

*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.*



**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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**TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR - YEAR C**

**22/23 JANUARY 2022 AD**

*"A Judaeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"*

MASS	TIMES	INTENTIONS	FEAST
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>22 6-30PM</b>	<b>Geoff Thomas RIP / William Kane RIP</b>	<b>SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>23 9-30AM</b>	<b>John McDonnell RIP / Intentions John + Kathleen O'Sullivan</b>	
	<b>11-30AM</b>	<b>Brian O'Rourke RIP / Mary + Keith Roberts / Shawn Malia RIP</b>	
<b>BAPTISM</b>	<b>1-00PM</b>	<b>LOGAN BALL</b>	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>24 9-00AM</b>	<b>Bill + Bridie Cantillon RIP / Joanna Cronin RIP</b>	<b>ST FRANCIS DE SALES</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>25 9-00AM</b>	<b>Katie O'Connor RIP / Jim Cahill RIP</b>	<b>CONVERSION OF ST PAUL</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>26 9-00AM</b>	<b>Mich McSharry RIP / Mary + Eddie Lahive RIP</b>	<b>ST TIMOTHY + ST TITUS</b>
	<b>6-30PM</b>	<b>SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION SERVICE OF LIGHT - ST GREGORY'S YEAR 6</b>	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>27 7-00PM</b>	<b>Steven Edmonds RIP/James + Gladys Edmonds RIP/Eileen Gibney</b>	<b>ST ANGELA</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>28 9-00AM</b>	<b>Margaret Birks RIP / Jerline James RIP</b>	<b>ST THOMAS AQUINAS</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>29 10-00AM</b>	<b>Rafaela Borsol RIP / Pedro Borsol RIP / Daniel Mendoza RIP</b>	
	<b>11-30AM</b>	<b>CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION - ST GREGORY'S</b>	
	<b>6-30PM</b>	<b>Mary Sheeran RIP / Intentions Elizabeth Coleman</b>	<b>WORLD</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>30 9-30AM</b>	<b>Ward Family RIP / PEOPLE OF THE PARISH</b>	<b>LEPROSY DAY</b>
	<b>11-30AM</b>	<b>Keany Family RIP / Intentions Eusebio + Adila Coyoca [50<sup>TH</sup> WA]</b>	

**Have an Excellent Week - Filled with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace Do Take Great Care Fr Des 22/01/2022 23-45PM**  
**THANK YOU/VIELENDANK/GRACIAS/GRAZIE/MERCI/OBRIGADO/SALAMAT**  
**THE PARISH IS PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - REGISTERED CHARITY No. 234216**

**JANUARY 16 2022 CANDLES**

**[Donation £3-50 - THANK YOU]**

**LAMPS LIT AT**

**Our Lady's Shrine -**

**THIS WEEK**

**NEXT WEEK**

**Sacred Heart Shrine -**

**THIS WEEK**

**NEXT WEEK**

**St Joseph's Shrine-**

**THIS WEEK**

**NEXT WEEK**

**St Anthony's Shrine -**

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A smile costs nothing but gives much.  
It enriches those who receive  
without making poorer those who give.  
It takes but a moment, but the memory of it  
sometimes lasts forever.

None is so rich or mighty  
that he can get along without it,  
And none so poor but that  
he can be made rich by it.

A smile creates happiness in the home,  
fosters goodwill in business  
and is the countersign of friendship.

It brings rest to the weary,  
cheer to the discouraged,  
sunshine to the sad,  
and it is nature's best antidote for trouble.

Yet it cannot be bought, begged, borrowed or stolen,  
for it is something that is of no value to anyone  
until it is given away.

Some people are too tired to give you a smile -  
give them one of yours,  
as none needs a smile so much as he  
who has no more to give.

