

ST PATRICK'S CHURCH

Clergy House, Dillon Court, Netham Road, Redfield, Bristol, BS5 9PF

PARISH PASTORAL TEAM

Rev Canon Gregory Grant – Parish Priest
 Revs Denis Deasey & Rob Easton – Deacons
 Pastoral Assistant – Mrs Amelia Dunford
 Parish Administrator – Chris Boateng
 Parish Secretary – Savia Rodrigues
 Parish Treasurer – Fiona Bradley

PARISH CONTACT DETAILS

Office hours: **Tuesday-Friday 9am – 4pm**
 Tel: 01179557662
 Email: bristol.stpatrick@cliftondiocese.com

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS WEEK COMMENCING SUNDAY 27th OCTOBER 2024 THIRTIETH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME: YEAR B

Date	Time	Intention	Donor
Saturday 26 th October	6.30pm	1)Mary Dias (RIP) 2) George Ellul (P/int)	Jo Dias Deacon Denis & Jo Deasey
Sunday 27 th October	8.30am	1)Marie Howie (Birthday Memory) 2)Carmel Cregg (RIP)	Christine Andy & Maureen Gray
	10.00am	1)Zireva Family (P/Int) 2)Patrick Coleman (1 st Anniv) 3)Denny & Riji (20 th wedding Anniv))	Bex & Nash Loughlin Family Olivia Rose
	5.30pm	Brazilian Mass	
Monday 28 th October	9.00am	Janet Niblett (P/Int)	
Tuesday 29 th October	7.00pm	People of the Parish	
Wednesday 30 th October	9.00am	Peace, Justice & Healing in war-torn countries	
Thursday 31 st October	9.00am 11:00am	John Okwu Ajakaiye (RIP) Cathedral Requiem Mass for Fr. Micheal D'Mello	Ajakaiye Family
Friday 1 st November Holy Day of Obligation ALL SAINTS DAY	12noon	Dineen & Collins Families (RIP)	Mary Dineen
	7:00pm	People of the Parish	
Saturday 2 nd November Holy Day of Obligation ALL SOULS DAY	12noon	Holy Souls	
	6.30pm	1)Veronica N Onyebuchi (RIP) & Sylvia Akabueze (RIP) 2)Mary Dias (RIP) 3)The deceased members of the Stadden Family	Ifeoma J Onyebuchi Clara Fernandes Bernard Stadden
Sunday 3 rd October	8.30am	The Gray Family (P/int)	
	10.00am	1)Bex & Nash (P/int) 2)Angela Curnow (RIP) & Mary Peyton (RIP) 3)Winifred Frederick Cox	Bex & Nash Curnow Family
	5.30pm	Brazilian Mass	Pat Caddick

Rosary: Half an hour before weekday Mass
Confessions: Before all weekend Masses and **on request**
Exposition: Saturday 5.30pm followed by The Rosary at
5.45pm.
Wednesday & Thursday - 9.30am to 4.30pm

The Sacrament of the Sick is available every first Saturday of the month after 6.30pm Mass. You may also request the Sacrament of the Sick after weekday or weekend Mass.

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tomorrow, Monday 28th October, is the feast day of Saints Simon and Jude. They were martyred together in Persia. St Jude is the patron saint of desperate causes.

Friday, 1st November, is the Solemnity of All Saints Day when obscure as well as famous saints are honoured. It is a Holy Day of Obligation.

Saturday, 2nd November, is All Souls Day when we remember the faithful departed. There will be Mass for the Holy Souls at 12 mid-day.

NOVEMBER – THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

This month of November is the month of the HOLY SOULS when we pray for all those who have died. We especially remember our deceased family, friends and parishioners. The month begins this Friday with a HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION. Mass will be celebrated at 12.00 Mid-day and 7pm in the evening.

On Saturday 2 November it is ALL SOULS DAY – A Special Day dedicated to the deceased especially those who have no-one to pray for them. There will be a Mass for the Holy Souls at 12:00 Mid-day.

On Sunday 10 November we celebrate REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY, when we pray for all those who have given their lives in the Service of their country at a special ceremony in Mass at 10:00am.

Please Pray for the HOLY SOULS throughout the month of November.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for Father Michael D'Mello whose Requiem Mass is on Thursday at 11:00am at Clifton Cathedral, Everyone welcome. Father Michael was a good friend to St Patrick's. May he Rest in Peace.

REST IN PEACE – KATH EASTON

Deacon Rob and his wife Kath Easton were all set to enjoy a cruise holiday to Canada when Kath fell unexpectedly ill and was rushed to Southmead hospital. Kath underwent two operations and sadly died her unexpected death comes as a great shock to Deacon Rob, her family and all the parish. Kath and Rob ran the First Holy Communion programme for fifteen years and Kath was treasurer of St Patricks for many years. Kath supported all aspects of St Patrick's parish life and will be remembered for the fact that Deacon Rob hardly ever preached a sermon without mentioning his beloved wife Kath. We offer our prayers and sympathy to Deacon Rob and all their family especially Kath's Sisters Ann and Rose.

