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 Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale and Christ the King, Kingstanding.

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THE 3rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME. Readings p. 130

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: *Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life.*

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* Parish Pastoral Committee meeting takes place on Monday, 4th February at 7.30pm in the Presbytery.

*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 (www.saltminetrust.org.uk), 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!

* Pope Francis' prayer intention for February: For a generous welcome of the victims of human trafficking, of enforced prostitution, and of violence.

* 1st Holy Communion Mass this year is on 11th and 18th May. Workshops will start soon for those children *not* in our School.

THIS WEEK:

Saturday, 26th 5pm-5.45pm Confessions; 5.45pm-6.25pm Adoration. 6.30pm Mass (John Scully RIP).
 Sunday, 27th Jan 10am Mass 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time. PAX CHRISTI 2nd Collection.

Monday, 28th Jan. *St Thomas Aquinas. 9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary. 7pm Mass (Mary McGloughlin RIP).*

Tuesday, 29th Jan 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass. (Margaret A. Ancobiah)

Wednesday, 30th 8.15am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. 9.15am Mass (Joseph Long RIP).

Fri 1st February 9.15am Mass (Mary A. Danso family)

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).

BREXIT - The Government will launch, in March, 2019, a Settlement scheme for EU citizens. All EU citizens in the UK will be required to make an application should they wish to remain here after BREXIT. Irish citizens are not required to apply. Full statement in porch. And visit: gov.uk/settled-status-eu-citizens-families

Figures for 20/1/19:
 Loose £179.34; 2nd Collec Ordinariate: £120.71
 Gift Aid: £ 201; Building Fund £10
 Attendance: 212

* 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.