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www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk

COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE –

www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk

WE CELEBRATE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT 23RD MARCH 2025, YEAR C.

Sunday readings: New Sunday Missal Pg No- 829.

Exodus 3:1-8, 13-15;

Ps 102; Response: *The Lord is compassionate and gracious.*

1 Corinthians 10: 1-6, 10-12;

Luke 13: 1-9

PARISH MASS	SCHEDULE	TIME	INTENTIONS
SAT	22	06-30 PM	Margaret Hoban RIP ; Margaret Asini RIP; Giovanni, Giuseppina, Nicolina, Domenico, Carmela, Nina, Aurelio RIP
SUN	23	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM 03-00 PM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Brian Mannion RIP; Delia Newton RIP Joe Buckley RIP; Anna Heffernan RIP Syro- Malabar Qurbana
MON	24	09-00 AM 06-30 PM	NO MASS Stations of the cross
TUE	25 Annunciation of the Lord	09-00 AM	Margo Carr
WED	26	09-00 AM	Stephen & Rita Wilde RIP
THU	27	09-00 AM	Ben Cairns Sp Int
FRI	28	09-00 AM	Douglas & Vilma Duffield RIP
SAT	29	10-00 AM 12-00 noon 06-30 PM	Lenten Reflection- Fr Justin followed by Penitential Service And Holy Mass -May Comer Ford RIP Margaret Asini RIP; Harry Parris RIP
SUN	30	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Teresa Tollett RIP; Malachy Jennings RIP; Jean Melia RIP Obinna Calistus Eze RIP; Sheila McKeeney; Vinny Grant

SJF Parish Collection on 16/03/25

GAD [49] £365-00 NON-GAD [9] £33-00
Looses £496-15

8 DAY CANDLES [£4-00 NOW] – THANK YOU

SHRINE	THIS WEEK 24/03/25	NEXT WEEK 31/03/25
Our Lady's	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int
Sacred Heart	Marie – John	Marie- John
St Joseph's	Breege – Catriona	Breege – Catriona
St Anthony's	Catherine Kitty Collaghan RIP	Bernadette Dullard Sp Int

We remember and pray for all those who have died recently Anna Mary Heffernan , Ethna Sheehan *and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.*

ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM ALL, LORD. *We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love. MAY THEY BE ASSURED ALWAYS OF THE LORD'S CARE.*

Pope's prayer Intention for March: For families in crisis – Let us pray that broken families may discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

Prayers are requested for People who are Sick and Unwell at this Moment – Ben Vance, Aneta Luc-Kocur, Phil Griffin, Claire Turner, Bridie Mannion, Paul Bowes, Garry Hole, Margaret Buckley, Cath O'Toole, Eric Holt, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Ian Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Eileen Barnes, Thomas Hewitt, Peter Charman, Elaine Watkins, Arthur Watkins, Michael Butler, Cathy Grant, Peggy James, Christine Ambrose, David Johnson, Jackie Smith, Bridie Barry, John Cunningham, John Dorrington, David Tuson, Alice Parker, Nancy Guvi, Edward Matibiri, Margaret Goss, Kathleen Paton, Grainne Tighe, Malcolm, Irene Paton, Margaret Simpson, Vera Snell, Geraldine Collins, Jacqueline Marajh, Margaret Sidwell, Pauline Miller, Diane Welford, Bill Ward, Mary O'Reilly, Robert Freeman, Eileen O'Connor, Patrick O'Reilly, John McCann

- **The Parish Centre** is open on Mondays for a Cuppa & a Chat from 12noon – 2pm .This is an opportunity to bring people in the community and in the Parish together. If you or your neighbour want a lift to come in, please let us know about it and will arrange the same. ALL ARE WELCOME .
- **Crafty Fishers** – Crafty group will be every second & fourth Thursday evenings 6pm -8pm in the parish centre. Anyone interested welcome to join.
- **Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage-** Register now: Are you celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2025? Are you engaged to be married this year? Or would you simply like to give thanks to God for your marriage, and ask for his ongoing blessings? If so, you are invited to attend this year's Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage. To be held on Saturday 3 May, 12 noon, at St Chad's Cathedral. Celebrated by Bishop Richard Walker. Please register by Sunday 13 April.
- **Archdiocese of Birmingham** - St Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Multi- Academy Trust (CMAT) requires voluntary Foundation Directors to create a Board of Directors in this new Multi – Academy Trust. If you're passionate about making a difference and want to be part of this historic initiative, please contact **Mr Mark O'Connell** Senior Adviser for Academy Development **email:** academies@bdes.org.uk **Contact no:** 07984528321 . Closing date of applications: 3:30 pm on Friday, 28th March 2025. For more details, please see notice board.
- **The National Mass for Altar Servers** is being held on Saturday 17th May, 2025 at 12:15pm at Lancaster Cathedral. Please contact Ian Mulholland on ianmulholland@guildofststephen.org or on **07944 857 813** for any queries and also to let him know details of numbers coming, **by Sunday 27th April** so he can then inform you of further practicalities and arrangements.
- **CAFOD/SVP Work Experience:** SVP and CAFOD are working together to offer a free residential work experience for 20 young adults in England & Wales from 22-27 June. For more queries contact KeziaH@svp.org.uk
- **Sunday Reader:** If anyone would like to do reading at Holy Mass on Sundays, please contact Cathy O'Toole or Bernadette Norman.
- **Date for your Diary:** Afternoon Tea on Mothering Sunday. 30th March 25 Tickets on sale £12.00 each.

Readers/Eucharistic ministers Rota for this weekend and next weekend

DATE	Time	1 st Reading & Psalms	2 nd Reading, Gospel Acclamation & Bidding prayers	Eucharistic Ministers
SATURDAY 22 nd March	06-30 PM	Nigel McAuley	Cyprian Mendonca	Victoria Alfonso & Chinenye
SUNDAY 23 rd March	09-30 AM	Brendan Fawcett	Tessa Jisu	Niall Morris & Brid Conmy
	11-30 AM	Sinu Xavier	Leslie Ramos	Cath McAnenny & Susan O'Gorman
SATURDAY 29 th March	06-30 PM	Veeda Mendonca	Chinenye	Nacey Abraham & Mary Cantillon
SUNDAY 30 th March	09-30 AM	Pete Walker	Berna Bilane	Gaye Gardner
	11-30 AM	Bernadette Norman	Litty Sijo	Joe Grilli

A Day Of Reflection

Our Lenten journey begins this week, and we are called upon to pray, give alms abstinence and fasting. In preparation for Easter SJF are inviting you to a morning of **Reflection** on Saturday 29th March 2025 in our Parish Centre and church 10am to 1pm.
 Penitential Service at 11.30 am and followed by Holy Mass at 12 noon.

Fr Justin will begin with our focus on Hope as part of the Jubilee year celebration followed by mini groups exploring vehicles of prayer in our daily lives. The morning will conclude with mass and a shared buffet table luncheon. Come and join us as our parish grows in love faith and prayer.

A Simple Prayer –

In Jesus' Name, we continue to pray, In Jesus' Name, we continue to serve, In Jesus' Name, we continue to love, In Jesus Name, we continue to live. In Jesus' Name, we continue to listen. AMEN

Don't Forget 6-00PM Each Day – The Our Father

We pray that God will bless our Parish and all our homes and families for the many good unseen things that go on – which are always seen by God. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

