteers needed, please speak with Fr Long.

LUCKY NUMBER DRAW

Don't forget Lucky Number Draw, £1 ago, half the profit to the maintenance fund. Thank you for your support.

AND FINALLY...

If you like to sit in the back two pews on either side of the church, please come up and return in the middle aisle. Thank you.

May you and your families have a wonderful week ahead.

Fr Long Nguyen