

# NEWSLETTER

WELCOME ~

A COMMUNITY OF FAITH, PRAYER AND SERVICE

Our Parish invites each person to be active and participating member in every aspect of Parish Life.

We care for each other, and we want to worship and serve our Lord and one another.

Do please consider volunteering by participating wherever you feel you can help and serve.

THIS YEAR 2022 IS THE 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE 9 TUESDAYS' NOVENA TO ST ANTHONY. WE WILL BE GIN ON TUESDAY 12 APRIL AND WE WILL FINISH TUESDAY 07 JUNE.

## GO IN PEACE

telling the Good News/sharing in the Breaking of the Bread/enriching the Community through our talents, treasure, and time / transforming the Community by prayer and by action.

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*"Neither do I condemn you. Go, and sin no more"*

TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF THE SEASON OF LENT -  
"A Judaeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"

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02/03 APRIL 2022 AD

MASS	TIMES	INTENTIONS	FEAST
SATURDAY	02	6-30PM	Tom + Rose McAndrew RIP/Etta + Joanne Montague RIP/Fr Seamus Gilroy RIP
SUNDAY	03	9-30AM	Bridie Robinson RIP / Oliver Muldoon RIP / Patrick Dunne RIP
		11-30AM	Rafael Bonsol, Pedro Bonsol, Daniel Mendoza RIP /PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
BAPTISM		1-00PM	ORLAITH MARGARET McNALLY
		2-00PM	ASHTON, CARTER, and LOTTIE MANNING
MONDAY	04	8-30AM	EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
		9-00AM	Vincent Keane RIP / Brian Freeman RIP
		1-20PM	CARDINAL WISEMAN
		6-30PM	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		7-00PM	BAPTISMAL PREPARATION FOR PARENTS
TUESDAY	05	8-45AM	THE ROSARY
		9-00AM	Oliver Muldoon RIP / Special Intention
		11-20AM	CARDINALE WISEMAN
FUNERAL MASS		12-30PM	TERESA BILLANE RIP [Reception Monday 6pm]
WEDNESDAY	06	8-30AM	EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
		9-15AM	ST JOHN FISHER SCHOOL Bernard Devlin RIP / Amelia Taylor RIP
		11-00AM	SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION ST GREGORY SCHOOL YEARS 4-6
		6-30PM	"CALL TO PRAYER FOR UKRAINE" in Broadgate.
THURSDAY	07	8-45AM	THE ROSARY
		9-00AM	Mary Pethulis RIP / Intentions Martin + Mary Hoban
Padre Pio Group		7-00PM	Mary Pethulis RIP / Ruben Galang RIP
FRIDAY	08	8-30AM	EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
		9-15AM	ST GREGORY SCHOOL
FUNERAL MASS		11-00AM	THOMAS McDOWELL RIP
		7-00PM	Mick McSharry RIP
SATURDAY	09	9-45AM	THE ROSARY
		10-00AM	Michael O'Connor RIP
		10-30AM	RECONCILIATION SERVICE
WEDDING MASS		12-00NOON	DANIEL NIVEN and NICOLA GORMLEY
PALM		6-30PM	Anne Marie Towey RIP /Special Intention
SUNDAY	10	9-30AM	Amelia Taylor RIP / Thomas [TOM] Dullard RIP / Intentions Kathleen Durkan
		11-30AM	Intentions Ed Shore / Betty Byrne RIP

*'A humble soul does not trust itself, but places all its confidence in God.'*  
Saint Mary Faustina Kowalska (1905-1938)

*'There are many people who can do big things, but there are very few people who will do the small things.'*  
Saint Teresa of Calcutta (Mother Teresa) (1910-1997)

Have an Excellent Week – Filled with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace Do Take Great Care Fr Des  
02/04/2022 23-45PM

THANKYOU/VIELENDANK/GRACIAS/GRAZIE/MERCI/OBRIGADO/SALAMAT

THE PARISH IS PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - REGISTERED CHARITY No. 234216

*Write Your name, Lord Jesus, upon my heart, there to remain so indelibly engraved that no prosperity, no adversity shall ever remove me from Your love.*

Saint Maximus the Confessor, 7th century  
Whoever entertains any trace of hatred for anyone, regardless of what the offence may have been, is a complete stranger to the love of God. Love of God and hatred of anyone are absolutely incompatible with one another.

Shepherd of Hermas, 2nd century  
Cast off indecision and doubt not in the least, when asking anything from God ... Those who are divided in purpose are they who waver before the Lord and altogether fail to obtain any of their requests. But those who are wholly perfect in the faith ask everything with reliance on the Lord, and they receive.

