

Sunday 23 October Mossy Church



Mossy Church is a way for people of all ages to connect with God in the natural world and to discover what God is doing as the seasons change through the year. It involves getting hands on with the beauty and wonder of nature, and learning of our own connections between spirituality and the natural world. These sessions follow the seasons and take place in the ideal location of the large garden of St Michael's Vicarage, Solihull.

Please pray for Fr Simon Marshall and Sarah as this initiative continues to develop.

MON 24

As school leaders and governors consider whether, or when, to join with other schools in a multi-academy trust, we ask that they will seek your guidance and wisdom for their discussions, and for generosity and humility as they speak with potential partners.

TUE 25

The Rock @ St Peter's is a new youth club at St Peter, Balsall Common that started in May for school years 5 and 6 and they are already seeing around 30 children each week. Please pray for the team running this club as they look for opportunities to tell the children about Jesus.

WED 26

Alfred the Great, King of the West Saxons, Scholar, 899

Earlier this year, 23 churches attended a 'Leading your Church into Growth' conference. Please pray for these churches as they build on all that they learnt from the conference and as they continue to work out how they can grow and what God is calling them to do within their individual parishes.

THU 27

Local youth workers in B54 are getting together via the Churches Together network to work alongside each other in encouraging young Christians and their friends together, so that they can feel supported and have a space to be disciplined. Please pray that they develop good relationships that will bear fruit.

FRI 28

Simon and Jude, Apostles

Mrs Jill MacDonald, St James, Rounds Green, Reader-in-Charge writes that their Regeneration / Youth Worker, Christopher Sale, has built up incredibly strong relationships right across their community and is highly respected and trusted. They give thanks for this outreach and pray for guidance as to how to procure further funding for this work to continue.

SAT 29

James Hannington, Bishop of Eastern Equatorial Africa, Martyr in Uganda, 1885

The Revd Canon Rob Fieldson, Cofton Hackett and Barnt Green writes that last year they started Cafe Church services on 5th Sundays. Please pray for church members to be more confident in inviting others along and that these events will help people relate their faith to issues of everyday life.

Anglican Communion

Sunday 23 October: Iglesia Episcopal de Cuba; Cuba - (Cuba) The Rt Revd Griselda Delgado Del Carpio; Suffragan Bishop of Cuba - (Cuba) The Rt Revd Ulises Prendes

Monday 24 October: Ikeduru - (Owerri, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Emmanuel Maduwike; Ikka - (Bendel, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Peter Onekpe

Tuesday 25 October: Ikwerré - (Niger Delta, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Blessing Enyindah

Wednesday 26 October: Ikwo - (Enugu, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Kenneth Ifemene

Thursday 27 October: Ikwuano - (Aba, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Chigozirim Onyegbule

Friday 28 October: Ilaje - (Ondo, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Fredrick Olugbemi

Saturday 29 October: Ile - Oluji - (Ondo, Nigeria) The Rt Revd Samson Adekunle