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

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The 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. Readings p. 134

Welcome to Mass. Please join us in school for refreshments after the 10am Sunday  
Mass. Before Mass, *talk to God* During mass, *Listen to God*. After mass, *Talk to each other*.

*Notices in italics are off-site.*

**Today's Liturgy:**

**Introit 16**

Psalm: *Remember your mercy,  
Lord.*

**Offertory: 134**

**Communion: 384**

**Final: 195**

**Many thanks to Fr Giles Goward  
(Oscott College) for celebrating mass.**

\* Please could interested parents of 4-7 year olds attend a meeting next Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> October, after mass at 11.15-11.45am? \* The redecoration of the Church will begin on 9 October. We need volunteers who can give even an hour a day to help with the preparation and the decoration. \* If you have *Missio* boxes please hand them to John or Janet Coffey. \* Many thanks to the 11 people who attended the reader training events. Those who didn't attend will still be invited to a session soon. \* Blessed John Henry Newman memorial is Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> October. 7pm Sung Mass -Divine worship-with homily.

- Secondary school application deadline is end of Oct. Please hand forms to Magda Walczak in the parish liaison office in school.

**Mass this Week** Sat, 30 Sept 6.30pm Mass (John McDonnell RIP). Sun 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 10am Mass (People of the parish).

Mon, 2<sup>nd</sup> Guardian Angels. 9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Maryvale. No pm Mass. 7.15pm Maryvale Praise Group at Assumption B44 9SR.

Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> 9am Rosary. No Mass.

Wed 4<sup>th</sup> St Francis of Assisi 9.15am Mass  
*Thurs, 5<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm-8.45pm Evangelium Course begins at Christ the King, Kingstanding.*

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> 9.15am Mass (School Mass)

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Mass (Richard O'Connor RIP). Visit of Aid to the Church in Need 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Cafod. Sun 8<sup>th</sup> October 10am Mass. 12 Noon baptism of Demi-Leigh(&siblings) Brennan. Visit of A.C.N.4-6pm *'An afternoon with Cardinal Newman', Fr Peter Conley at Maryvale*

**Facts and figures:** for 24 Sept, Gift Aid £207; Non Gift-aid £193.91, attendance: 242. \*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Fr Hudson Society £140.05. \*The Gallery designated building fund summary is available at the back of church. \*Jennifer Ezirim will be selling cakes at the end of Sun mass today in aid of LEPR.

- Pope Francis' prayer intention for October: That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good. \* The funeral of Maureen Jones will take place on Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> Oct at 12 Noon. \*The funeral of Winston Alexander will be on 10 Oct at 11.30am.