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THE 4th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Readings p. 133

Welcome to Mass. Before Mass, talk to God. During mass, Listen to God. After mass, Talk to each other. Notices in italics - off-site. This is the Archdiocese Year of Prayer for Priests

Today's Liturgy:

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Psalm response: *My lips will tell of your help.*

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* Modern slavery is all around us and the Archdiocese is about to launch 'Look Up' a campaign with Catholic anti-slavery charity The Medaille Trust. All are invited to come and join the Archbishop, representatives from the Medaille Trust and others to mark the feast of Saint Josephine Bakhita, the patron saint of trafficking victims, on 8th February 2019 at 6pm at St Chad's Cathedral, followed by refreshments in the Grimshaw Room. All welcome. RSVP Email: comms@medaille-trust.org.uk

*The Birmingham Passion Play: Archbishop Bernard asks the Catholic community to support/participate in this event which will run on 16, 17 and 18 April 2019 in the City Centre. The leading actors/actresses will be supplied by professional players from the Saltmine Trust (<u>www.saltminetrust.org.uk</u>), a Christian company who are keen to recruit volunteers for the community cast, choir, musicians and stewards. There will be meeting for all those who are interested at One Colmore Row, Floor 8, from 2.30-5.00 pm on Sat 2nd Feb. (one of the new 'glass' buildings just up from the Cathedral in Snowhill) All welcome!

*LENT,HOLY WEEK AND EASTER explanatory leaflets available from the back

Figures for 27/1/19: Loose £171.70; 2nd Collec PAX CHRISTI: £122.03 Gift Aid: £ 251.70; Building Fund £36 Attendance: 183

THIS WEEK:

Saturday, 2nd Feb **THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD IN THE TEMPLE** (Candlemass) 10am Mass. (Derry Forrest RIP). 5pm-5.45pm Confessions; 5.45pm-6.25pm Adoration. 6.30pm Mass (Dennis Nicholls). Sunday, 3rd February 10am Mass (Rosemarie and Keith Stephenson) 4th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 2nd Collection for LIFE (Theme: baby loss matters).

Monday, 4th Feb. *9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary.* 7pm Mass (Maureen Teague RIP). 7.30pm Parish Pastoral Committee.

Tuesday, 5th Feb. St Agatha. 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass. (Derry Forrest RIP)

Wednesday, 6th St Paul Miki and Companions. 8.15am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. 9.15am Mass (Thelma Charles RIP).

Fri 8th February St Josephine Bakhita. 9.15am Mass (Julie Hanly RIP). Day of prayer for the victims of trafficking (see notice opposite)

Saturday, 9th Feb **10.45am Servers meet at Church to travel to St Chad's Cathedral for the St Stephen's Guild mass (12 Noon). Celebrant: Archbishop Bernard Longley.** 5pm-5.45pm Confessions; 5.45pm-6.25pm Adoration. 6.30pm Mass (Deceased members of the Charles family). Sunday, 10th Feb 10am Mass 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time. Weekend mass readings and homily to focus on vocations. Fr Simon and Fr Eamonn Corduff will 'pulpit swap'

* Please pray for the recently departed: Peter Nyamadzawo, Kevin O'Neill, Bill Askew, Jim Ellard, Betty Cullen, George Harold Reid, Martin Wangutusi Wambwa, Mary 'Maureen' Teague. * Please will you collect all palm crosses which will be burnt for the Ash for Ash Wed.