

## SANCTUARY LAMPS

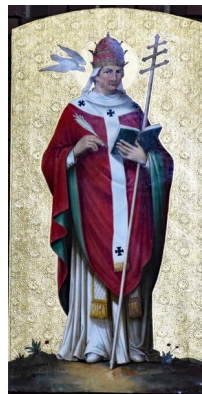
This week's dedication is for Ivy Deans & Walter & Patricia Thompson (RIP)

### Mass Intentions for 25th November to 2nd December 2018

<b>This SUNDAY 25th November 5.30 pm (Sat)</b>		Holy Souls + Deceased Members of the Carroll Family (RIP)
<b>Our Lord Jesus Christ</b>		
<b>King of the Universe</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Holy Souls + Mary Kerrigan (RIP)
	<b>6.00 pm</b>	Holy Souls + Thomas Donoghue (RIP)
<b>Monday 26th November</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>	Morning Prayer
	<b>10.00 am</b>	Holy Souls + Paddy Whooley (RIP)
<b>Tuesday 27th November</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>	Morning Prayer
	<b>10.00 am</b>	Holy Souls + Lauren & John (Intentions)
<b>Wednesday 28th November</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>	Morning Prayer
	<b>10.00 am</b>	Holy Souls + Deceased Members of the O'Sullivan Family (RIP)
<b>Thursday 29th November</b>	<b>NO MASS HERE TODAY</b> <b>(Sacred Heart, Ruislip - 10.00 am)</b>	
<b>Friday 30th November</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>	Morning Prayer
<b>St. Andrew</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Holy Souls + Paddy Whooley (RIP)
<b>Saturday 1st December</b>	<b>9.45 am</b>	Morning Prayer
	<b>10.00 am</b>	Teresa Doherty (Intentions)
	<b>10.30-11.00am</b>	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>
<b>NEXT WEEKEND</b>		
<b>2nd December 2018</b>	<b>5.30 pm (Sat)</b>	Dudley Quinn & Francis Fernandes (RIP)
<b>1st Sunday of Advent</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>	Ann Ticehurst (RIP)
	<b>6.00 pm</b>	Holy Souls + William Gerrard (RIP)



Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Saturdays after morning & evening Mass.



Parish of  
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25th November 2018

**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST**  
**KING OF THE UNIVERSE - YEAR B**  
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### Parish Team

**Parish Priest:** Fr. Paul McGinn

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### *Fr Paul writes:*

*This weekend we welcome Mrs Eileen Tompkins who will speak at all Masses about the work of The Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF), the Pope's own missionary charity and our participation in that work through the Red Mission Boxes. See more details inside this newsletter.*

*Next weekend sees the start of the season of ADVENT. In previous years we have made three different appeals addressing ways in which we can help others celebrate Christmas. In view of the fact that in the past three weeks there have been appeals (Sick and Retired Priests £1482.19; Mary's meals £873.30 and today's Red Mission Boxes £814.15) I felt that it will be better if we concentrate this Advent season on ONE appeal for P3 (the hostel where young disadvantaged people from our borough are given support and help in getting jobs and accommodation), This will take place on 15th/16th December.*

*For the season of Advent may I encourage those who can to come to Mass during the week. Listening to the wonderful readings at Mass can be a great way of preparing for Christmas. Investing in a copy of My Day by Day (just £1) will keep your minds, thoughts and prayers on the coming Feast. (Just a reminder to put the money for your booklet in the wall box which also takes offerings for St Anthony (the poor).*

**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 + Martin Cunningham, Thelma Buckingham, Fiona, Walter & Patricia Thompson, Ivy Deans, Deceased Members of the Carroll and O'Sullivan families, Mary Kerrigan, Thomas Donoghue, Paddy Whooley.

Diocesan Jobs Please visit our website at <https://rcdow.org.uk/diocese/jobs/> where you can view all current vacancies.

