

### SALVE REGINA

Salve, Regina, Mater misericordiae,  
vita dulcedo et spes nostra, salve.

Ad te clamamus exules filii Hevae.

Ad te suspiramus gementes et flentes  
in hac lacrimarum vale.

Eja ergo, Advocata nostra,  
illos tuos misericordes oculos ad nos converte

Et Iesum, benedictum fructum ventris tui,

nobis, post hoc exilium ostende,

O Clemens, O pia, O dulcis Virgo Maria.

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To you do we cry,  
poor banished children of Eve. To you do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale  
of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy toward us, and after this, our exile,  
show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O Clement, O Loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.



*OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US*

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Parish Priest: Fr Paul Lester

**FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR – 12<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2020**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT THEM**

*Margaret Beresford, Mary Sheila Cashmore (Noon), Carl Hickman, Gordon Holt, Sean Hooper,  
Barbara Jarvis, Michelle Price, Rose Ratcliffe, Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins,  
Chris Wilkinson, Dawn Wood.*

**Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of ANNE JENNINGS RIP,**

**HARRY FIDKIN RIP & NOAH DONOHOE RIP all recently deceased, and for the souls of the  
faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in JULY: † (Please give Fr Paul details of any  
additions to the list)**

*Cath Addis, Thirza Bennett, Francis Borg, Rafaela Borg, Catherine Bowdler, Kathleen Burns,  
Peggy Churchill, Thomas Churchill, Peter Davies, Harry Gascoigne, Julia Green, Bertha Jane  
Greenhill, Carl Haken, Patrick Hanley, Simon Harper, Bernard Lally, Hilda Lally, Sister Magdalen,  
Evelyn Mahoney, Leslie Martin, Vera Moran, Lily Payne, William Williams, Ernest Withers.*

**The Altar of Our Lady and the Sacred Heart – to have the candle lamp burn for your intentions  
or loved ones for the week - £10 - please see Fr Paul or Cate.**

**The candle lamp on Our Lady's Altar burns this week in memory of:**

*Margaret Piddock RIP – Birthday Remembrance*

**The candle lamp on the Sacred Heart Altar burns this week in memory of:**

*Owen Fox RIP (Anniversary)*

*Bishop Leo McCartie RIP*

**To have flowers in Church at a place of your choice in memory of a loved one - cost starts at £10  
minimum and the intention will be on the newsletter. Please see Anne or Cate to arrange.**



Saturday July 11 5.00pm Mass (*Priest's Intention*)

Sunday July 12 10.00am Mass (*People of the Parish*)

Tuesday July 14 10.00am Mass (*Holy Souls*)

Thursday July 16 10.00am Mass (*Marion Lawton Ints*)  
*Our Lady of Mount Carmel*

Saturday July 18 5.00pm Mass (*Priest's Intention*)

Sunday July 19 10.00am Mass (*People of the Parish*)

*16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year*

**PLEASE REFER TO SPECIAL EDITION NEWSLETTER OR PARISH WEBSITE FOR  
GUIDELINES.**

**YOU ARE REMINDED THAT ATTENDING MASS IS NOT OF OBLIGATION AS THE  
OBLIGATION IS STILL SUSPENDED FOR THE TIME BEING. TO RECEIVE HOLY  
COMMUNION AT MASS YOU MUST BE IN A STATE OF GRACE, THAT IS NOT TO  
HAVE COMMITTED ANY MORTAL (SERIOUS) SINS WHICH MUST BE ABSOLVED BY  
THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE PRIOR TO RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION.**

WE ARE STILL TAKING MASS INTENTIONS FOR FR PAUL TO SAY EITHER PRIVATELY OR PUBLICALLY AND ALSO THE ALTAR LAMPS WHICH ARE LIT FOR THE WHOLE WEEK FOR INTENTIONS. THANK YOU. YOU CAN PUT ANY MASS STIPENDS THROUGH THE PRESBYTERY LETTER BOX. THANK YOU.

PRAYER TO MY GUARDIAN ANGEL †

O holy Angel at my side Go to Church for me, Kneel in my place at Holy Mass, Where I desire to be.	Then pray for those I dearly love, And those who cause me grief, That Jesus' Blood may cleanse all Hearts And suffering souls relieve.
At Offertory, in my stead, Take all I am and own, And place it as a sacrifice, Upon the Altar Throne.	And when the Priest Communion takes, Oh bring my Lord to me, That His sweet Heart may rest in mine, And I His temple be.
At Holy Consecration's bell, Adore with Seraph's love, My Jesus hidden in the Host, Come down from Heaven above.	Pray that this Sacrifice Divine, May mankind's sins efface, Then bring me Jesus' blessing home, The pledge of every grace. Amen.

  
CONFESSIONS WILL BE BY APPOINTMENT WITH FR PAUL.  
PLEASE TELEPHONE THE PRESBYTERY 0121 505 7927 TO ARRANGE.

THE LATEST EDITION OF THE CATHOLIC FAMILY MAGAZINE, CALX MARIAE, IS AVAILABLE IN THE PORCH AT £2. THIS IS A DISCOUNTED PRICE ON THE COVER PRICE OF £5. MONEY IN THE PORCH WALL BOX. THANK YOU.

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE ANY CARDS, CANDLES, GIFTS ETC FROM PIETY, PLEASE ARRANGE BY CONTACTING TONY DEVENNEY 07531 461366

**PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR REGULAR UPDATES!**  
The website is regularly updated and the newsletter is on usually every Friday.  
[www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk](http://www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk)

Please note for any inclusions in the newsletter, the cut-off is Wednesday lunchtime

PARISH NEWS:

**YOUR PARISH STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP FINANCIALLY** – WE URGE YOU PLEASE TO PUT YOUR OFFERTORY ENVELOPES THROUGH THE PRESBYTERY LETTER BOX IF YOU ARE OUT ON A WALK. **OR BRING THEM TO CHURCH IF YOU ARE ATTENDING MASS.** THANK YOU. FR PAUL.  
IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONSIDER SETTING UP A **STANDING ORDER**, PLEASE CONTACT CATE ON 07773 712936 OR EMAIL [cate.maddox@btinternet.com](mailto:cate.maddox@btinternet.com)  
**THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO RESPONDED TO THE STANDING ORDERS.**  
**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT AT THIS TIME.**

We had three plants donated by Wednesbury Garden Services which we ran a draw on last week, we raised £92 for PPE. The winners were numbers 11, 54 and 23. Grateful thanks to everyone who contributed. If we missed asking you, maybe we can ask you next time. Unfortunately purchasing PPE is going to be an on-going expense.  
The PPE Team.

The Parish Health & Safety Representative, Paul Piddock, thanks all parishioners and visitors for their understanding in complying with the measures that have had to be put into place to open for Mass. A special thanks to the team of stewards and cleaners who have made it possible.

Fr Paul's Message:  
My dear friends, it was good to see some of you at Mass last weekend. For many it must seem strange having to wear face covering when you are keeping to the social distancing rule. I feel the Church leaders are imposing far stricter rules upon us that the government! It is all very strange. Perhaps one day we shall get to know why.  
Respecting each others feelings and being aware of those who are more vulnerable is something we all try to do. But we know from the media coverage that sadly the selfish and thoughtless behaviour of some make life difficult for others in the long run.  
Our Church is a place for prayer and a place where we feel at home in the quiet and peace that the Lord bestows.  
I thank the stewards and cleaners who have helped us to open our Church. We will review the times when the Church will be open again soon and see if we can do more. But that may depend on a few more volunteers. With every blessing in the Lord. Fr Paul.