

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

Also remember in your prayers, those who bear their illness privately, and those that care for them. *Theresa Adams, Sheila Cooney, Bridget Cooper, Joan Dixon, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Michelle Price, Veronica Smith, Pat Wilkins.*

**Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of MARIA PIA O'BRYANT RIP, PAULINE AGG RIP, & HELEN TERESA TAYLOR RIP all recently deceased, and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose Anniversaries occur in JULY: † Bill Allcock, Thirza Bennett, Cath Addiss, Francis Borg, Rafaela Borg, Kathleen Bowdler, Kathleen Burns, Peggy Churchill, Thomas Churchill, Peter Davies, Vito Demitri, Chris Dickens, Harry Gascoigne, Julia Green, Bertha Jane Greenhill, Carl Haken, Patrick Hanley, Simon Harper, Bernard Lally, Hilda Lally, Sister Magdalen, Evelyn Mahoney, Leslie Martin, Terence McNally, Vera Moran, Lily Payne, Kate Raby, Kathleen Riley (nee O'Connell), Michael Ward, Chris Wilkinson, William Williams, Ernest Withers.**

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

**The candle lamp on Our Lady's Altar burns this week for:**

**The candle lamp on the Sacred Heart Altar burns this week for:**  
*Owen Fox RIP (Anniversary 16th July)*

**The flowers on the Sacred Heart Altar this weekend are in Memory of Peter Anthony Davies RIP (Anniversary 18th July)**

**CONFESSIONS ARE AVAILABLE UP TO 10 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS – OR CONTACT FR MICHAEL**

**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 the cut-off is Thursday lunchtime

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham registered Charity No. 234216



**OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US**  
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**15TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

**14TH JULY 2024**

<b>Saturday July 13</b>	<b>5.00pm Mass (Ints of Fay Mary Leatham)</b> <i>Feria</i>
<b>Sunday July 14</b>	<b>10.00am Mass (Pat &amp; Roy Husted – who celebrated their 15th Sunday of the Year Diamond Wedding Anniversary on 27th June)</b>
<b>Monday July 15</b>	<b><u>10.45am Funeral Service for Maria Pia O'Bryant RIP</u></b> <i>Mem of St Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor of the Church</i>
<b>Tuesday July 16</b>	<b><u>9.30am Holy Rosary</u></b> <i>Feria</i> <b>10.00am Mass (Brenda &amp; Joseph Jennings RIP)</b>
<b>Wednesday July 17</b>	<b><u>NO MORNING MASS</u></b> <i>Feria</i> <b><u>6.00pm Y6 Leavers' Mass – all welcome</u></b>
<b>Thursday July 18</b>	<b>10.00 Mass (Lee Brearley RIP) <u>End of term School Mass</u></b> <i>Feria</i> <b><u>12.30pm Funeral Service for Pauline Agg RIP</u></b>
<b>Friday July 19</b>	<b><u>9.00am – 9.45am Adoration &amp; Benediction</u></b> <i>Feria</i> <b>10.00am Mass (In Thanksgiving – Anna)</b>
<b>Saturday July 20</b>	<b>5.00pm Mass (Josie Doherty RIP &amp; Betty McGolgan RIP)</b> <i>Feria</i>
<b>Sunday July 21</b>	<b>10.00am Mass (People of the Parish)</b> <i>16th Sunday of the Year</i> <b><u>12.30pm Baptism – Chloe Tokarczyk</u></b>

## PARISH NEWS:

### RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION:

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO RECEIVE COMMUNION. TO AID DISTRIBUTION, THOSE WHO RECEIVE IN THE HAND, PLEASE COME TO THE ALTAR FIRST, FOLLOWED BY THOSE WHO RECEIVE ON THE TONGUE. IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A BLESSING ONLY, PLEASE PUT YOUR HAND ACROSS YOUR CHEST AND I WILL GIVE YOU A BLESSING ONLY. THANK YOU. FR MICHAEL.

### SAFEGUARDING:

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mary Jones. She can be contacted at [sg.stmaryoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.stmaryoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk) or the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted at [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) or on 0121 230 6240 if you have any concern.