**We remember all those who have died recently - MICK McSHARRY, KATHLEEN "KITTY" FARRELL, CARMEL BAKER, WILLIAM DUFFIN, SHAWN MALIA, BARBARA PARKER RIP - and all those who have died because of violence, terrorism, and tragedy - the Corona Virus worldwide - and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.**

**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.**

**THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD HAS BEEN GIVEN TO ME. HE HAS ANOINTED ME.**

**"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations."**



We pray for the welfare and the well-being of all our people – Please remember in your prayers to the Lord this week the elderly, the ill, the house-bound, the sick of our Parish – all those in our hospitals – all in our nursing and residential homes - those dying in our hospices - and all those who have asked us to pray for them. May all know the Lord's Comfort and Peace. May the Lord bless all those who care for them.

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

Anne Gillies, Hugh McAteer, Margaret Buckley, Cath O'Toole, Tom McGrath, 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 Augusthy, Kathleen Paton, Grainne Tighe, Cathal Cryan, TV Mathai, John Mac, Malcolm + Irene Paton, Margaret Simpson, Vera Snell, Geraldine Collins, and Joseph.

**THE ROMERO CATHOLIC ACADEMY**

**CARDINAL WISEMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL**  
**ST JOHN FISHER RC PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**ST GREGORY RC PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
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**WEBSITES**

**ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM -**  
**COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE -**  
**PARISH WEBSITE -**  
**LIVE STREAMING - YOU TUBE**  
**E-MAIL -**  
**NEW -**

[www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)  
[www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk)  
<https://stjfcov.org>  
**St John Fisher Catholic Church Coventry**  
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"My house shall be called a house of prayer"

**BEFORE MASS** talk to God  
**DURING MASS** listen to God  
**AFTER MASS** talk to each other

**Holocaust Memorial Day, Thursday 27 January 2022 is an International Day of Remembrance as designated by the United Nations.**

**REFLECTION -**

*"This text is being fulfilled today even as you listen".*

*If you love the justice of Jesus Christ more than you fear judgement then you will seek to do compassion. Compassion means that if I see my friend and my enemy in equal need, I shall help both equally. Justice demands that we seek and find the stranger, the broken, the prisoner and comfort them and offer them our help. Here lies the Holy Compassion of God that causes the devils so much distress.*

**METCHILD OF MAGDEBURG**

**THOUGHTS FOR THE COMING WEEK**

**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?*

*January 18 - 25 is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity throughout the world. We as God's people pray for the Unity that Jesus the Son of God prayed for 'THAT THEY ALL MY BE ONE'. This then is our prayer too. We pray for the unity that Christ prayed for at the Last Supper that that unity may be granted to all his followers. That is something to pray for sincerely. It is clearly Christ's will that all his followers be united under him.*

**GIVE ME YOUR GRACE O LORD**

*To enable me to show forth your Love to those whom I encounter each day.*  
*To radiate your Presence to those who suffer, the rejected and the isolated.*  
*To respond patiently to the distressed calls of Mrs X, who is disorientated.*  
*To be ingenious in occupying Mr. C, who suffers from inactivity.*  
*To encourage others to go and talk to Mr. R, who loves meeting and conversing with people.*  
*To promote the self-esteem of Mrs. B., whose complaints belie her moral suffering.*  
*To be close to each one, like You,*  
*Jesus, who "went about doing good", spending most time with the poorest, the little ones.*

**ST JOHN FISHER PARISH OFFERINGS JANUARY 16 2022**

GAD ENVELOPES	[59]	£ 395-50
NON GAD ENVELOPES	[16]	£ 344-77
<b>PAX CHRISTI SECOND COLLECTION</b>		
GAD ENVELOPES	[46]	£ 188-00
NON GAD ENVELOPES	[11]	£ 26-81
ST ANTHONY BOX		£ 20-00
VOTIVE CANDLES		£ 135-92
100 CLUB		£ 115-00
TOTAL		£ 1226-00
<b>MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GOODNESS AND CARE.</b>		

*What was Jesus feeling when he climbed Mount Golgotha with three hundred pounds on his back? I would ask them to imagine. He was feeling sorry for Himself. So I would point out to these patients that they're entitled to take five minutes twice a day to feel sorry for themselves.*

