## St Thomas More Bulletin Feast of the Exultation of the Cross

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Mass TimesMass IntentionsSaturday 13th SeptemberSpecial IntentionVigil of Sunday 4.30pmSpecial IntentionSunday 14th SeptemberThe Exaltation of the Cross9.15 amSuffering & Persecuted ChristiansMonday 15th SeptemberOur Lady of Sorrows		Parish Priest: Fr David Palmer № 0115 9786236 ⊠catholicdavid@mac.com		
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9.30 am at St Paul's Tuesday 16th September St Cornelius, Pope				
9.00 am at St Thomas More Nancy Harrison RIP Wednesday 17th September Feria		13/14 September	VIGIL MASS	SUNDAY MASS
7.00pm at St Paul's <b>Thursday 18th September</b> 9.00 am at St Thomas More  Feria  Nancy Harrison RIP		E Minister	J Gomez	A Tivey
Friday 19th September Feria 7.30 pm at St Thomas More		Reader	M O'Dowd	M Bennett
Saturday 20th September Ss Andrew Kim and 10.00 am at St Mary's Vigil of Sunday 4.30 pm	Comp	Sides Person	Mr & Mrs Bastow	E Cantwell
Sunday 21st September 9.15 am at St Thomas More  25th Sunday of the	Year	20/21 September	VIGIL MASS	SUNDAY MASS
The Sacrament of Reconciliation		E Minister	D Read	J Bastow
Available before the Saturday Vigil Mass from 4.00 pm and by appointment at any other time.		Reader	J Foxon	A Tivey
Weekend Masses at St Paul's and St Mary's		Sides Person	M O'Dowd	A & J Tivey
St Paul's Saturday Vigil 6.00 pm Sunday 9.30 St Mary's Sunday 11.0		Church Cleaners for August	K McGinley, M Coulthard, A Stanley	

## **News Items**

<u>Prayers for the Sick:</u> Fr John, Margaret Magner, John Simcock, Sheila Leatherland, June DeLee, Margaret Cummins, Siobhan Grinnel-More, Roger Livens, Frank Slattery, Teresa O'Dowd, Kath O'Dowd, Naomi Hardwick, Margaret Shaw, Teresa Alanach, Olive Gould. Stan Greatorex, John Wilkinson Deirdre Dinsdale Mrs Solange Li WanPo.

**STM Good Neighbours Group** Thanks to all who brought their papers in for verification last week. A few hiccoughs with some of the paper work remain and we will be contacting you within the next couple of weeks to iron all this out. If you forgot to bring your forms and would still like to have them verified then please contact either Deacon Anthony or Sean and we will do all we can to help. If you would like to join this group then please speak with Deacon Anthony

<u>Sunday 14th September 6.30 pm</u> For such a time as this...on the feast of the Exaltation of the Cross there will be a prayer vigil here at St Thomas More in order to come together to pray for the plight of the persecuted Christians who are suffering in Iraq. Please come along to light a candle and spend some time in prayer at this time of suffering – see poster

<u>Prof Adrian Davis</u> Just a brief update to let you know that Adrian is in recovery mode and making progress although very slowly. The family are so grateful for the concern and prayers of the parish and thank you all so much for the spiritual support.

New Weekend Mass times as from 4 October 2014 Saturday Vigil 5.00pm Sunday Morning 11.30 am

<u>Singles' Club.</u> The next Sunday lunch will be on Sunday 14th September at 12.45 p.m. at Table 8, Wollaton Rd., Beeston. Please let Maureen know if you are unable to come. Thank you

**Prayer Group** The next meeting will be on Thursday 25 September at 7.30 pm at 339 Wollaton Road. New faces welcome—there is a lot to pray for!

The Society for the Protection of Unborn Children have sent a petition to be sent to the Secretary of State for Health, asking for as many signatures as possible in a request to ensure that doctors do not misinform and mislead women by authorising abortion on invalid health grounds. Under the Abortion Act 1967, nearly 4,000 babies are aborted every week in Britain. Most abortions (97%) are authorised because it's claimed that the pregnancy is a risk to the mother's mental health, but the latest medical evidence confirms that abortion does not lead to better mental health for women. The law is clearly being abused. Now the Department of Health, instead of enforcing the law, is seeking to widen abortion services even further. Please sign the petition form at the back of church, and help the SPUC to fight this proposal; it must not be allowed to happen. Thank you

Wollaton Care Group Coffee Morning At St Leonard's Community Centre Saturday 4 October 2014 10.00 am—11.30 am. Tickets go on sale next week