

Our Lady of the Assumption Swynnerton

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Sunday 18th November, 2018 Thirty Third Sunday of the Year World Day of the Poor

FEAST DAYS

Wednesday 21st November The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

This ancient feast is held in high esteem by Eastern Christianity. It celebrates Our Lady's dedication to God, which prepared her for her acceptance of God's will that she became the Mother of His Son.

Thursday 22nd November St Cecilia

Cecilia was a Roman woman of noble family who was martyred in the reign of Marcus Aurelius. Her family home is now a basilica dedicated to where her remains lie. She is the patron saint of musicians and is remembered in the Roman Canon.

Friday 23rd November St Clement I, Pope

(+97) St Clement was the third pope after St Peter and author of the famous letter to the Corinthians, an early example of the Bishop of Rome's universal jurisdiction. Tradition records him being sentenced to hard labour in the Crimea and thrown into the sea, tied to an anchor.

Saturday 24th November St Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions

St Andrew Dung-Lac was a Vietnamese priest martyred in 1839. He was one of a group of one hundred and seventeen martyrs put to death in the nineteenth century. They were canonised in 1988. Altogether between 130,000 and 300,000 Catholics were martyred in Vietnam from the seventeenth to the nineteenth centuries.

Sunday 25th November Solemnity of Christ the King Youth Sunday

Day	Time	Service	Confession*
Saturday 17th	5:30pm	Mass - For the People of the Parish	11:00-11:30 am*
Sunday 18th	10:00am 6:00pm	Mass - Mrs M. Chavasse intentions Mass (EF) - Celebrant's Intention	
Monday 19th	9:30am	Mass - Maureen Molloy RIP	
Tuesday 20th	9:30am	Mass - Holy Souls (November List)	
Wednesday 21st	9:30am	Mass - Deceased Members of the Hayes & Holcroft Families	
Thursday 22nd	8:00am	Mass - Holy Souls (November List)	
Friday 23rd	9:30am 2:30pm	Mass - Brigid Larkin RIP Mass - (HMP Drake Hall) For the Sick	
Saturday 24th	5:30pm	Mass - Holy Souls (November List)	11:00-11:30 am*
Sunday 25th	10:00am 6:00pm	Mass - For the People of the Parish Mass (EF) - Nancie Owen RIP	

Note: Services in Black in church
Services in Blue elsewhere

* After all Masses
on request

- ❖ **SUNDAY EVENING MASS:** We welcome Fr Stephen Goodman from Wolverhampton as celebrant of this Sunday's 6pm Mass.
- ❖ **FINANCE COMMITTEE:** There will be a meeting of the Finance Committee this Tuesday in the Presbytery at 7pm prompt.
- ❖ **HOLY BAPTISM:** We welcome into the Church Max Magee Dunne, who is to be baptised this Saturday. Please pray for him and his family.
- ❖ **PARISH DINNER** Booking forms for the Parish Dinner on December 1st are available at the back of church and should be returned by next weekend.
- ❖ **SECOND COLLECTION:** Next weekend, as we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, is Youth Sunday. There will be the usual Second Collection for the Diocesan Youth Service.
- ❖ **ORDER OF MALTA PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:** Friday 3rd May to Thursday 9th May 2019. The British Association of the Order of Malta takes a group of sick, disabled and older pilgrims with us every year on pilgrimage to Lourdes, flying from and back to Stansted. Our pilgrimage is part of the Order of Malta's International Pilgrimage, with 7,000 to 8,000 people attending in total. The pilgrimage includes a full programme of religious events. In addition, lively and fun activities and opportunities for sightseeing are available. Nursing and medical care is provided as necessary. We invite applications from interested sick, disabled and older people to join the pilgrimage, with accommodation in the Accueil Notre Dame. Pilgrims in the Accueil are asked to make a contribution of £300 towards the cost of some £600, but this can be reduced in cases of need. Anything over £300 would be gratefully received to help other less fortunate pilgrims. For further information and an application form, please contact Mrs Kim O'Connor, our Head Nurse, before 14 January 2019: Mrs Kim O'Connor, 32 Scalebor Gardens, Burley in Wharfedale, ILKLEY, LS29 7BX. E-mail: k6oconnor@aol.com

Quotation

"Give us grace, Lord, to hope in Your Name, to which all creatures owe their being. Open the eyes of our heart to know You alone, the Most High in the highest heavens."

Pope St Clement I (martyred AD 101), whose feast we keep on Friday this week.

Collection:	Gift Aid Envelopes	£ 191.00
	Loose	£ 251.20
		£ 442.20
	Candles	£ 85.50

Congregation: 105 Adults & 9 Young People

Thank you, God bless
J. Paul.