Kath's funeral will be on Monday 11 November at 10:30am followed by cremation at Westerleigh Crematorium at 12:15pm and afterwards a reception in the Shore Gallery.

As per Kath's request – She wanted everyone dressed in colourful clothing.

WELCOME TO FATHER RAFAEL AND TO FATHER JEROME

Last week we welcomed Father Rafael from Brazil who will be working in St Patrick's Parish for the next two years. We are delighted to have the benefit of his ministry for all our parish. Our Brazilian parishioners are especially grateful to have the continuity of a chaplain to continue supporting their community in St Patrick's. This week we Welcome father Jerome to St. Patricks from Nigeria. Father Jerome is a familiar priest and friend of the Parish who visits each year, his parents Yetunde and Jerome who are parishioners.

Father Jerome comes on a Placement to St Patrick's for three years and Canon Gregory is especially grateful to Father Jerome's Bishop and Bishop Bosco for giving permission for him to live and work in our Parish.

St Patrick's moves into a privileged time in its history when three priests will be living and working in the parish. This unique resource, especially in the age of declining priests, gives the parish new opportunities for growth and service.

GRANT BRADLEY TRUST

We are grateful to the Grant Bradley Trust who pay for the placements of our two new priests. The Trustees are all Parishioners – Canon Gregory, Fiona Bradley, Paul Gaiger, Terry Coggins, Jismon Jose, Rebecca Bradley. The secretary, Donald Antony and the treasurer Stewart Fraser are also Parishioners. This group of parishioners all do an immense amount of work for the Trust as volunteers and to assist the Parish financially in so many ways.

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

School reopens on **Monday 4th November**. We hope the staff and pupils have a nice break.

BAPTISMS

- (1) Baptisms take place on the first and third Sunday of each month at 11.30 am (after the 10.00 am Mass).
- (2) **Proof of Catholic Baptism of one parent and one Godparent is required before your child can be Baptised.** Further information, if required, is available from the parish office which is open Tuesday to Friday from 9.00 am – 4 pm.

Parents must attend two Talks A and B before their child(ren) can be baptised. The talks take place in the Church on the second Sunday of each month at 11.00 am. **There will be a talk today at 11.00am. The next talk will take place on November 11th.**

POPE FRANCIS TWEET

In this month dedicated to the missions, let us ask the Holy Spirit to help us make Christ the cornerstone of our lives. May we bear joyful witness to the unity and peace He gives us.

TEA AND COFFEE

Tea & Coffee will be hosted **Every First Sunday of the Month after the 8.30am Mass**. Parishioners who attend this Mass are encouraged to come together and meet.

If anyone would like to volunteer to help with the tea & coffee going forward, kindly contact the parish office.

Tea and Coffee will be served today by the Polish Community.

Next week the tea and coffee will be served by the Pan African Community.

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

Kim Leadbeater MP is introducing a bill to introduce assisted suicide, which will be voted on by MPs on the 29 November. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade, and we need a huge effort to lobby MPs. Please contact your MP by visiting www.livesworthliving.org.uk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025

The first meeting for parents of children who wish to make their First Holy Communion in 2025, will take place in the **Shore Gallery**, on **Wednesday November 13th at 6.30pm** where Canon Gregory will talk to the parents.

Classes will start on Saturday 01st March 2025.

The children will be enrolled and receive a special blessing on **Sunday 2nd March during the 10.00am Mass.**

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be on **24th May 2025** and **First Holy Communion** will be on **16th June 2025.**

MISSION SUNDAY

The Second collection for Mission Sunday last week amounted to £352.00. Thank you for your generosity.

CAFOD FAST DAY

The Second Collection two weeks ago amounted to £613.76. Thank you for your generosity.

300 CLUB WINNER FOR OCTOBER 2024

Sunday 6th October: Margaret Nooney, Barry & Sam Farrell, Terry Coggins, Dave Hale, Peter Slane. **Sunday 13th October:** S & N McGuinness, Susan Fox, Ebi Cole, Jim McCormack, Wright Family.

Sunday 20th: Sophie Alozie, Kath Easton, Simon & Lisa Peck, Nick, Regan, Edward Jaworski. **Sunday 25th:** Carmel Virgo, Donald Anthony, Eunice Gachango, Jean Lovett, Jill Maggs.

SAVE THE DATES

Christmas Fayre – 30th November 2.00 – 4.00 pm in the Brooks Hall.

