

The Catenians were established in Manchester in 1908 at the behest of Louis Casartelli, the then Bishop of Salford. For the first two years the Catenians were known as "The Chums Benevolent Association, and its original and essential characteristics were typical of many male societies established in the period before the First World War.

The name Catenians derives from Catena, the Latin word for Chain. Each member is seen as a link upon which the strength of the whole chain depends.

The Aims of the society are:

1. To foster brotherly love among our members and to develop social bonds among our members and their families
2. To support one another in the practice of our Faith.
3. To support and encourage Brothers, their families and widows as needs arise.
4. To support Brothers in difficulty or need including maintaining and administering benevolent funds through the Catenian Association Benevolent and Children's Fund
5. To advance the interests and development of young Catholics and to assist them in the choice or pursuit of a career, including the promotion and support of the Catenian Association Bursary Fund
6. To help our clergy and to encourage and support vocations to the religious life in appropriate ways.
7. To support charities which the Circle, Province or Association considers are worthy and relevant.

<https://www.thecatenians.com/visitors/history/>

ADVERTISEMENTS

Francesca Thompson has vacancies for cleaning and ironing (carried out in your own home). Please contact Francesca to enquire about rates of charge and her availability on 01562 770072 or 07974 092720.

Do you need Lawn Mowing/Garden clearing work to be done? If so please contact Tom Goodyear to enquire about rates of charge and availability on: 07824 696929

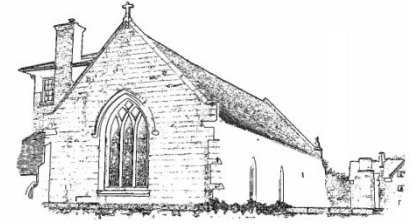
EMERGENCY EXIT: This is via the sacristy and through the house

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The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham

Times of Holy Mass and Intentions (YEAR A Readings)

Sunday 23 July 8.30 am - 10.30 am -	Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Caroline Clist R.I.P. The Catenians, <i>We welcome members of the Kidderminster & District Catenian Circle brothers and their families to our 10.30 Mass this morning.</i>
Monday 24 July 8.30 am -	Feria in Ordinary Time Briege Grant R.I.P.
Tuesday 25 July 8.30 am -	Feast of St James, Apostle For the People of the Parish
Wednesday 26 July 8.30 am - 9.00 am -	Memorial of Ss Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary Doreen Millard R.I.P. #Discussion Group in The Stable
Thursday 27 July 8.30 am - <i>* Please note change of time for this week only</i>	Feria in Ordinary Time Marco Costanzo R.I.P.
Friday 28 July 11.30 am -	Feria in Ordinary Time Doreen Millard R.I.P.
Saturday 29 July 10.00 am - <i>(At Harvington Hall in the Georgian Chapel)</i>	Memorial of St Martha Private Intention
Sunday 30 July 8.30 am - 10.30 am -	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time For the people of the Parish Doreen Millard R.I.P.

Anniversaries in July: Rev Arthur Vaughan (1792), Sir George Throckmorton (1826), Joseph Hallsley (1874), Helen Chare (1899), Katherine Drinkwater (1939), Winifred Mewburn Crook (1980), Clive Grant (1980), Veronica Webster (1992), Eric Thomson (1995), Dorothy Tweddell (2000), Margery Thomas (2001) Elizabeth Medicott (2011).

Prayers for Sick:

Hilda Willets, Trudy Woodall, Anthony & Veronica, Mitchell, Philip Edwards, Julia Comber, Patsy Mullins, Anne Hiron, Michael Butler, Kathleen Clarke, Maureen Ribbins, Louise Barden, Wendy Packwood, Anthony Francis-Floris, James Arbuthnott, Michael Bianco

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sunday 23 July

Stephen Fox, Brian Delmas
Steve McWalter, John Charuk

Sunday 30 July

Eddie Picardo, Bridget Robson
Mary Meese, Jean Lloyd

Readers:

Sunday 23 July

Biddy Goodyear
Marie Rochford

Sunday 30 July

Liz Cornish
Frances Rimmer

Church Cleaners this week: Mrs A Harvey & Mrs S Fernihough

Money Counters this week: Mrs M Walmsley & Mrs B Goodyear

Thank you to all those who volunteer their services on a regular basis. The whole Parish benefits from your generosity. The July to December rotas for some of these tasks are available from the table in the porch today.

Contributions to the Parish:

Weekly Offertory taken on Sunday 16 July

Gift Aid	£ 253.00
Envelopes	£ 202.00
Loose	£ 255.35

The Wednesday Word Trust leaflets are available from the table in the porch or may be downloaded from: <http://www.wednesdayword.org/parish/index.htm> (click on The Parish Version) either for your personal use at home or in anticipation of the group discussion on Wednesday mornings. The informal discussion group is led by Fr John and is open to everyone. Do come along for a cup of coffee and an exchange of ideas!



THE SUMMER RAFFLE was drawn last Sunday after the 10.30am Mass. Congratulations to the lucky winners and sincere thanks to everyone who bought a single ticket, your support has raised £1185 for Parish funds. The list of winners may be found on the notice board in the porch.

TRIVIA QUIZ A parish, family fun event to note in your diary on Saturday 28 October at 7.00 pm at The Oaks Community Centre, Harvington. Tickets £5 each to include 'nibbles', tea, coffee and soft drinks (you may bring your own drinks too if you wish). Up to four people in each team. Tickets will be on sale nearer to the time.



Harvington Hall

... is right on our doorstep and attracts visitors from far and wide where they find out more about this sometimes forgotten treasure of our national history. The priest-hides were built at the end of the 16th Century, when it was high treason for a Catholic priest to be in England. The hiding places at Harvington are the finest surviving series in England, and four of them, all sited round the Great Staircase, show the trademarks of the master builder of such places, Nicholas Owen, who was at work from 1588 onwards.

The Hall and gardens are open Wednesday to Sunday 11:30am to 5:00pm. Guided tours run daily and are included in the admission price. Tours usually run at 12.00pm and 2.00pm, subject to availability. The Moatside Tea Room serves coffee, light lunches and afternoon teas during the opening hours of The Hall. It is always worth (another) visit!



Plans are getting underway for the **DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO HARVINGTON** which will take place on **Sunday 3 September**. Please put this date in your diary in order to attend the Pilgrimage Mass during the afternoon. We are the hosts of this important event and it is the privilege of our parish community to offer our visitors hospitality and a generous welcome to Harvington. Closer to the date you will be able to sign up to volunteer in various ways so that we may once again provide pilgrims with a meaningful and happy experience.