

# The Parishes of Sacred Heart & St Margaret Mary, & Our Lady of Good Counsel, Leicester

*Twenty Seventh Sunday of the year*

*Sunday October 8th 2023*



Date	Time and event	Church	Mass Intentions
Saturday 7th <i>Our Lady of the Rosary</i>	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Our Lady's	<b>RIP</b> Jose Sandes, Deceased members of Remedios & Andrade Family, Custavum Remedios & Anna Luiza Miranda, Ligia De Menezes, Jose Carlos, Francisco & Antonio de Oliveira Colimao, Joao D'Sa & Emilia Almedo.
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	<b>RIP</b> Ivor Pereira, John Brouder. <b>GH</b> Clinton Brito.
Sunday 8th <i>27th Sunday of the year</i>	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	<b>RIP</b> Renato & Noami Pereira & Jose & Tereza Rebelo, Ludovina Julia Noronha and Oscar & Gervasio Teles Pereira. <b>GH</b> Zoe & Ozzie, Lorenzo Cruz Remedios.
	11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	<b>GH</b> Cyril Moraes. For the Parish.

Monday 9th <i>St John Henry Newman</i>	10am	SMM	<b>RIP</b> John Sheehan. <b>Thanksgiving</b> Ivan DCosta.
Tuesday 10th <i>St Paulinus &amp; the Anglo-Saxon Sts</i>	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass	Sacred Heart	<b>B'day</b> Eloviana Fernandes, Ruby Dias.
Wed 11th	10am Mass	Sacred Heart	<b>GH</b> Richard & Pricila Remedios.
Thursday 12th	10am Mass 10am Mass Club Room 12pm Requiem Mass	Our Lady's Sacred Heart Sacred Heart	For the Parish. <b>RIP</b> Mary Considine. <b>B'day</b> Virginia Werner. Mary Considine RIP.
Friday 13th	9am Holy Hour 10am Mass 6pm Mass	Our Lady's Sacred Heart	<b>GH</b> Fr John Lally. <b>Int.</b> Lorna Monteiro.

Last weekend's Confirmation Retreat was a great success. We'll tell you more about it soon, but in the meantime, check out the Confirmation Retreat display board at the back of Sacred Heart Church.



*St Margaret's Community—  
Mass at St Paul's Polish Church,  
Wakerley Rd LE5 4WE followed  
by refreshments. All welcome.*

We welcome Ethan and Winnie in Baptism this weekend.



The Tamil community will celebrate Mass together this Sunday at Our Lady's at 11am.

## Sanctuary Lamp Intentions

**SH** For the families of our recently deceased.  
**OLGC** Souls in purgatory.

Saturday 14th	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Our Lady's	<b>RIP</b> Nicolau & Nascimento Rodrigues, Mario & Anthony Rodrigues, Yvonne Steele Rodrigues
	6.30pm Vigil Mass	Sacred Heart	<b>RIP</b> Jamie O'Connor, Afonso, Cacilda, Luiza & Francisco Pereira.
Sunday 15th <i>28th Sunday of the year</i>	10.15am Mass	Our Lady's	<b>RIP</b> Raul Cardoza, Miquel Rodrigues, John Brouder. <b>GH</b> Kaitlyn Sandes.
	11am Mass (Live-streamed)	Sacred Heart	<b>B'day</b> Charlie Noronha. <b>RIP</b> Luise Jose Tome Pereira. <b>Thanksgiving</b> to St Teresa of Avila.

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**Parish Deacon:** Rev Séamus O'Looskan **Priests in residence:** Fr Joseph Mugara & Fr John Tavares

**Safeguarding Coordinator:** Mrs Mary Hirst **SH Safeguarding Rep:** Ms Martina Guedes 07513 725549

**OLGC Safeguarding Rep:** Tammy Pereira 07513 725402

**Live-stream from SH Sunday 11 am Mass on Facebook & YouTube & other services as announced.**



**CAFOD Family Fast Day** was on Friday 6th October. Envelopes were in your newsletter last weekend. This weekend is our 2nd collection for CAFOD. Please give generously.