SIGNATURE SPORTS

Ben Harris will be running his activity and sports scheme during half-term from Tuesday 29th – Thursday 31st October from 9.00am-3.00pm. For more information contact Ben on 07889 943178.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE FOLLOWING

PEOPLE WHO ARE SICK

Mick Lewis, Alfred Chojnackie, Maciej Kauczynski, Grace Karimu, Debbie Redfern, Katie Cunningham, Sisters Bernie and Biddie Arscott, Grace Strong, Laura Birkett, Gwyn White, Bernard Stadden, Ian Cleverly, Graham Tiley, Angela O’Leary, Jim Robbins, Adam Wright, Libby Nykolyszyn, Philip Green, David Griffiths, Peter Wahinya, Irene Agidee, Don Keys Massey, Liz Coventry, Janet Smart, Tony Gilmurray, Andrew Dobbins, Gabby Sislby, Michael Stars, Graham Parker, Terry Rooker, Steve Jackson, Angie Cortolli, Margaret Nooney, Rosaleen Hourigan, Graham Parker, Kim Parker, Charlotte Priddle, Julie Priddle, Peter Auret.

Please inform the parish office when your relative is well again and can be taken off the list

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE.

Please pray for the following in the month of October.

Roger O’Sullivan-Sharrig, Simon Pickering, Jessie & William Nooney, Seamus Gilroy, Daisey Donovan, John Brain, Albert Shapcott, Marie Wiltshire, Edwin Wring, Itaico Candido, Kathleen Crew, The Tooze Family, Clare Toffolo, Lily Hill, Eddie Lambe, Mary Bosowski, William Nooney, Vincent Vigliucci, Bridgit O’Halloran, Constance Hunter, Vida Power-Baldwin, Maxwell Wade, Bernard Hughes, Ted Shute, Frances & Edward Merchant, Mark & Hilda Deacon, Kenneth Hoskin, Michael Gubbins, William Gallagher, Mary McEwan, Gary Pullen, Bryan Virgo, Margaret Trigg, Cathie Joyce, Mary Bowles, Mary O’Brien, Michael Power, May Goodenough, Albert Thomas, Mario Lagana, William McBride, Tim Clifford, Dante Fiebig, Grace Adeyemi-Doro, Joan Mary O’Sullivan, Helen Hunter.

PILGRIMAGE/ HOLIDAY TO INDIA

A Parish Pilgrimage/holiday to India is being planned for January 2025.

This is a 17 nights/18 days trip to Kerela and different parts of India including some of the spectacular sites that are iconic and beautiful. Full details and cost of the trip are published in the brochure available in the Narthex One (or more!) of the priests from St Patrick's will be accompanying the trip).

The tour of Kerela and other places of India being proposed for next January looks very well organised. The impressive and varied itinerary is going to make the visit very memorable. The organiser are Ashin City Tours and Travels and Parishioners wishing to go on the tour are asked to contact Jijo (organiser) direct on info@ashincity.com to book a place. All payments must be sent to Ashin Tours direct. Please inform Savia in the parish office if you are traveling. So far eight parishioners have expressed interest and two have reserved.

There will be a meeting on Saturday 2nd November at 17.30pm in Church for anyone interested in learning more about the proposed trip to India. This is an enquiry session NOT a reservation session, so ALL ARE WELCOME!

PARISH WHATSAPP GROUP

We have now formed a parish WhatsApp Group solely **for information and updates ONLY**. Scan the QR code on the advert in this bulletin and link yourself to any news and updates regarding the parish. The parishioners are encouraged to join.



CHRISTMAS FAYRE RAFFLE DRAW

There will be 3 Christmas Hampers this year. **Raffle tickets will be on Sale starting 3rd of November** after every Weekend Mass in the Narthex and during the weekdays from the Parish office.

MINISTRIES IN THE CHURCH WEEK COMMENCING **SUNDAY 3rd NOVEMBER 2024** **THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

6.30pm Deacon Denis, Joanna Deasey
8.30am Paul Gaiger, Bridget Hemmings
10.00am Deacon Rob, Natasha Mulvihill

READERS:

6.30pm Colin Gale, Molline Nderemani
8.30am Maria and Rebecca Beasley-Suffolk
10.00am Trish Godfrey, Yetunde Ajakaiye

BIDDING PRAYERS: Sister Leenamary

WELCOMERS:

6.30pm Alice Ndira, Volunteer
8.30am Volunteer, Volunteer
10.00am Maria Fernandes, Teresa Smaka

Church Cleaners: Team One – Adelaide, Angela, Bola, Grace, Jomer

Offertory Counters: Team 1: Simon & Lisa Peck

Children's Liturgy November 10/17/24

Tea & Coffee: Pan African Community