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MASSES THIS WEEK (with YEAR B Readings)

Sunday 26 September **Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Day of thanksgiving for the harvest
(*Second Collection today for Fr Hudson's Society*)
Mass intention for: *Stan Robson R.I.P.*
8.30am
10.30am** (St Mary's garden) Mass intention for: *People of the Parish*
****Please bring your own chair as seating is not provided.**

Monday 27 September **Memorial of St Vincent de Paul**
No Mass today

Tuesday 28 September **Memorial of St Wenceslaus, Martyr**
Memorial of Ss Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs
No Mass today

Wednesday 29 September **Feast of Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels**
No Mass today

Thursday 30 September **Memorial of St Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church**
No Mass today

Friday 1 October **Memorial of St Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church**
Harvest Fast Day
No Mass today

Saturday 2 October **Memorial of the Guardian Angels**
10.00am* *Mass intention for: Rolande Raynes R.I.P.*
***At Harvington Hall in the Georgian Chapel**

Sunday 3 October **Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Second collection for CAFOD Harvest Fast
Mass intention for: *People of the Parish*
8.30am
10.30am** (St Mary's garden) Mass intention for: *Stan Robson R.I.P.*
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Anniversaries in September: Rev William Thompson (1726), Rev Francis Parker (1779), Rev Richard Cornthwaite (1803), William Parkes, Thomas Parkes (1895), Ellen Ryan Ferris(1955) Rev John Love (1961), Bernard McKay (1985), Catherine Dawson (1992), Patrick Dawson (1998), Faye Bullock (1999), Violet Grove (1999), Joseph Haydon (2000), Mgr James Crichton (2001), John Keenan (2002) Michael Broadbent (2006), Leonard Bernard Myerscough (2010), Frank Verlic (2014), Peter Stubbins (2016), Patsy Mullins (2017), Michael Bird (2020)

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In your prayers please remember parishioners and friends who are sick: Deirdre Brookes, Elizabeth Causer, Kathleen Clark, Liz and Lionel Cornish, Bob Grant, Jane and Peter Handley, Kay Hildebrandt, Sean McDermott.

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... for all your offerings and donations. They are always gratefully received and enable Fr John to maintain our parish and to minister to our community.

Contributions to the Parish: 13th-20th September

Regular, weekly Gift Aid Direct Debit:	£316.00
Gift Aid Envelopes:	£184.00
Loose cash:	£138.00

Second Collection for Home Mission Day / Catholic Evangelisation £67.85

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WELCOME TO ST MARY'S!

We ask everyone attending our premises to take note of the following:

- 'Track and Trace': It is no longer a legal requirement to provide contact details at a venue. If someone attends our premises who is found to be a Covid positive case, we will inform everyone on our parish email database. If you are not on our database and you want to be alerted you may provide us with your contact details or scan the displayed NHS QR code on your phone.
- When inside church, the congregation are strongly recommended to wear face coverings.
- The congregation are asked to spread out and not to kneel if someone is sitting down on the pew in front of them.
- If members of the congregation would like to ensure social distancing they may use a 'Please Leave Space' sign (available in the porch) and place it on the seat beside them in their pew.



At **HARVINGTON HALL** on the **25th & 26th September** there is a special event to 'meet' the Tudor monarchs . Please see the Hall's website: www.harvingtonhall.co.uk



HARVINGTON CRAFT GROUP - Church cushions update

Many thanks to our volunteers who have been quietly stitching at home throughout the pandemic. Kits completed to date, are amazing, but we still have quite a few more left to complete to ensure a comfy cushion for everyone in church! As we are now in a position to meet socially and enjoy a coffee and chat together as we sew, please join us on **Wednesday 29th September, 1.30 - 3.30pm** in the upper room of Rowberry's restaurant, Chaddesley Corbett where we are hoping to meet on a regular basis in a space that is large, light and airy! . Anyone who would like to help us with our project would be most welcome to come along or just collect a kit to work on at home.



CAFOD's local experts are helping people all over the world to adapt to climate change and protect our common home.

By donating to CAFOD this Family Fast Day you can help communities affected by the worst impacts of the climate crisis. Donate online through the CAFOD website or by using a CAFOD envelope. You can also easily give via text. Text CAFOD10 to 70580 to donate £10* or choose to give any whole amount between £1 and £20 by texting CAFOD, followed by the amount you would like to donate, to 70580.

*Texts cost £10 plus one standard rate message and you'll be opting in to hear more about our work and fundraising via telephone and SMS. If you'd like to give £10 but do not wish to receive marketing communications, text: CAFODNOINFO to 70580. For more information, please see their Privacy Policy: cafod.org.uk/privacy



Fr John is very grateful for all the messages and gifts sent to him in honour of his 80th Birthday last week. On leaving Mass on Sunday please collect a piece of Birthday cake to enjoy at your leisure!



PLEASE NOTE A CHANGE OF OUR EMAIL ADDRESS!

For all parish correspondence from now onward please use

stmary.harvington@rcaob.org.uk



On 26th September the second collection will be for Father Hudson's Care to support their mission of supporting vulnerable people across the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Father Hudson's reaches out to people of all ages who need help, advice, and support at times of adversity.

Please give generously to this worthy cause.

Since 1902 Father Hudson's Care has worked across the Archdiocese to help people in need. Our work is supported by parishes through a second collection in September. This year your support is needed more than ever, in the past year we have continued to be there for people in need but we have had to make changes to many of our services to keep people safe.

This year, they have launched Tabor Cottage to provide move-on accommodation for guests of Tabor House. Tabor Cottage offers guests more independence and time to secure a permanent home, while still being able to access support from staff and volunteers at Tabor House.

St Joseph's Residential Care Home opened a dedicated visiting pod creating a new comfortable place for safe in-person visits. Our Family Support Service has launched a crisis fund to support the families that we work with to overcome barriers to children's well-being and educational attainment. More recently Maryvale Community Project has reopened its popular lunch clubs to reduce loneliness and isolation for older people and those with learning disabilities.

This is just some of the work that undertaken in the last year and with the support of parishes and parishioners Fr Hudson's Care can continue to be there for people in need. <https://www.fatherhudsons.org.uk/>