### Cafod World Gift Catalogue

Please take home a CAFOD World Gift Catalogue after Mass. Stuck for a Christmas present? CAFOD World Gifts offers a great alternative for friends or family who don't need anything, but might appreciate a gift which helps poor communities to access services like basic healthcare, clean water, and education. CAFOD provides you with a certificate detailing a gift that has been given to a community overseas on your behalf.

### PARISH NEWS

#### Nursery Admission September 2019 - St Swithun Wells' School

Applications need to be handed back to the school office no later than noon Monday 4th March 2019.

#### St Swithun Wells' Primary School Admission for September 2019

Fr. Paul will be available to sign the Certificate of Catholic Practice next Saturday 1st December, from 2pm to 4pm by appointment only. Please sign list in porch. One time slot per family.

#### Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals have sent an acknowledgement of thanks to say that with cash donations and the clothing, they were able to raise £870.30. They have said that the amount raised will feed 62 children who will not only get fed one good, nutritious meal every school day for a whole year, but they will get an education too. Mary's Meals will be with us again towards the end of 2019.

#### Weddings

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

#### Red Sanctuary Lamps

If you would like to have these dedicated for a week to the memory of a loved one, please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10 and the name will appear on the newsletter for the specific week.

#### COLLECTION 18/11/2018

Envelopes	£ 469.66
Loose Plate	£ 378.92
Standing Orders	£ 981.00
Total	£1829.58
Sick & Retired Priests	£1482.19

#### 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 records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

### PARISH NOTICES

**\*\*SVP BINGO EVENING ON FRI 30th NOV - DOORS OPEN AT 6.45pm and EYES DOWN at 7.30pm\*\*** Now that the winter is well and truly here, we have seen an increased demand for some staple items in the Foodbank. Donations of tea, coffee and items such as toiletries (specially for men) would be more than welcomed. Our working groups covering home visits, care home visits, refugee detention centre visits, hospital visits, Bereavement Counselling, Twinning and the Foodbank are now established and we are hoping to mobilise our Prayer Events working group in the New Year. If you, or someone you know, needs some help with these issues then please do not hesitate to get in touch - just contact Gillian Harrington or Paul O'Regan - Mob 07563 775 777 - [info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk](mailto:info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk) and you can be assured of our best efforts. God Bless.

#### CONFIRMATION 2019

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 and an email address. All letters of application must be in the Presbytery by **Saturday 15th December at the latest**.

#### MISSION WITNESS "RED BOX" THANK YOU & APPEAL

This weekend we welcome Eileen Tompkins to give the five-yearly Appeal. Thank you to all parishioners who already give to the Pope's official charity for overseas mission - Missio - and Britain's own missionary order, the Mill Hill Missionaries, through the Red Box. There will not be a second collection, but if you do not currently have a Red Box, please do consider taking one. It would be fantastic if every home had a Red Box to help care for our Church family throughout the world. You can find more information or set up a Direct Debit online at [missio.org.uk/about-apf](http://missio.org.uk/about-apf)

#### THIS WEEK

##### Sunday 25th November

5.30 pm (Sat.Vigil) Children's Liturgy  
10.00 am Children's Liturgy

##### Monday 26th November

1.30 pm Monday Club

##### Wednesday 28th November

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet

##### Friday 30th November

7.30 pm SVP Bingo Night

##### Saturday 1st December

8.30 am Church Cleaning  
9.00 am Walk With Me - Hall  
9.00 am First Communion Class  
12-2pm Foodbank  
2-4pm Primary Form Signing

#### LOOKING AHEAD

##### Sunday 2nd December

5.30 pm (Sat.Vigil) Children's Liturgy  
10.00 am Children's Liturgy

##### Monday 3rd December

1.30pm Monday Club  
8.00 pm SVP Monthly Meeting

##### Wednesday 5th December

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet

##### Friday 7th December

6.00 pm 1st Reconciliations

##### Saturday 8th December

8.30 am Church Cleaning  
9.00 am Walk With Me  
12-2pm Foodbank