### Next Sacramental Preparation Dates

Confirmation - Sunday 22nd October  
First Holy Communion - Sunday 29th October  
All at 9.45am at Sacred Heart.

### 50/50 Club Winners for July to September

1.	106	£100	L Fernandes
2.	1	£75	D Fernandes
3.	5	£50	K F Noronha
4.	62	£30	D Mottram
5.	88	£20	L Monteiro
6.	167	£15	H R Andrew

**Parishioners from both Parishes can join the 50/50 club. Forms available at the back of**

### Our joint Parishes need a Parish Council

We would like to thank all those who have given their time so generously to our Parish Councils over the years and particularly over this past year as we have begun to find our way as a Cluster. It's now time to vote in a new Joint Parish Council whose role will be to develop our cluster's Mission and vision for the future and the direction we will need to take in order to move forward and thrive as a united faith community. We would like four parishioners from each Parish with one 18-25 year old, one over 60 and an equal mix of males and females within each group of four. Is this you, or do you know someone who you think would suit this role? Please put your own name, or the name of a person that you nominate on a piece of paper in an envelope and hand it in to the parish and we will vote in our new Joint Parish Council soon. Please speak to one of our Clergy or to Anne in the office if you'd like to know more.

Every October, Jesus Youth celebrate the Marian Voyage, where a statue of Mother Mary travels around the UK. On 12th October from 6pm-8pm, the statue will be at Sacred Heart Church. All are invited to come along and spend some time in prayer with Jesus Youth.

### November Blessing of Graves Sundays:

5th - 2pm Saffron Hill  
12th - 2pm Wigston  
19th - 2pm Blaby  
19th - 3pm Countesthorpe

OLGC Collections 30th Sept/1st Oct	SH Collections 30th Sept/1st Oct
Loose & Envelopes £738.50	Loose & Envelopes £539.28
Standing Orders <u>£103.20</u>	Standing Orders <u>£569.60</u>
<u>Total</u> <u>£841.70</u>	<u>Total</u> <u>£1108.88</u>

### Stewards Training Morning

Are you too busy in the week but could give a little extra time to help your parish before Mass... then becoming a Steward is for you?

### What do Stewards do?

Stewards arrive 45 minutes before Mass to open up and get ready to welcome people, assist people with parish events, guide people in the event of a fire or emergency and help organise parish collections etc.

### This sounds great... what do I do next?

This Saturday at Sacred Heart and 14th October at Our Lady's from 9.30-11am we're running training sessions for existing Stewards and new Stewards who want to find out more... do come along! If you have missed the Sacred Heart meeting but would still like to be involved, come along to Our Lady's next weekend.

### Christmas Fundraising Dance

Sunday 3rd December at Sacred Heart. Tickets on sale soon. Book early to avoid disappointment.  
Adults £6, Under 16s £3. (Children must be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult. )  
Food and drink on sale.  
Games and music to enjoy.  
Call Vorvin on 07875 129217 for more information.

### It's Panto Time!!!

Come and join us on Saturday 23rd December at 10am at De Montfort Hall for this year's pantomime, 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. The pantomime is a great fun show for adults and children with lots of laughs and audience participation. Tickets at a discounted price of £25 for adults and £20 for children. There are limited tickets available. Information on how to book will be in next week's newsletter.

**Jesus Youth** meet on Mondays 6.30pm in the SH Parish hall.

**Good Shepherd Prayer Group** meet on Tuesdays 6-7.30pm in the Early Learners Centre, 78 Uppingham Road. Except on the last Tuesday of each month when the meeting will be at Sacred Heart Church. All welcome.

**SH Parish Account:** Sacred Heart Leicester RCP Account number: 00949284 Sort Code: 30-15-97 **Please put a reference when paying into the account eg. Collection, Mass intention,** etc Cheques made payable to: Sacred Heart RCP

**OLGC Account:** Our Lady of Good Counsel Leicester RCP Account number: 51819560 Sort Code: 30-94-97. **Please put a reference when paying into account.** Cheques made payable to Our Lady of Good Counsel RCP.