**August 14th 2022. Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Month of Devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.**

**MASSES:**

**Sunday:** 8.30am & 10am. Tea and coffee after 10am Mass.

**Monday:** 7.30pm. Funeral service for Felicia Minichiello at Abbey Lane Cemetery chapel at 11am.

**Tuesday:** 10am.

**Wednesday:** 10am.

**Thursday:** 10am.

**Friday:** 10am.

**Saturday:** 10am & 6.30pm. First Mass for Sunday. Confessions 10.30-11am, 5.30-6pm.

**Please pray for the Sick:** The Sick in Nether Edge Hospital, James Baker, Robert Baker, Robert Goodwin, Harry Bishop, Leanne Chesney, Eleanor Goring, Mary Alderson, Beverley Clayton, Nichola Martin, Des McCann, Nichola Ross, Steve Horn, Sally Riley, Asia Bibi, Isabel Bela, Rob Bradley, Elizabeth Coakley, Anya Crook, Jane Scott, John Kirk, Norman Jones, Christopher Gallagher, Christopher Browne, Jackie Davison, James O’Neill, Helen Carroll, William O’Connor, Nuala Jones, David Abratkiewicz, Deb Stockton, Peggy McGloin, Michael Hawley.

**Lately Dead:** Felicia Minichiello, Johnny Roche, Martin Scahill, Rosemary Gunawarrena, Rita Williams, Rosie Diver (Ireland).

**Anniversaries:** Kitty Myles, Margaret Elwood.

**Masses Received:** Tom Kilcoyne; Rosie Diver (2); Thanksgiving; For a safe journey; Int. of SVP; Int. of Sarah & Ben Tew; Ordination anniversary (thanksgiving).

**Offertory collection:** Loose plate £569, envelopes £368, thank you.

You can also contribute by telephone/online banking:

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**TOTE:** winning numbers were 2 & 12 with 2 winners receiving £17 each. You are welcome to join, 10p for 2 numbers between 1 and 30.

S**YNOD**the Synod reports are available on the website. Please continue to say the prayer “Loving God, you have inspired Pope Francis to ask us to listen and reflect on our experience living as the People of God.  May everyone in the parish be guided by the Holy Spirit to pray and respond wholeheartedly to this invitation, as we begin this journey together.

**Mother of God Synod Gathering** – Save the Day.  Building on all our valuable responses to the Synod, there will be a meeting on Thursday 29th September 2022 in the parish centre at 8.00pm. We welcome all participation and ideas which will implement the findings of the MOG questionnaire in respect of moving the parish forward. Everyone welcome.

**Credit Union:** Check notice boards for times of collecting.

**Little Church.**  After a long break, we are looking for a new leader and group of volunteers to run Little Church at 10am Mass on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month, in term time. The role requires some time for preparation, and availability to deliver the sessions regularly. Support will be given to help to get the group started again. Volunteers will be required to complete a DBS check. If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Linda McLoughlin. [l.mcloughlin@stwilfridssheffield.co.uk](mailto:l.mcloughlin@stwilfridssheffield.co.uk).

**Makeni Quiz.** We are planning to have a Quiz night in the Parish Hall on September 9th. Tickets will be limited at a suggested price of £10 per head – less for children, so please get in touch with Bob Lyons. 2369334 or [boblyons@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:boblyons@blueyonder.co.uk) .

**March For Life UK** happens in London on Saturday 3rd September. We have aborted 10 million of our children and so many women and men have been left hurting - we can be bystanders no more. Join thousands of others at this family-friendly event in saying ‘10 Million Too Many’. Full details can be found at [marchforlife.co.uk](http://marchforlife.co.uk/) if you are interested in attending this event please contact Rachel on 07368297872.

**Care for a Tree?** There are 4 trees outside the church, on St. Ronan’s Road. Could we have a few volunteers to keep the area around them weed and litter free? Sheffield City Council are happy for us to do this. If interested contact Fr. K.

**Hallam Caring Services Blue Boxes.** Summer count now due, please bring them into me and I will pass them onto Helen Smith.

**Our Lady & St Thomas PARISH RETREAT** – A retreat at Theodore House, Stonyhurst has been booked for 14-16 July 2023.

The retreat is from Friday pm - Sunday, after lunch. All rooms are ensuite and it is full board with morning and afternoon tea, coffee and biscuits. The cost for the weekend is £188 per person. If 2 people are willing to share a room, the cost is £146 per person. If you are interested, please contact Liz Mason as soon as possible. A deposit of £50 is required when booking - this is necessary to secure the rooms. I can be contacted at the presbytery on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays on 0114 274 7257 or at home on 0114 255 1493.

**Carmel Care Woman’s Group** a free new group for all women who have experienced migration. Please join us at the Carmel Care Centre every Friday from 11am- 2.30pm starting 23rd September for a free lunch and activities including relaxation, art and music. Carmel Care Centre, 172 Dykes Hall Road, Sheffield S6 4GS. For more info Janet 07927 657462.