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Masses are held in the Church, for exceptions see below.



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Sunday Masses are at 08:30am and 10:30am

Unless otherwise stated the second collection is for the Parish Development Fund (PDF.)

Weekday Masses:
 Monday, Friday, Saturday 10:00am.

 Saturday Mass is followed by Exposition and Confession.

Feasts, Saints' & other notable days this week:

• Mon 29th: St. Catherine of Siena – Patron Saint of Europe

• Tue 30th: St. Pius V, Pope

• Wed 1st: St. Joseph the Worker

• Thu 2nd: St. Athanasius

Fri 3rd: Saints Philip & James, Apostles
 Sat 4th: All Martyrs of England and Wales



Almighty ever-living God, constantly accomplish the Paschal Mystery within us, that those you were pleased to make new in Holy Baptism may, under your protective care, bear much fruit and come to the joys of life eternal. **Amen**.



Children's Liturgy will take place during 10:30 Mass on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.

Next session 5th May.

Tea & coffee will be served after 10:30 Mass today in the hall. Rota: JM / SL

The Food Bank collection is next week (Sunday 5th May). As from May 1st all dog and cat food and toiletries and cleaning products will be weighed which has not been done previously. The requirements this time are Tinned potatoes, Tinned fruit, Tinned or carton custard, Rice pudding, Shampoo shower gel, Toothpaste, Soap, Cleaning products.

The weight last month was 80.8kg. The food bank are extremely grateful to our parishioners for their generosity.

The Pope's Prayer Intention for May: For The Formation Of Men And Women Religious And Seminarians. Let us pray that men and women religious and seminarians, grow in their own vocational journey through human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, that leads them to be credible witnesses of the Gospel.

ACT Meeting 29th April 16:30

The next Alcester Churches Together (ACT) committee meeting will take place on Monday 29th April at 4.30 pm in the Meeting Room of our Church Hall. Please come along to the meeting if you can, to see what ACT meetings are like and perhaps to consider becoming the second representative of our parish on the committee. The meeting will end at 17.30 at the latest! If you would like more information about ACT please contact Mike Bennett at mhsbennett@aol.com.





WEDNESDAY, 5TH JUNE 2024 AT 5PM

OUR LADY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL, ST. FAITH'S ROAD, ALCESTER, B49 6AH

WE ARE PLEASED TO BE INTRODUCING A NEW LOCAL GOVERNING BODY FROM SEPTEMBER 2024. THE LOCAL GOVERNING BODY IS AN INFORMED COMMUNITY RESOURCE WITH A UNIQUE, LOCAL PERSPECTIVE AND A RESPONSIBILITY TO PROVIDE CHALLENGE AND SUPPORT TO OUR SCHOOL,

TO FIND OUT MORE, OR IF YOU'D LIKE TO JOIN US, PLEASE ATTEND OUR UPCOMING INFORMATION EVENING.