

Marriage Care: Have you ever longed to make a difference to society? Do you believe healthy relationship can lead to a better society? Would you like to gain skills and experience whilst helping others build better relationships? Then Marriage Care may have the opportunities you are looking for!

Marriage Care is a faith-based organisation that draws on its Catholic Christian tradition and contemporary research to help couples in both good times and bad. We provide marriage preparation courses and relationship counselling for couples across England and Wales.

Our Birmingham centre is currently looking for:

- **A Head of Centre** to lead and support the team in providing services locally
- **Qualified relationship counsellors** (BACP-endorsed training in Relationship Counselling is offered to counsellors not trained)
- **Marriage Preparation Course Facilitators** (training is provided)
- **Chaperones** to greet clients and be on premises during counselling hours
- **Remote Secretaries** to take last minute cancellation calls on Monday and Thursday evenings. This role is based from home and calls would be routed to your phone/mobile.

For more information, without any commitment, or to apply, visit www.marriagecare.org.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk.

The Birmingham Churches Winter Night Shelter is a community of individuals, churches and organisations that work together to provide emergency accommodation, food and support to homeless people in Birmingham during the coldest winter months through welcoming them into our churches and providing hospitality. Following an initial pilot in 2012, the project has now completed three full years and we are seeking more churches who would like to join and become a host venue. The shelter operates from January to March with a number of host churches providing shelter one evening a week in church halls, meeting rooms etc. Volunteers from that community are required to meet, greet, and provide food the guests who have been carefully referred and selected by the charity. Some people from St. Anne's are volunteering to support this charitable work. Training and further discussion at our next meeting on **Monday 16th November from 7pm to 8pm**. All welcome.

St. Anne's Catholic Church, Alcester Street, Birmingham B12 OPB.
St. Anne's is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered charity no. 234216

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SS John & Martin's Balsall Heath 0121 440 3025



Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary
24th/25th October 2015

Year of Mark (B)

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Mass times and intentions below:

Vigil Mass Saturday:	30th Sunday of the Year 1.00 pm 5pm Slovak Community	Frank Boyle R.I.P
SUNDAY	9am Slovak Community 11.30 am	Brigid Attracta Jones (anniversary)
Monday	NO MASS	
Tuesday	NO MASS	
Wednesday	12 noon	Daryl & Bernie Heaney (anniversary)
Thursday	12 noon	Joe Clarke (anniversary)
Friday	12 noon	Gerard Watson (anniversary)
Vigil Mass Saturday:	Solemnity of All Saints 1.00 pm	Elizabeth Mulvey R.I.P
SUNDAY	11.30 am	Thanksgiving –Isabel

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Welcome to all our visitors! There is a 'quick' cup of tea/coffee in the TwentyTen Room (next to the sacristy) after Saturday's 1pm Mass; on Sundays after Mass meet and greet one another with a cuppa in the Parish Centre. On Wednesdays after 12 noon Mass the **'Wednesday Club'** meet in the Parish Centre for a meal, a chat, bingo. New members welcome.

Lord, grant eternal rest to those who died recently: Rosalline McCormack, Jimmy O'Neill, Mike Hyland, Ronan Finneran, Paudric Staunton, for those whose anniversary occurs about this time - Brigid Jones, Daryl & Bernie Heaney, Joe Clarke, Gerard Watson Frs. Edward Burbage, Patrick Moore, John McGovern, Bernard Kelly, John O'Dwyer, James Faulconer-Morgan: for Religious Priests, Sisters, Brothers who ministered in this area, and for deceased benefactors and parishioners of St Anne's.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Wednesday	11.00 am to 11.45 am
Saturday	11.45 am to 12.45 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions):

Wednesday	11.00am to 11.45am
Saturday	11.45 am to 12.45 pm

Miraculous Medal Novena: Wednesday during Mass
Rosary is recited publicly Monday to Saturday before Mass.

Finance:	Offertory	£502.08
	Wednesday	£63.61
	World Mission Day	£137.10 Many Thanks

Next Sunday: Second Collection for the Johnson Association . **The Johnson Association** exists for the support of the Secular Priests of the Archdiocese who, on account of age, infirmity or sickness, need financial help. Gift Aid Envelopes are available at the back of church.

October is also the month of the Rosary: this month as we pray and reflect on the mysteries of the rosary we ask the prayers of Our Blessed Lady as the Synod on the Family concludes today in Rome.

Please Note: There will no Mass at St. Anne's on Monday 26th October or Tuesday 27th October.

GREAT BIRMINGHAM RUN Congratulations John Curtin who completed the run last Sunday raising funds for CAFOD. If you wish you can leave your sponsor money for John in the sacristy.

JOURNEY in FAITH— you are welcome to join the journey on Saturdays from 10.30am to 11.30am at St. Anne's Presbytery. On Saturday 31st October— topic for discussion "The Lives of the Saints"

Maryvale Institute—Canon John Redford Memorial Lecture on Wednesday 4th November at 7.30pm Theme: Blessed John Henry Newman's *An Essay on the Development of Christian Doctrine*, and our understanding of the family today. Lecture given by Rev. Dr. Thomas Norris. See noticeboard.

INTER-CULTURAL FAMILY at Sacred Heart, Prestbury Road, Aston. B6 6EG, in aid of the Roof Appeal on Saturday 14th November. It will start with a special Sunday vigil Mass at 12.30 pm with the Gambian choir singing. Afterwards in Sacred Heart Club next door with cultural food, music, song and entertainments until 6 pm. Tickets Adults £3, children £2, or Family Ticket £10 for up to 4 children 16 or under. Tickets available at Sacred Heart Church, at Sacred Heart School and at Sacred Heart Club, or at the door. All welcome. If you have a national costume, please come wearing it. For further information contact Fr. Stephen Pimlott on 0121 327 0235.

Our Lady & St. Rose, and St. Peter's Parish Dance and Social on Saturday 21st November at Selly Oak Ex-serviceman's Club, Harrow Road, Selly Oak. Music by 'Pub Crawl', with a special guest Rocking Rev..... Gary Buckby PP. Tickets £4 available at the door.

Advent Retreat —at Wistaston Hall Retreat Centre Crew CW2 8JS Friday 27th November to Sunday 29th November. Theme Mercy— God's Love in Action. See noticeboard for further details.

An evangelising community is always concerned with fruit, because the Lord wants her to be fruitful. It cares for the grain and does not grow impatient at the weeds. (Evangelii Gaudium 24)