### HEALTH & SAFETY MESSAGE:

PARISHIONERS ARE ADVISED TO TAKE CARE WHEN ACCESSING CHURCH AS THERE ARE POTENTIALLY A NUMBER OF TRIP HAZARDS WITH DAMAGED MORTAR AND SLABS. AS THERE ARE MANY JOBS, IT IS ON THE "TO DO" LIST. THANK YOU.

### TEA/COFFEE & TOAST EVERY THURSDAY

**AFTER MASS. PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL RE-COMMENCE IN SEPTEMBER, AFTER THE SUMMER BREAK.**

TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS.

FOOD BANK: BOX IN PORCH PLEASE SUPPORT IF YOU CAN.

## DIARY:

### LEAVERS' MASS:

YR6 WEDNESDAY 17TH JULY 6PM

- ALL WELCOME

BINGO NIGHTS: START ON WED 17TH JULY AT 6.30PM IN THE PARISH HALL.

POETRY NIGHT: FRIDAY 26TH JULY 7PM IN PARISH HALL.

CREAM TEAS: T.B.A. AUGUST

HARVINGTON HALL: SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER MASS 3PM

ALTAR SERVERS MASS AT ST

CHADS: SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER 12 NOON

### LUCKY SQUARE:

*Proceeds to Church & Hall Restoration Fund, 3 cash prizes, if you wish to join, please see Tracey. Thank you for your support of our Parish.*

### SIMPLE ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT AND CONFESSIONS

BETWEEN 9.15AM AND 9.45AM

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND

THURSDAY, WITH LATIN ADORATION,

AND CONFESSION, AND BENEDICTION

AS NORMAL ON A FRIDAY 9AM-9.45AM.

PIETY: WE KNOW ITS EARLY! BUT PIETY

ARE TAKING ORDERS FOR CHRISTMAS!

DIARIES/CANDLES/GIFTS -PLEASE SEE

TONY OR CAROL

FR MICHAEL'S PERSONAL

WEBSITE:

[www.frmichaelvaughan.com](http://www.frmichaelvaughan.com)

## PARISH NEWS:

Offertory: £274.42 Week)

Attendance: 45 + 71 = 116

Standing Orders: (MONTHLY):

£843 (MAY) Thank you for your continued generosity.

*This Weekend: Retiring Diocese Collection for Apostleship of the Sea*

*Next Weekend: Second Collection for the Church & Hall Restoration Fund*

### ORDINATION OF TWO NEW

BISHOPS AT ST CHADS: TUES

16TH JULY 12 NOON

MGR TIMOTHY MENZIES & CANON

RICHARD WALKER WILL BE

ORDAINED ON TUESDAY 16TH

JULY - DUE TO RESTRICTIONS ON SPACE, IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE

FOR OPEN INVITATIONS BUT IT CAN BE LIVESTREAMED FROM

THE CATHEDRAL WEBSITE.

PLEASE KEEP THEM IN YOUR

PRAYERS.



BINGO WILL RE-COMMENCE ON

WEDNESDAY 17TH JULY 6.30PM IN

THE PARISH HALL. ALL WELCOME



We will be hosting another

Cream Tea afternoon some time

in August - details to follow.

## 2024 ANNUAL MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE GUILD OF ST STEPHEN:

ALTAR SERVERS AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE INVITED BY ARCHBISHOP BERNARD TO

ATTEND THE ANNUAL

THANKSGIVING MASS AT ST

CHAD'S CATHEDRAL ON

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER AT 12

NOON. REFRESHMENTS

AFTERWARDS IN THE GRIMSHAW

ROOM. IF YOU ARE PLANNING ON

ATTENDING, PLEASE SEE FR.

MICHAEL. POSTER ON

NOTICEBOARD.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

STARTS PROMPT AT 10AM, DOORS

OPEN FROM 9.50AM.

EVERY WEEK, UNLESS OTHERWISE

NOTIFIED. HELD IN PARISH HALL

PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL CONTINUE

THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER

HOLIDAYS.

GARY, CHRISTINE & JOE



POETRY NIGHT:

FRIDAY 26TH JULY 7PM IN THE

PARISH HALL.

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED (ANY

DONATIONS WILL BE

APPRECIATED).

PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT.