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Fr Paul writes:

Our diocese requires every parish to see that all current health and safety issues are in operation in all public spaces. A company has been directed to look at each parish and make recommendations. Since all churches pre-date health and safety all are in need of up-dating. Ours is no exception! After a recent inspection we need to address a number of issues in the electrical department. A start has been made this week but it will take some time (and money!) to get things up to scratch. It is extremely important that we do because if we don't our insurance policy will be affected.

The work on the church roof is progressing (slowly). The one blessing about it is that our parish won't have to pay for it. Those who kindly supported the recent Growing in Faith campaign have insured that the renewal of the church.

There are just two more sessions for the "Teach us to pray" programme on Monday evenings at 7.30pm in the Hall. It has been great meeting with our Church of England friends from St.Mary's, The Fairway.

NOTICES

Advent Giving Tree

- Week One - 29th November Women at the Well - Ladies Scarves & Shower Gels.
- Week Two - 6th December P3 Youth Hostels Bauble sale
- Week Three - 13th December Hillingdon Food Bank - Long Life Juice/Squash, Sugar, Long Life/Dried Milk, Noodles, Mashed Potato, Toiletries & Baby Food, Pasta Sauces, 'Bags for life'.
- Week Four - 20th December Michael Sobell House Sale of Tree ornaments & donations.

Hymn Books

If you would like a hymn book named in memory of a loved one, please let us have the name of the person you would like published and your donation of £5 per book in an envelope marked "Hymnbook".

Red Sanctuary Lamps

If you would like to have these dedicated to the memory of a loved one please contact Gillian in the parish office. The dedicated name(s) will be published each week in the newsletter. There is a suggested donation of £10.

The Posada

The Posada will begin its journey next weekend. You will be contacted shortly with contact details to enable the Posada to be passed from home to home.

Confirmation 2016

If you are in Year 9 or above, you are invited to write to Fr. Paul, briefly explaining your reasons for wishing to be confirmed. Your letter should also include your name, address, telephone number, email address and a passport-size photograph. All letters of application must be in the Presbytery by **Friday 11th December** at the latest.

St. Swithun Wells' Christmas Fair - Saturday 28th November 2pm - 5pm

Come along and visit Santa in his Grotto and join the festive fun! Santa's Grotto-raffle-chocolate tombola-craft stall-cake stall-sweet stall-mulled wine & mince pies-Baileys lattes-pocket money stall-plus much more! **Newsflash!!** Quality real Christmas trees will be on sale, 4ft, 5ft & 6ft will be available.

Primary School Forms

Fr. Paul will be available to sign primary school forms on Friday 11th December from 4pm to 5pm.

Parish Diaries are available in the porch priced at only £1.

Westminster Year Book for 2016 is also available priced at £4.50.

22nd November 2015

MASS TIMES

Saturday

Vigil Mass: 5.30 pm

Sunday

10.00 am and 6.00 pm

Monday

10.00 am

Tuesday

10.00 am

Wednesday

10.00 am

Thursday

NO MASS HERE

Friday

10.00 am

Saturday

10.00 am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday

10.30 am - 11.30 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturdays: After the morning & evening Mass or by appointment



COLLECTIONS

Envelopes	£ 713.13
Loose Plate	£ 298.49
Standing Orders	£ 500.00
Total	£1511.62

Parish Registration

If you have recently joined the parish or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our parish records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

Couples wishing to marry here or in a Catholic Church need to give at least six months' notice of their intentions.

SANCTUARY LAMPS

This week's dedication is for: Everett & Elaine Tovet (RIP)

Mass Intentions for 22nd November to 29th November 2015

This SUNDAY 22nd November	5.30 pm	Holy Souls + Giuseppe Noviello (RIP)
Our Lord Jesus Christ	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Isobel Green (RIP)
King of the Universe	6.00 pm	Holy Souls + Ronnie Lamb (RIP)
Monday 23rd November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Holy Souls & Beatrice McLoughlin (RIP)
Tuesday 24th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. Andrew Dung-Lac	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Eunice Hicklin (RIP)
Wednesday 25th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Josie Somers (Birthday Intentions)
Thursday 26th November		
NO MASS HERE TODAY	10.00 am	Mass at The Sacred Heart Church, Ruislip
Friday 27th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Nicolina Ciccone (RIP)
Saturday 28th November	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Betty Hewitt (In Sickness)
	10.30-11.30am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
NEXT WEEKEND		
29th November	5.30 pm (Sat)	Holy Souls + Dudley Quinn & Francis Fernandes (RIP)
1st Sunday of Advent	10.00 am	Holy Souls + Theresa Coy (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Holy Souls + People of the Parish (RIP)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:-

Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Pauline Davey, Micah McKennon, Bridie Murren, Mary Temple, Thelma Buckingham, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Mary McCann, Slyvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Hedi David, Angie Webster, Barbara Smith, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Brendan Conroy, Kevin Ryan, Jim McGinley, Hannah Westwood, Betty Hewitt, Theresa Brent, Donal O'Sullivan.
(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME, WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME:-

All the Holy Souls, Fr. Alan O'Connor, Giuseppe Noviello, Isobel Green, Ronnie Lamb, Beatrice McLoughlin, Eunice Hicklin, Nicolina Ciccone, Betty Hewitt, Noel Edwards, Ivy Deans, Everett & Elaine Tovet.

DIARY FOR NEXT WEEK:

Saturday 21st November

5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

Sunday 22nd November

10.00 am Children's Liturgy
 11.00 am Refreshments in hall after Mass

Monday 23rd November

1.30 pm Monday Club
 5.00 pm Walk With Me
 7.30 pm Teach Us To Pray

Friday 27th November

NO TODDLERS TODAY

LOOKING AHEAD:-

Saturday 28th November

8.30 am Church Cleaning
 5.30 pm Children's Liturgy

Sunday 29th November

10.00 am Children's Liturgy
 11.00 am Refreshments in hall after Mass

Monday 30th November

1.30 pm Monday Club
 5.00 pm Walk With Me
 7.00 pm Teach Us to Pray

Friday 4th December

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers
 6.00 pm 1st Reconciliation Service

Sunday 6th December

3.00 pm Special Needs Mass