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St Vincent's Parish

1st November 2009

We pray for our sick: Sean Og O'Sullivan (4 years), Tracy, Eileen O'Neill, Francisca Rainford (Cassidy), Tony and Pat Darley, Jim Brennan, David Heath, Mary Windle, Maura Burns, Harry Shepherd, Josephine Shanahan, Natalie, Nora Ryan, Eileen Hutchinson, Kathryn Curran, Steve Robertson and all in our hospitals, Nursing and Care homes. **May they have healing and peace.**

Anniversaries: Gilbert Marsh (1/11/86), Bridget Agnes Reilly (1/11/83), Ellen Moran (1/11/48), Ellen Makin (2/11/41), Kathleen Flynn (2/11/06), Margaret Taylor (4/11/99), Robert McAllister (4/11/90), John Kenyon (4/11/89), Joseph Lodge (5/11/57), Greg O'Doherty (5/11/05), Francis Doherty (6/11/05), Irene Harrison (7/11/03), Joseph O'Hara (7/11/84), Brigid Agnes Gough (7/11/84). **May they have Eternal Rest**

Sheffield Irish Association has advertised upcoming events on the green board at the back. Please check it out.

Mums Circle of friends: The next meeting is Tuesday 10th November at 8pm in the hall. All welcome for cake, tea and a chat. Contacts: Helen (2669068) Sarah (2664004) Kathy (2660841).

The Ascent Group

The next in our series of talks for the Year of the Priest will take place at 1.45 on Wednesday 4 November 2009 at Highbury Convent, Sandygate Road, Sheffield S10.

Hot Topics: We begin after the 6pm Mass today with the first of our 'hot topics' evenings. (The evening would not be more than 1 ¼ hours). I would love you to come and support the speakers who will help us grow in our knowledge of the Catholic Faith which is so necessary today for lay people.

1st Nov: (today): The Eucharist – symbolic memorial?

15th Nov: Sex and marriage – just a series of prohibitions?

29th Nov: Medical Ethics – not my business?

13th Dec: Church Authority – "what is truth?"

The Back Pack Project: (see poster at back)

New Eucharistic Ministers: We are about to train new Eucharistic ministers. If anyone else would like to join them please let me know after Mass today.

Cafod on Climate Justice: From next weekend for 2/3 weeks there will be a Cafod display on Climate Justice in the Narthex. If anyone would like to help arrange the display, let Columba know (2661411). Young people's/young at heart people's help most welcome! (As usual there will be something we can all sign).

"The Director of Public Prosecutions (DPP) has published guidelines governing the prosecution of cases of assisting suicide. It is very important that Catholics should know what these guidelines say and make their views known to the DPP. A short briefing note 'HAVING YOUR SAY ON ASSISTING SUICIDE' is handed out with the Bulletin today explaining what this is all about and what you can do about it. There are also details online at: www.catholicchurch.org.uk "

Christmas Child shoe boxes you have until Sunday 15 Nov to get your Shoe Box filled, & brought to church. Plenty of leaflets at the back of church Please take one all info. in it, borrow the DVD or read the Story book to your children we can all enjoy the giving of so much pleasure to so many children.

Lectio Divina - on Tuesday 3rd November at 7.30pm in Church.

CMS upcoming events: Sunday 1st November - Jackpot Bingo. Time: 7.30pm. Saturday 7th November - Mass for Deceased Members Time: 12.00 Noon. Venue: St Michael's Cemetery Chapel, Rivelin. Saturday 7th November - Social Evening & Charity Presentation for St Justin's Society. Live music with 'Groove On'. Time: 8.00 pm. Tickets: £2.00/Children Free

November Dead envelopes are at the back

Next Weekend 31th Oct / 1st Nov

SAT (Vigil) 6.00pm	Feast of All Saints (Vigil) Ann Carroll (anniversary)
SUN 10.00am 6.00pm	Feast of All Saints (B) Eileen Prenter (recently deceased) People of the Parish
Mon 10.30am 7.30pm	All Souls Day (At St Michael's Rivelin) For all interred at St Michaels Cemetery (At St Vincent's) For all the faithful Departed
Tue 9.30am	Weekday / St Winifride / St Martin De Porres John McNamara (recently deceased)
Wed 7.30pm	St Charles Borromeo - memorial A very sick person
Thu 9.30am	Weekday Yvonne Reaney's Intentions
Fri 9.30am	Weekday Roy Ashforth (recently deceased)
Sunday 7th / 8th /November	
SAT 6.00pm	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil) Maris Chow (anniversary)
SUN 10.00am 6.00pm	32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) Phillis Higggenbottom (100 Birthday) People of the Parish

Week 3 of the Psalter

Confessions: 10 – 10 30am on Saturday

Rosary is after morning Mass.

Morning Prayer is before Morning Masses

Collection last Sunday: £778.

ASSEMBLY PRAYER

Spirit of God open our eyes to your presence, our ears to your voice, our lives to your love, our hearts to respond. May we deepen our relationship with you, one another, and all your creation, this day and every day. Amen

Crookes Community Bible Study Group meets at Wesley Hall every Friday morning. This year they are studying John's gospel. For more details contact Theresa Rice on 2665373.

New Altar Servers: Magnus, Amy, Thomas, Sam and Kieran have put down their names. I will see them today after the 10am Mass.

Taize Trip Please check out the poster at the regarding young people going to Taize

Gentle reminder: I think it is important that after Mass children should not be allowed to run wild in the Church especially in the Sanctuary / Altar area. The church is a sacred space and children should be reminded of that from their earliest years. Thanks.