

St Mary's Summer fayre

We will be holding a summer fayre on Saturday 16th July from 11.30am at Church. We need bottles for the tombola (alcohol, pop, squash, water all welcome!) jewellery, children's toys, books and bric-a-brac. Please bring donations to Mass over the next three weeks and of course cakes on the day will be very much appreciated. We will be having a grand raffle too and we also need volunteers on the day to help run the stalls. Thank you



World meeting of families

This has been taking place in Rome this week and ends today. We are asked to join with them in prayer:

Heavenly Father,

We thank You for the great gift of the family and every individual within the family. May they rediscover each day the grace they have received, and as small domestic Churches, may they know how to witness to your Presence and to the love with which Christ loves the Church. Sustain them and make them aware of the path to holiness upon which You call them, so that they might experience your infinite Mercy and find new ways to grow in love. Lord, grant that each family might live their specific vocation to holiness in the Church as a call to become missionary disciples, in the service of life and peace . Amen.

Pope's prayer intention for June: For families *We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives. Amen.*

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13TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

26TH JUNE 2022

PSALM RESPONSE

O Lord, it is you who are my portion.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, lord, your servant is listening:
You have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

Bless the Lord, O my soul,
And all within me his holy name.

"All together we are great supportive force for those who have lost their homeland, family, work and dignity" Pope Francis

Today we have a collection for Peter's Pence. This is the Pope's charity for support across the universal Church. It funds evangelization work but also supports charities in helping with disasters and emergencies affecting people across the world.

Ordinary time (C2)	Psalter week 1	Intention/Info
Sunday 25th/26th 13th Sunday of the Year	Sat 5pm Mass KF 9.45am Mass BH	Tony People of the Parish
Monday 27th	NO MASS	
Tuesday 28th		
Wednesday 29th SS Peter and Paul	<u>HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</u> 9am Mass School 10.30am Mass BH 7pm Mass KF	School intention Aborted Children James
Thursday 30th		
Friday 1st	6.30pm-7pm KF 7pm Mass KF	Adoration and Confessions John Keenan
Saturday 2nd	5pm Mass KF	Tony
Sunday 2nd/3rd 14th Sunday of the Year	Sat 5pm Mass KF 9.45am Mass BH	Tony People of the Parish

Please pray for all those whose have died recently especially those on our June and July deceased lists and for all those whose anniversaries occur this month. May they all rest in peace.

Collections BH GA £33.00, Loose £160.66, Life £73.69 KF 12/6 GA £110.00, Loose £122.00, Sisters £73.05 19/6 GA £162.00, Loose £112.50, Life £52.13

BRIERLEY HILL: Craft Group Mon 27th June May 2pm to 4pm in Parish Centre
KINGSWINFORD: Friday 9.30 - 11.30am Foodbank .

Please pray for all those who are sick including Sheila Rowley, Audrey Berry, Roger Ward, Fr George Grynowski, Pauline Bant, Jeanette Amphlett, Dorothy West, Margaret Gilroy, Kath Emery, Patricia Smith, Roy Davies, Chris and Tony Rylands, Margaret List, Ken Lowe, Peggy Tromans, Rob and Ilona Bryan, Betty Storey, Connie Birch, Stella Jones, and Margaret Marlowe. May the Lord grant them hope and healing.

FOODBANKS - If you are able to donate to them they will be happy to accept your donations. The need is growing so donations are much needed and gratefully received.

SECOND COLLECTIONS - This week Peter's Pence, next week for Church maintenance

The Obligation to attend Mass on Sunday and Holy Days has now been re-instated.

NB Wednesday is a Holy day of Obligation

Church Maintenance collection - This is to meet the ongoing costs of general repairs and maintenance of our buildings and grounds.

Who are you??? **Blue offertory envelopes at BH** - If you use the blue envelopes and your number is 7 can you please make yourself know n to Fr Shanju, Stephanie or Sheila Jelf? We need to update our records. Thanks

Tea/coffee after Mass - Please join Fr Shanju and stay for tea and coffee after Mass on Saturday evening at KF or Sunday morning at BH for a chat and a catch up.

KF Church general clean Tuesday 28th June 9.30am. All volunteers very welcome and appreciated.

Healing Mass and lunch Wednesday 13th July at 12 noon with lunch afterwards in the Parish Centre. Please let any parishioners know who are housebound and may welcome this opportunity . All welcome from both Churches. Please add your name to the sheet at the back of Church.

Children's liturgy this will restart in September and will take place once month at Mass at BH. If anyone is willing to help please let Father know as soon as possible.

Head of Safeguarding The Diocese are looking to appoint a head of safeguarding. Please see poster at the back of church for more details.

Housebound Communion do you know anyone who would like to receive Communion at home regularly? Fr Shanju is happy to visit them. Please let Father know.

Do you or anyone you know need care at home? Our Sisters have set up a care agency, GMP Domiciliary Care Agency, with trained staff, to deliver personal care, companionship, housekeeping, respite care and support and advice all in the comfort of the person's home. Please see flyer for more information, speak to Sr Edith or call 07848 164515

Confirmation - Children not at Catholic schools if there are any children not at Catholic schools who have not been **Confirmed**, please let Fr Shanju know so that we can arrange this.