[Donation £3-50 - THANK YOU]

LAMPS LIT AT

- Our Lady's Shrine - THIS WEEK Thomas [Tom] Dullard
NEXT WEEK Sacred Heart Shrine - THIS WEEK Catrina + Dave
NEXT WEEK St Joseph's Shrine - THIS WEEK Bridgee + Steve
NEXT WEEK St Anthony's Shrine - THIS WEEK Mary + Jim
NEXT WEEK

SVP. St Vincent de Paul

We remember all those who have died recently - BRIAN FREEMAN, CHARLEY McDONALD, FR JOHN GOTT, AMELIA TAYLOR, STEVEN O'MALLEY, RITA LYNCH RIP [April 12], YVONNE BEVAN [April 21], MAUREEN NOONE, JOSEPH CANNITY, THOMAS BEST [April 26], RIP - and all those who have died because of violence, terrorism, and tragedy - the Corona Virus AND the Omicron variant worldwide - and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time - and all those who have died in the Ukraine.

ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM.

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.

Prayers have been requested for People who are Sick and Unwell at this Moment -

- Anne Gillies, Hugh McAteer, Margaret Buckley, Cath O'Toole, Eileen McGrath, Patrick Maughan, John Maughan, Anthony McDonagh, Eric Holt, Rose Maughan, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Iain Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Eileen Barnes, Thomas Hewitt, Mindi Devi, Peter Charman, Elaine Watkins, Arthur Watkins, Michael Butler, Cathy Grant, Constance Kowalik, Maureen Quigley, Peggy James, Christine Ambrose, David Johnson, Jackie Smith, Bridie Barry, Greville Turner, Sony Sunny, John Cunningham, John Dorrington, David Tuson, Alice Parker, Nancy Guvi, Edward Matibiri, Jackson Vandermark, Margaret Goss, Abraham Auguthy, Kathleen Paton, Grainne Tighe, Cathal Cryan, John Mac, Malcolm + Irene Paton, Margaret Simpson, Vera Snell, James Mitchell, Gerakline Collins, Armando Alquero, Joseph, Shyju Phillip, Fr Tony Rohan, Monsignor Patrick Daly, Paul Mott, and Don Deneny.

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WEBSITES

- ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk
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Repent and believe the Gospel

PENITENTIAL SERVICES

- MONDAY 11 APRIL CHRIST THE KING 7-00PM
TUESDAY 12 APRIL SACRED HEART 7-00PM
WEDNESDAY 13 APRIL CORPUS CHRISTI 7-00PM

Every man is the painter and the sculptor of his own life

Saint John Chrysostm (c.347-407)

Pope Saint Gregory 1, 6th century We ascend to the heights of contemplation by the steps of everyday life.

ST JOHN FISHER PARISH OFFERINGS MARCH 27 2022

Table with 3 columns: Item, Quantity, Amount. Includes GAD ENVELOPES, NON GAD ENVELOPES, LOOSE, CAFOD, ST ANTHONY, VOTIVE CANDLES, TOTAL.

ACTIVITIES FOR AND DURING LENT - TAKE A RED BOX - SUPPORT ACN - JOIN THE SVP

ALWAYS FORGIVE YOUR ENEMIES - NOTHING ANNOYS THEM SO MUCH!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

How's LENT been going for you? Great, difficult - just like life! We can always start again - begin afresh! Well, now, there's only TWO WEEKS to the great event of our Christian Faith - the Resurrection of Jesus from the dead! SO - prepare well - make a real effort over the next two weeks - surprise God by your goodness - who knows - you may even surprise yourself!

A LENTEN THOUGHT

The Words of Forgiveness - of Absolution "God, the Father of Mercies, through the death and resurrection of his Son Jesus has reconciled the world to himself. Through the ministry of the Church, the Priesthood, may God grant you pardon and peace.

AND I ABSOLVE YOU, IN THER NAME OF THE FATHER, AND OF THE SON, AND OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. AMEN."

These words are spoken to us in the great sacrament of God's Love and friendship. They are really the same words that Jesus speaks in today's Gospel - "NEITHER DO I CONDEMN YOU - GO AND SIN NO MORE!"

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK -

- "You cannot love with weapons in your hands." St Pope Paul VI at the U.N. 1965.
"Today's family is tomorrow's society." St Pope John Paul II

JESUS - among sinners at the River Jordan for his Baptism -

JESUS - among thieves on the Cross at Calvary on Good Friday.

The Gospels are eye witness accounts of what Jesus said and did.

The Gospels show how Jesus changed the lives of those he met.

Write down today some of the ways in which YOU are proclaiming the Gospel in your life.

Give thanks to God for this. Are there any parts of your life where you fail to live the Gospel?

How can the example of Jesus help you to change this?

PALM SUNDAY - 6-30PM SUNDAY 9-30AM AND 11-30AM

MASSSES MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY 9-00AM

HOLY THURSDAY THE LORD'S SUPPER 7-00PM

GOOD FRIDAY MORNING PRAYER 9-00AM

GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY 3-00PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS 7-00PM

HOLY SATURDAY MORNING PRAYER 9-00AM

EASTER VIGIL 6-30PM

SUNDAY 9-30AM / 11-30AM

"The test of our progress is not whether we add more to the abundance of those who have much; it is whether we provide enough for those who have too little." Franklin D. Roosevelt

Saint Augustine of Hippo, 5th century God does not hear as a person hears. Unless you shout with your lungs and chest and lips, a person does not hear, whereas with God your very thoughts shout.